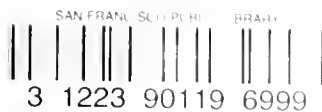


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# JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MONDAY, JANUARY 7, 1952—2:00 P. M.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, January 7, 1952,  
2:00 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

## CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Fazackerley, Gallagher, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, John J. Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, J. Joseph Sullivan—2.

Quorum present.

President George Christopher presiding.

Supervisor Lewis noted present at 2:25 p. m.

Supervisor J. Joseph Sullivan noted present at 2:15 p. m.

## Approval of Journals.

The Journals of Proceedings for December 10 and December 17, 1951, were considered read and approved.

## Communications.

From Board of Directors of the Central Council of Civic Clubs and from the Central Council of Civic Clubs, requesting that Board postpone action on measure dealing with the leasing of park property for equestrian purposes.

*Considered in connection with calendar matter; re-referred to Finance Committee.*

From Great Highway Club, opposing enactment of measure proposing lease of park property for equestrian purposes.

*Considered in connection with calendar matter; referred to Finance Committee.*

From Chief Administrative Officer, submitting report dealing with removal of car tracks on Broadway and on The Embarcadero.

*Copy given to Supervisor Mead; ordered filed.*

From the Controller, presented by Supervisor MacPhee, enclosing resolutions providing for the issuance of various bond issues.

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

From the Youth Guidance Center, attention Supervisor Chester R. MacPhee, suggesting that File No. 8496, providing for an appropriation of \$3,310 for payment of temporary salaries, Juvenile Hall, appearing on the Board calendar, be amended by inserting an emergency clause therein.

*Measure amended and finally passed.*

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS.****Refused Passage for Second Reading.**

The following recommendations of Finance Committee, heretofore considered, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors MacPhee, Fazackerley, Mead.

**Regulating the Use of Sewers and Drains, the Disposal of Sewage, the Use of Garbage Grinders in Individual Units, and the Discharge of Water and Wastes into the Public Sewer System; and Providing for a Service Charge for the Discharge of Sewage into or Through the Sewers of the City and County.**

File No. 7599, Ordinance No. . . (Series of 1939).

December 17, 1951—Consideration continued to January 7, 1952.

**Communications Read.**

The Clerk read communications from the Central Council of Civic Clubs as well as from its Board of Directors, and from the Great Highway Club, opposing enactment of the pending measure.

**Motion to Re-refer.**

Supervisor Mead moved, seconded by Supervisor McMurray, that the foregoing measure be re-referred to Finance Committee, so that the incoming members of the Board may have an opportunity of studying the legislation.

**Discussion.**

Supervisor Mancuso objected to the proposed delay, claiming that the measure had been in process of enactment for at least six months and that it should be acted upon at once.

Supervisor Mead stated that if the legislation was put to a vote at this session of the Board, he would be compelled to vote against it.

Supervisor MacPhee suggested that Mr. George W. Pracy, General Manager of the Water Department, be called upon to answer questions which may be asked him by the members of the Board.

**Withdrawal of Motion.**

There being no objection, Supervisor Mead withdrew his motion to re-refer the measure to the Finance Committee.

**Privilege of the Floor.**

The privilege of the floor was accorded Mr. Pracy of the Water Department and he proceeded to answer questions asked of him by members of the Board.

Supervisor MacPhee stated that the measure would impose a tax on those who are not paying any tax at all at the present time.

Supervisor Mead asserted that the passage of the measure might tend to drive business from San Francisco and discourage business from entering the city, and that he has been deluged by more calls opposing this one matter than by any other in his sixteen years as a member of the Board. Supervisor Mead further stated that, in his opinion, it was more important to maintain payrolls in San Francisco than to effect a slight problematical decrease in the tax rate.

**Measure Defeated.**

The roll was thereupon called and the subject measure was *refused passage for second reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Fazackerley, MacPhee, J. Joseph Sullivan—3.

Noes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, John J. Sullivan—8.



**Re-reference to Committee.**

**Approving Lease Between the Recreation and Park Commission and Equestrian Foundation, Inc., of Certain Land in Golden Gate Park Required for Equestrian Activities and Stabling Facilities.**

File No. 8233, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(20-year lease. Rental of \$100 per year and percentage of revenue. Financial statement to be forwarded yearly and more often if requested.)

Lessor shall be indemnified; adequate insurance shall be carried. Upon termination of lease, all buildings, structures and other improvements shall revert to Lessor. Lessor may terminate lease at any time. Lessor may charge 15 per cent or any other amount of gate receipts of any games, exhibitions or other activities held in connection with any of the equestrian facilities of the Park where an admission is charged.)

December 17, 1951—Consideration continued to January 7, 1952.

**Motion to Defer Consideration.**

Supervisor Gallagher moved, seconded by Supervisor Arnold, that consideration of the foregoing measure be continued for a period of one week.

**Substitute Motion.**

Supervisor Fazackerley moved, seconded by Supervisor John J. Sullivan, that the foregoing measure be re-referred to committee, in view of protests received from various improvement clubs.

The roll was thereupon called and the pending measure was re-referred to Finance Committee by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Fazackerley, Gallagher, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, J. Joseph Sullivan, John J. Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Consideration of Legislation Out of Order.****Suspension of Rules.**

The President inquired of those city officials present if there were matters on the Board calendar which they desired to be dismissed out of order. Some of the officials expressed such a desire; thereupon, upon motions duly made by Supervisor MacPhee, seconded by Supervisor Fazackerley, and carried without objection, the rules were suspended and the following measures considered out of order.

**Passage for Second Reading.**

The following recommendations of Finance Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors MacPhee, Fazackerley, Mead.

**Appropriating \$1,800, Recreation and Park, for New Position of Chief Operating Engineer.**

File No. 8501-1, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Fazackerley, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, J. Joseph Sullivan, John J. Sullivan—11.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 14.2, Recreation and Park—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 8501-2, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Fazackerley, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, J. Joseph Sullivan, John J. Sullivan—11.

**Appropriating \$4,375, Municipal Railway, for Three New Positions of General Clerk and One New Position of Elevator Operator; Abolishing Four Positions of Conductor.**

File No. 8502-1, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Fazackerley, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, J. Joseph Sullivan, John J. Sullivan—11.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Sections 72, 72.2 and 72.6, Municipal Railway—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 8502-2, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Fazackerley, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, J. Joseph Sullivan, John J. Sullivan—11.

**Adopted.**

**Authorizing Tax Collector to Receive Certain Monies in Payment of Taxes from California Street Cable Railroad Company, and Providing for Cancellation of Taxes.**

Supervisor MacPhee presented:

File No. 8534, Resolution No. 11890 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor MacPhee moved adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor Fazackerley.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Fazackerley, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, J. Joseph Sullivan, John J. Sullivan—11.

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS (Continued).**

The following recommendations of Finance Committee, heretofore considered, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors MacPhee, Fazackerley, Mead.

**Adopted.**

**Waiving Statute of Limitations and Authorizing Payment of \$500 Death Benefit Allowance and Retirement Benefit Allowance of \$286.15 to Mrs. Gertrude M. Reagan.**

File No. 7869, Resolution No. 11895 (Series of 1939).

(Mrs. Reagan's husband, a former police officer, died on September 20, 1947. The above amounts are due Mrs. Reagan but time for payment has expired.)

December 24, 1951—Consideration continued to January 7, 1952.

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Fazackerley, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, J. Joseph Sullivan, John J. Sullivan—10.

**Absent:** Supervisor Mead—1.

**Final Passage.**

**Appropriating \$84,000, Police Department, for Holiday Pay.**

File No. 8417, Ordinance No. 7114 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Fazackerley, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, J. Joseph Sullivan, John J. Sullivan—10.

**Absent:** Supervisor Mead—1.

**Appropriating \$120,000, Fire Department, for Holiday Pay.**

File No. 8430, Ordinance No. 7115 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Fazackerley, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, J. Joseph Sullivan, John J. Sullivan—10.

**Absent:** Supervisor Mead—1.

**Appropriating \$1,500, San Francisco Airport, for Purchase of a Paint-Striping Machine.**

File No. 8438, Ordinance No. 7116 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Fazackerley, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, J. Joseph Sullivan, John J. Sullivan—11.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 46.1, Public Works, Engineering (Interdepartmental), by Reclassifying Position of Engineer, Civil, to Senior Engineer, Civil.**

File No. 8439, Ordinance No. 7117 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Fazackerley, Gallagher, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, J. Joseph Sullivan, John J. Sullivan—10.

**Absent:** Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Appropriating \$1,237.50, Tax Collector, for New Position of General Clerk-Typist; Abolishing Position of General Clerk.**

File No. 8452-1, Ordinance No. 7118 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Fazackerley, Gallagher, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, J. Joseph Sullivan, John J. Sullivan—10.

**Absent:** Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 31.1, Tax Collector—  
A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item**

File No. 8452-2, Ordinance No. 7119 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Fazackerley, Gallagher, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, J. Joseph Sullivan, John J. Sullivan—10.

**Absent:** Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Appropriating \$1,000, deYoung Museum, for Expense of Exhibitions.**

File No. 8453, Ordinance No. 7120 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Fazackerley, Gallagher, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, J. Joseph Sullivan, John J. Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Authorizing Conveyance of Portion of Lot 1, Block 6474, to the Calvary Baptist Church, Inc., in Exchange for Portion of Lot 27, Block 6474, and the Acceptance of \$2,000, Required to Adjust Boundaries of Longfellow School.**

File No. 8454, Ordinance No. 7121 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Lot 27, located south line of Morse Street, northeasterly of Whittier Street. Size: 26 feet by 100 feet. Lot 1, located on southeasterly line of Morse Street, northeasterly of Whittier Street. Size: 113 feet by 26 feet.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Fazackerley, Gallagher, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, J. Joseph Sullivan, John J. Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Appropriating \$925, Laguna Honda Home, for New Position of Gardener; Abolishing Position of Farmer.**

File No. 8468-1, Ordinance No. 7122 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Fazackerley, Gallagher, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, J. Joseph Sullivan, John J. Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 56.3, Public Health—  
A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 8468-2, Ordinance No. 7123 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Fazackerley, Gallagher, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, J. Joseph Sullivan, John J. Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Appropriating \$2,100, Hetch Hetchy, for New Position of General Maintenance Foreman; Abolishing Position of Labor Foreman.**

File No. 8469-1, Ordinance No. 7124 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Fazackerley, Gallagher, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, J. Joseph Sullivan, John J. Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Sections 70(d) and (e), Hetch Hetchy—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 8469-2, Ordinance No. 7125 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Fazackerley, Gallagher, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, J. Joseph Sullivan, John J. Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

#### Final Passage.

The following recommendation of Public Health and Welfare Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors John J. Sullivan, Fazackerley, Lewis.

Amending Section 1401 of Ordinance No. 4547 (Series of 1939) Entitled "Building Code," Relating to Definition of Institutional Buildings, by Providing That Accommodations in Certain Types of Institutions Shall Be for More Than Six Persons.

File No. 8413, Ordinance No. 7113 (Series of 1939).

(Accommodations for more than six persons shall apply to nurseries for children under six, kindergartens, orphanages, dormitories for children over six, hospitals, sanitariums, homes for the aged and similar buildings.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Fazackerley, Gallagher, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, J. Joseph Sullivan, John J. Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

#### Consideration Temporarily Postponed.

The following measure from Finance Committee, heretofore considered, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors MacPhee, Fazackerley.

Appropriating \$28,850, Board of Supervisors—Municipal Government Survey Advisory Committee, for Contractual Services.

File No. 8364, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(For purpose of continuing and completing survey under direction of Survey Advisory Committee, of all departments, offices and agencies of the city—with the exception of the Unified School District—in order to design a controlled record-keeping system, and to supervise installation of record center and train necessary personnel incident to organization and management of such central depository of records.

December 31, 1951—Consideration continued to January 7, 1952.

There being no objection, consideration of the foregoing measure was *temporarily postponed*, pending appearance of Chairman N. Loyall McLaren and Mr. Simpson, Executive Director, of the Municipal Government Survey Advisory Committee.

(*See later action for deferment of consideration for two weeks.*)

#### Adopted.

The following measure from Judiciary Committee without recommendation, heretofore considered, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Mancuso, J. Joseph Sullivan.

**Authorizing Purchase of Interest of the John Mulhern Company in One-Story Building Situated on the Northerly Line of Thirteenth Street by the Payment of \$4,715; Required for the Widening of Thirteenth Street.**

File No. 8268, Resolution No. 11897 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Designated as Lot 38, Block 3530.)

December 31, 1951—Consideration continued to January 7, 1952.

#### Discussion.

Supervisor Mancuso asked questions of Reynald J. Bianchi, Deputy City Attorney, regarding various phases of the pending measure.

#### Explanation of Vote.

Supervisor Mancuso contended that the legislation under discussion was improper, in that no leasehold interest existed at the present time; in fact, it had expired over a year ago, and that present terms called for a month to month lease; further if it was the intention of the City to pay the John Mulhern Company the sum of \$4,715 to cover the cost of moving, such an act should be consummated under eminent domain proceedings.

Supervisor Arnold: Do you believe in your best judgment that it would be in the city's interest to pay the \$4,715 to the John Mulhern Company?

Mr. Bianchi: I believe so.

Supervisor Arnold: On the financial end of it, do you believe the payment of \$4,715 is in the best interest of the city and that there were legal situations existing along the line which warranted this treatment?

Mr. Riordan, Director of Property: Yes, that is correct.

#### Roll Call.

The roll was thereupon called and the foregoing measure was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Fazackerley, Gallagher, MacPhee, McMurray, Mead, John J. Sullivan—8.

Noes: Supervisors Mancuso, J. Joseph Sullivan—2.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

#### NEW BUSINESS.

##### Adopted.

The following recommendations of Finance Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors MacPhee, Fazackerley, Mead.

**Approving Supplemental Recommendations, Public Welfare Department, Relative to Categorical Aids; Letters Dated December 31, 1951.**

File No. 7821, Resolution No. 11891 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Fazackerley, Gallagher, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, J. Joseph Sullivan, John J. Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

Authorizing Granting of Extension of Emergency Relief to Dependent Non-Residents for January and February; List Dated January 7, 1952.

File No. 7822, Resolution No. 11892 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Fazackerley, Gallagher, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, J. Joseph Sullivan, John J. Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

Authorizing Release of Lien Against Property Designated as Lot 20, Block 6602, Recorded by the Public Welfare Department for Aid Extended to Edmund Fagalde.

File No. 7897, Resolution No. 11896 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Fazackerley, Gallagher, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, J. Joseph Sullivan, John J. Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

Authorizing Acquisition by Eminent Domain Proceedings of Real Property Located in Block 1860-B, Required for the Widening of Lomita Avenue.

File No. 8494, Resolution No. 11902 (Series of 1939).

(Required to flatten curve on easterly line of Lomita Avenue, south of Lawton Street. In conformity with Master Plan.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Fazackerley, Gallagher, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, John J. Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, J. Joseph Sullivan—2.

#### Passage for Second Reading.

Amending Ordinance No. 6861 (Series of 1939) "Ordering the Improvement of the Intersections of Campbell Avenue at Delta, Ervine and Alberta Streets," by Increasing City Aid from Approximate Amount of \$700 to \$800, and by Increasing Approximate Amount for Work in Front of City Property from \$400 to \$425.

File No. 7787-1, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Fazackerley, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, J. Joseph Sullivan, John J. Sullivan—11.

Appropriating \$3,000, Mayor, Disaster Corps, for Installation of Gas Heaters in Various Warden Battalion Headquarters.

File No. 8478, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Fazackerley, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, J. Joseph Sullivan, John J. Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Mead—1.

Authorizing Sale, at Public Auction, of Fire Department Land Located on the East Side of Folsom Street South of Twenty-first Street.

File No. 8491-1, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(Not in conflict with the Master Plan. Designated as Lot 24, Block 3613. Size: 25 $\frac{1}{2}$  feet by 122 $\frac{1}{2}$  feet. Vacant.)

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Fazackerley, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, J. Joseph Sullivan, John J. Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Mead—1.

**Appropriating \$150, Adult Probation, for Purchase of Typewriter.**

File No. 8492, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Fazackerley, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, J. Joseph Sullivan, John J. Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Mead—1.

**Appropriating \$300,000, Water Department, for Balboa Reservoir Excavation.**

File No. 8493, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan.)

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Fazackerley, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, J. Joseph Sullivan, John J. Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Mead—1.

**Final Passage.**

**Appropriating \$3,310, Youth Guidance Center—Juvenile Hall, for Temporary Salaries.**

File No. 8496, Ordinance No. 7126 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Amend.**

Supervisor MacPhee moved, seconded by Supervisor Fazackerley, that the foregoing measure be amended by adding thereto an emergency clause.

Supervisor Gallagher asked City Controller Ross if it was within the Board's province to add such a clause.

The Controller assured Supervisor Gallagher that if the emergency clause as recited, fell within the meaning of Section 16 of the Charter, it was well within the jurisdiction of the Board to approve such an amendment.

The roll was thereupon called on the proposed amendment and it was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Fazackerley, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, J. Joseph Sullivan, John J. Sullivan—11.

The roll was then called on the measure, as amended, and it finally passed by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Fazackerley, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, J. Joseph Sullivan, John J. Sullivan—11.

**Passage for Second Reading.**

**Appropriating \$440,000, Public Utilities, from 1947 Hetch Hetchy Water Bond Fund, for Construction of the Burlingame-Millbrae Section of the Sunset Supply Line.**

File No. 8497, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).



(In conformity with Master Plan.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Fazackerley, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, J. Joseph Sullivan, John J. Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Mead—1.

**Appropriating \$1,125, Water Department, for New Position of General Clerk-Typist; Abolishing Position of General Clerk-Stenographer.**

File No. 8498-1, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Fazackerley, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, J. Joseph Sullivan, John J. Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Mead—1.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 73.1, Water Department—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 8498-2, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Fazackerley, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, J. Joseph Sullivan, John J. Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Mead—1.

**Authorizing Grant of Easement to North San Mateo County Sanitation District Over Water Department Land in San Mateo County, Required for Sewer Purposes.**

File No. 8499, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Easement located in vicinity of Lake Merced Settling Pond.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Fazackerley, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, J. Joseph Sullivan, John J. Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Mead—1.

#### **Resumption of Consideration of Measure.**

Consideration of File No. 8364, appropriating \$28,850, Board of Supervisors—Municipal Government Survey Advisory Committee, for contractual services, and heretofore considered at this meeting, was again taken up.

#### **Discussion.**

The Clerk of the Board was requested to explain contents of his letter dealing with the subject of non-payment to the private firm under contract with the Municipal Government Survey Advisory Committee. The clerk informed the Board that final payment under the existing contract has not been made because the contract provided for the rendering of a final report, which to date has not been received.

N. Loyall McLaren, Chairman of the Advisory Committee, stated that his committee was satisfied that all studies as called for in the contract had been completed, and that he had received information to the effect that the final report would be made about the 17th or 18th of January.

Supervisor Gallagher expressed the opinion that the Board should not appropriate additional funds until final reports have been re-

ceived and the feelings of the heads of the various departments surveyed made known.

Mr. McLaren agreed that consideration of the foregoing measure could be continued until receipt of the final report.

Mr. Simpson, Executive Secretary of the Survey Committee, explained that the Records Management Council has designed a controlled record-keeping system for the City and County and that this design is now in the hands of the Chief Administrative Officer for his consideration. The study made in the Controller's office was a very limited one; however, a complete study was made of the Department of Public Works and recommendations made. Patterns were set up in various departments, calling for the administration of certain files and remanding the balance to the Central Filing Bureau. Inventories of records were made in certain departments, the Civil Service Commission, Department of Public Works, and the practices in the Department of Public Health revised. In the Public Welfare Department, correspondence procedure was streamlined, and in the Water Department inventories were completed and schedules set up.

#### Explanation of Vote.

Supervisor Mancuso: We have already spent in the neighborhood of fifty thousand dollars. This committee is working without compensation. They are now asking for \$28,850 of additional funds to complete the report. The purpose of the appropriation is to continue the work so that when the work is over, the project will be completed. I intend to vote for this appropriation.

Supervisor MacPhee praised the work of the Survey Advisory Committee and asserted that the Board should encourage this work by passing the appropriation and thereby obviate any possible delay in putting the Records Center plan into effect.

Supervisor Arnold: These members of the Committee are to be commended. I intend no criticism with respect to any member of the Committee. We should complete our first contract before issuing a new contract. Over forty seven thousand dollars has been expended out of more than fifty thousand dollars appropriated, and this Board has not received a final report on any of the existing contracts. I believe it advisable to refer this matter to the Finance Committee and that the final report of the Survey Committee be filed with the Finance Committee in the meanwhile, with the hope that more complete recommendations will be presented to the Board.

Further discussion revealed the fact that a controlled records keeping program had not been installed in the Controller's office but that rather preliminary work had been done for the establishment of a pattern applicable to all departments.

Supervisor Lewis urged caution in proceeding with the work.

Supervisor Fazaackerley urged appropriation of the money, and declared that the Board should not refuse its passage on the technical objection that a final report had not been received.

The Chief Administrative Officer informed the Board that his office had received a report on the central filing system but that it could not be placed into operation until the necessary personnel had been trained to handle the work.

In reply to a query by Supervisor Fazaackerley, the Chief Administrative Officer stated that the records-control system would prove a valuable adjunct to the city government.

Supervisor J. Joseph Sullivan: Mr. Ross, do you recommend that the pending measure be passed for second reading?

Mr. Ross: I try not to interfere with the policy of the Board.

Supervisor J. Joseph Sullivan: Mr. McGrath, are you in favor of the pending measure?

Mr. McGrath: I am neither for nor against it, because it is within the legislative policy of the Board. But personally I am in favor of any program which will improve the record-keeping methods now in use.

Supervisor J. Joseph Sullivan: Mr. Brooks, have you any opinion with respect to the subject measure?

Mr. Brooks: I am for it.

#### Motion to Re-refer to Committee.

Supervisor Arnold moved, seconded by Supervisor Gallagher, that the foregoing measure be re-referred to the Finance Committee and that the Finance Committee study the system which has been referred to Mr. Brooks.

#### Substitute Motion.

Supervisor Lewis moved, as a substitute, that the pending matter remain on the calendar until such time as the Controller authorizes the final payment of the appropriation in the first contract.

The President ruled Supervisor Lewis' substitute motion out of order because it was not specific.

Supervisor MacPhee expressed the fear that recommitment might result in undue delay and that serious harm might ensue.

#### Substitute Motion.

Supervisor Gallagher moved, as a substitute, that the pending measure remain on the Board calendar for a period of two weeks. Motion seconded by Supervisor Lewis and *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Gallagher, Lewis, McMurray, Mead, John J. Sullivan—6.

Noes: Supervisors Christopher, Fazackerley, MacPhee, Mancuso, J. Joseph Sullivan—5.

### OFF-CALENDAR LEGISLATION.

The following recommendation of his Honor the Mayor was presented by the Clerk:

#### Adopted.

Leaves of Absence—Hon. George J. Christopher, Member of Board of Supervisors, January 30-February 13, Inclusive; Hon. Chester R. MacPhee, Member of the Board of Supervisors, January 29 to February 11, Inclusive, 1952, With Permission to Leave the State.

File No. 7823, Resolution No. 11893 (Series of 1939).

#### Motion to Adopt.

Supervisor MacPhee moved adoption of the foregoing measure motion seconded by Supervisor Fazackerley.

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Fazackerley, Gallagher, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, J. Joseph Sullivan, John J. Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Adopted.**

The following recommendations of the Police Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Mead, Gallagher, Lewis.

**Deleting Alemany Boulevard into Lyell Street and into Rousseau Street from List of Street Intersections on Which Left-Hand Turns Are Prohibited at All Times.**

File No. 8458, Resolution No. 11898 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Fazackerley, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, McMurray, Mead, J. Joseph Sullivan, John J. Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Mancuso—1.

**Deleting Cayuga Avenue, Both Sides, Between Cuvier and Lyell Streets, from List of Streets on Which Parking Is Prohibited Day or Night.**

File No. 8459, Resolution No. 11899 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Fazackerley, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, McMurray, Mead, J. Joseph Sullivan, John J. Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Mancuso—1.

**Deleting Portions of Rousseau, Lyell and Admiral Streets and Cayuga Avenue from List of One-Way Streets—All times.**

File No. 8460, Resolution No. 11900 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Fazackerley, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, McMurray, Mead, J. Joseph Sullivan, John J. Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Mancuso—1.

**Designating Portions of Bosworth, Mission and Craut Streets and Cayuga Avenue as "Stop" Intersections; Deleting Portions of Bosworth, Rousseau, Lyell and Congdon Streets, Cayuga and Murray Avenues and Alemany Boulevard as "Stop" Intersections.**

File No. 8461, Resolution No. 11901 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Fazackerley, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, McMurray, Mead, J. Joseph Sullivan, John J. Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Mancuso—1.

**ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF MEASURES AND COMMUNICATIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.**

**Request of Supervisor Christopher Relating to the City's Crippled Children Program.**

Supervisor Christopher requested that the Clerk procure a report from the Chief Administrative Officer as to the effectiveness of the Crippled Children's Program.

*The Clerk was directed to comply.*

**Statement by Supervisor Fazackerley upon Terminating His Service as a Member of the Board of Supervisors.**

Supervisor Fazackerley stated that his four years on the Board have proved a wonderful educational experience to him. He thanked each member of the Board for their friendship and cooperation, the various heads of city departments as well as the Clerk of the Board and his personnel.

The Board thereupon rose and applauded Supervisor Fazackerley.

Supervisor Lewis expressed deep regret at the departure of Supervisor Fazackerley, asserting that his services had been of inestimable value to the city.

**Reference to Committee.**

**Providing for the Maintenance of a Minimum Temperature in Hotels, Apartments, Flats, or Other Multiple Dwellings Between Certain Hours.**

Supervisor Lewis presented:

File No. 7967, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Joint Police and Public Health and Welfare Committee.*

**References to the Finance Committee.**

The following bond measures were presented by Supervisor MacPhee and referred by the President to the Finance Committee:

**Providing for the Issuance of \$2,500,000 Principal Amount of "City and County of San Francisco Street Improvement Bonds—1947," "Series E," and \$650,000 Principal Amount of "City and County of San Francisco Municipal Railway Rehabilitation Bonds," "Series G."**

File No. 8536, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

**Providing for the Issuance of \$1,000,000 Principal Amount of "City and County of San Francisco Off-Street Parking Bonds—1947," "Series A."**

File No. 8537, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

**Providing for the Issuance of \$9,100,000 Principal Amount of "City and County of San Francisco School Bonds—1948," "Series C."**

File No. 8538, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

**Providing for the Issuance of \$2,000,000 Principal Amount of "City and County of San Francisco Sewage Treatment Bonds—1948," "Series C."**

File No. 8539, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

**Providing for the Issuance of \$3,100,000 Principal Amount of "City and County of San Francisco Airport Bonds—1949," "Series C."**

File No. 8540, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

**Providing for the Issuance of \$1,000,000 Principal Amount of "City and County of San Francisco Cherry Valley Dam Bonds—1947," "Series A."**

File No. 8541, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

**Directing Clerk of the Board of Supervisors to Advertise Notice of Sale of:**

- (a) \$2,500,000, Street Improvement Bonds—1947, Series E;
- (b) \$ 650,000, Municipal Railway Rehabilitation Bonds—1947, Series G;
- (c) \$1,000,000, Off-Street Parking Bonds—1947, Series A

- (f) \$9,100,000, School Bonds—1948, Series C;
- (g) \$3,100,000, Airport Bonds—1949, Series C;
- (h) \$1,000,000, Cherry Valley Dam Bonds—1949, Series A;
- (i) \$2,000,000, Sewage Treatment Bonds—1948, Series C.

File No. 8542, Resolution No. . . . (Series of 1939).

#### **Request of Supervisor Mancuso Relating to Aid to Needy Children Program.**

Supervisor Mancuso called the Board's attention to cases where parents were financially able to take care of their children and yet applied for aid. In order to overcome this practice, the Supervisor suggested that the proper committee study the advisability of recommending enactment of state legislation which would provide more stringent regulation of the aid to needy children program.

*Referred to the County, State and National Affairs Committee.*

#### **Adopted.**

#### **Commending Joe DiMaggio.**

Supervisor Mancuso presented:

File No. 8543, Resolution No. 11903 (Series of 1939).

#### **Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Mancuso moved adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor Lewis.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Fazackerley, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, J. Joseph Sullivan, John J. Sullivan—11.

#### **Supervisors Fazackerley and J. Joseph Sullivan Praised.**

Supervisors Mancuso, McMurray and Mead praised the work of departing Supervisors Fazackerley and J. Joseph Sullivan.

#### **Statement by Supervisor J. Joseph Sullivan Upon Termination of His Service as a Member of the Board of Supervisors.**

Supervisor J. Joseph Sullivan expressed his thanks to the members of the Board for their friendship and cooperation and also thanked the various city officials and the Clerk of the Board and his personnel for their valued cooperation.

The Board thereupon rose and applauded Supervisor J. Joseph Sullivan.

#### **Adopted.**

#### **In Memoriam—Clarence R. Lindner.**

Jointly presented by all members of the Board:

File No. 7824, Resolution No. 11894 (Series of 1939).

#### **Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor John J. Sullivan moved adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor Mead.

*Unanimously adopted by rising vote.*

#### **ADJOURNMENT.**

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 5:23 p. m., adjourned.

JOHN R. McGRATH, Clerk.

## TUESDAY, JANUARY 8, 1952—12:00 NOON

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Tuesday, January 8, 1952, 12:00 noon.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

## CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were present:

Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

Quorum present.

President George Christopher presiding.

## Oath of Office.

President George Christopher introduced the Presiding Judge of the Superior Court, Judge Albert C. Wollenberg, who would administer the oath of office.

The President then requested that the newly elected and re-elected members of the Board, namely, Supervisors Byron Arnold, Harold S. Dobbs, John J. Ferdon, Edward T. Mancuso, Dewey Mead and John J. Sullivan, come forward and take the oath of office.

Thereupon the oath of office was administered by Judge Wollenberg.

## Notice of Filing of Official Bonds.

The following communication was presented and read by the Clerk:

CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO

(Office of the Controller)

January 6, 1952

The Honorable the Board of Supervisors

City and County of San Francisco

Gentlemen:

This is to inform you that recorded bonds and copies of oaths of office are on file in the Controller's office for the following named members of the Board of Supervisors, for period commencing January 8, 1952:

Byron Arnold	Chester R. MacPhee
George Christopher	Edward T. Mancuso
Harold S. Dobbs	P. J. McMurray
John J. Ferdon	Dewey Mead
Dan Gallagher	John J. Sullivan
Marvin E. Lewis	

Yours very truly,

S. HARRY D. ROSS, Controller.

## Election of President.

President Christopher: I have come to my last official act on the rostrum before joining my colleagues on the Board. It is customary for the retiring President to say a few words before doing so. I want you to know that I enjoyed being your President for the past two years. I have learned much and I want to thank the members of the Board for their cooperation and patience, especially since when I first took this office I was not considered much of a parliamentarian. I am grateful to my colleagues and to you for the fact that it has been a pleasure to serve you as President at a time when

when I get back to the floor, I can again indulge in debate which I was precluded from doing as President. While I enjoyed being your President, I am looking forward with even greater eagerness to joining you on the floor, with the privilege of expressing myself, and I want to ask your forgiveness for the mistakes which I have made somewhere along the line.

Thereupon President Christopher stated that he would entertain nominations for the office of President of the Board of Supervisors.

Supervisor Gallagher: Before placing in nomination the name of the man whom I assume will be the President of the Board, may I say to you, sir, that as President, I am sure you have served the office of President in splendid fashion. I say that because I know during your term you have dealt with matters in an impartial way. I say to you new members, the people of the City and County of San Francisco are to be congratulated in electing you, and to the incumbent Supervisors I hope that during the next two years we shall have the benefit of your experience and that we shall meet all problems to the best of our ability. I am privileged to place in nomination the name of a man who has well served the people of the City and County of San Francisco and who had been a member of the Board for the past sixteen years. He has tried on several occasions to become President of the Board but without success, and I hope that it will be within the province of the Board to elect a man whom we all know to be a parliamentarian. I therefore place in nomination the name of Supervisor Dewey Mead as President of the Board of Supervisors. Motion seconded by Supervisor Lewis.

Supervisor MacPhee desired that the record show that the motion was unanimously seconded by all members present.

Supervisor Lewis moved that the nominations be closed. Motion seconded by Supervisor John J. Sullivan.

No objection and *nominations closed.*

### **Supervisor Mead Elected President of the Board.**

The roll was thereupon called and the motion *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—10.

Excused from voting—Supervisor Mead.

*Supervisor Mead unanimously elected President of the Board.*

The President asked that Supervisors Arnold and Sullivan escort the newly elected President to the rostrum.

President Mead: My colleagues on the Board of Supervisors, Judge Wollenberg, Mr. Brooks, members and distinguished guests, ladies and gentlemen: The Board has paid me a tremendous honor. The statement was made by Supervisor Gallagher that I have sought this office on several different occasions. I have sought this office on but one previous occasion. I am asked to fill the shoes of a big man, your past President, George Christopher. George Christopher, in my opinion, has done a tremendous job during the past two years and I will try to carry on to the best of my ability. I am not necessarily a parliamentarian, but I will try to use good judgment at all times. I intend to be a stickler for procedure. I am going to ask my colleagues to join with me in reducing time spent in debate in the Board to a minimum and I know that I shall receive your cooperation. Many of our colleagues will advise their friends from time to time that theirs is a part-time job. That is not necessarily true. I will ask that we discontinue the practice of people running from one member to another, carrying on conversation. In fact, I will instruct our two Sergeants-at-Arms that they escort the mem-



bers of the Board out into the outer room when they have a message of importance which requires any considerable time to transmit. That will save a lot of time. Now, my colleagues, ladies and gentlemen, I am going to call first on the two newly-elected members of the Board of Supervisors for a few remarks. I won't say whether they will be good or bad Supervisors. Time will tell. I hope and pray that they will develop into outstanding Supervisors. Ladies and gentlemen, may I present Supervisor John J. Ferdon.

Supervisor Ferdon: Mr. President, Mr. Brooks, Judge Wollenberg, ladies and gentlemen: I want to express my appreciation to the citizens of San Francisco for having elected me to serve as Supervisor. I note that the President stated he does not know whether I will be a good or a bad Supervisor. I do know, however, that I will attempt to handle the office in an honest and sincere manner and perform the duties for the people of the City and County of San Francisco to the very best of my ability.

President Mead introduced Supervisor Harold S. Dobbs.

Supervisor Dobbs: Mr. President, congratulations to you; Mr. Brooks, Judge Wollenberg, members of the Board of Supervisors, ladies and gentlemen: I am certainly one of the freshmen on this Board along with Jack Ferdon. You can be assured that I will attempt to serve well and honestly and to the best of my ability and to justify the trust the people of San Francisco have reposed in me.

President Mead introduced Supervisor Arnold.

Supervisor Arnold: Mr. President, Mr. Brooks, Judge Wollenberg, ladies and gentlemen: I, too, have just been elected and I am proud to have the opportunity of serving the people of our city for the next four years. I realize my responsibility as a member of the Board as I am sure you new members do also. I wish the President every success.

President Mead introduced Supervisor John J. Sullivan.

Supervisor Sullivan: Mr. Chairman and members of the Board: I want to thank the voters for electing me for another four years. Never before has any Supervisor sat on this side among four attorneys. If you need any legal advice come over to this side of the Chambers, and I know that from now on you will get four different opinions. Mr. President, if you need any help, come over on my side.

The President introduced Supervisor Lewis.

Supervisor Lewis: Mr. President, Mr. Brooks, members of the Board, ladies and gentlemen: As is my custom, I will make my remarks very short. The newly elected President stated he was going to see that meetings are a lot shorter. I guarantee that they will be much shorter because he is the Chairman. I would like to address myself to former Chairman of the Board, Supervisor George Christopher. George stated when he was elected Chairman that he was not a parliamentarian. The first time he took the rostrum I knew he had completely swallowed and digested Roberts' Rules of Order. In behalf of my colleagues, George, I want to thank you for the excellent manner in which you have always conducted the proceedings. You are an excellent parliamentarian. You say you want to get back into the rough and tumble of debate on the floor. I hope you speak figuratively, for we don't want to see any of the members actually on the floor. Now, may I address myself to the two newly elected Supervisors. You are following in the footsteps of two former great Supervisors, Don Fazackerley and J. Joseph Sullivan. I know the people will be proud of you and will be proud to know that their trust in you will be kept by both of you. To the re-elected Supervisors, we are happy to have you with us again. Once more we will be one big, happy family.

President Mead introduced Supervisor Gallagher.

Supervisor Gallagher: Mr. President, I already made my speech earlier. However, I do want to extend my congratulations and hope that your term in office will be a successful one. Congratulations also to the other newly elected members of the Board.

President Mead introduced Supervisor MacPhee.

Supervisor MacPhee: Mr. President, Mr. Brooks, ladies and gentlemen: Thank you, Mr. President, for your remarks. The year 1952 is a challenge to us and to the city. All of us will meet that challenge and will do the best job we possibly can. I want to extend my congratulations to the new members of the Board who I am sure will do an outstanding job for the city. To my newly elected colleagues, I know they will continue the fine job they have been performing heretofore. I congratulate you, Mr. President; you have certainly earned your office with your years of service. Congratulations, Supervisor Christopher, for a fine job.

President Mead introduced Supervisor Christopher.

Supervisor Christopher: Mr. President and fellow members: I want to congratulate our new members, Supervisors Dobbs and Ferdon. I want to say they have the difficult job of filling the positions vacated by two fine Supervisors, Don Fazackerley and J. Joseph Sullivan. I want to congratulate the re-elected members of the Board. They are splendid men and I know they will continue their fine work. I want to congratulate you, Mr. President; you are a parliamentarian, and you have more experience than any other member, and I know you will do a fine job for the people of San Francisco.

President Mead introduced Supervisor Mancuso:

Supervisor Mancuso: Mr. President, Mr. Brooks and members of the various departments, members of the Board, ladies and gentlemen: I am of course very happy to have been re-elected to this position. I recognize that the position of an elected official is one of trust, a position of responsibility. The position of Supervisor is probably one of the most important we have in any city government in the country today. We must remember that the good we get out of a job depends upon the effort we put into it. I wish you, Mr. President, the best of success and am sure you will carry out the promises of serving impartially and in the interests of the people of the City and County of San Francisco, and I can assure you that I will do everything in my power to work along with you in that respect. I hope that during the next four years we can keep in mind the question of economy in government, as that question is just as important in the future as it has been in the past.

President Mead introduced Supervisor McMurray.

Supervisor McMurray: Mr. President, Mr. Brooks, various heads of the different departments, ladies and gentlemen: Mr. President, I wish you all the success in the world. To the two new members, I want to say that the people have made a splendid choice in you to take the place of two fine former Supervisors, Don Fazackerley and J. Joseph Sullivan. It has always been my ambition and privilege to serve my city in some capacity and I know that the gratification and pleasure which I have had serving as a member of the Board of Supervisors will last as long as I will.

President Mead: San Francisco recently lost the services of two outstanding members, and I think I would be remiss in my duties if I did not ask Supervisor Fazackerley to stand. (Don Fazackerley appeared in the audience and was warmly applauded.) I also understand we are also honored by the appearance of another former outstanding member of the Board, J. Joseph Sullivan. (J. Joseph

Sullivan was warmly applauded.) And now in closing ladies and gentlemen, it becomes my duty to announce the members of the various committees. Selections of the members of the various committees are not an easy job. Every one of the committees is important. Every member of the Board must be a chairman of at least one of the committees. I have attempted to select members of the various committees who will do a fine job for the benefit of the people of San Francisco.

#### Committee Appointments.

President Mead announced the following committees:

Commercial and Industrial Development Committee: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee, Mancuso.

County, State and National Affairs Committee: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso, Sullivan.

Education, Parks and Recreation Committee: Supervisors MacPhee, Dobbs, McMurray.

Finance, Revenue and Taxation: Supervisors Gallagher, Arnold, Christopher.

Judiciary, Legislative and Civil Service Committee: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis.

Police Committee: Supervisors McMurray, Ferdon, Gallagher.

Public Buildings, Lands and City Planning Committee: Supervisors Mancuso, Dobbs, Lewis.

Public Health and Welfare Committee: Supervisors Sullivan, Arnold, Dobbs.

Public Utilities Committee: Supervisors Ferdon, Christopher, Sullivan.

Streets and Highways Committee: Supervisors Arnold, McMurray, Sullivan.

Rules Committee: Supervisors Mead, Gallagher, MacPhee.

#### ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 12:53 p. m., adjourned.

JOHN R. McGRATH, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors January 23, 1952.

I, John R. McGrath, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, hereby certify that the foregoing are true and correct copies of the Journals of Proceedings of said Board of the dates hereon stated and approved as recited.

JOHN R. McGRATH,  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.



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MONDAY, JANUARY 14, 1952—2:00 P. M.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, January 14, 1952,  
2:00 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

## CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Fardon, Gallagher, MacPhee, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso—2.

President Dewey Mead presiding.

Supervisor Lewis noted present at 2:07 p. m.

Supervisor Mancuso noted present at 2:15 p. m.

## Approval of Journals.

The Journals of Proceedings for December 24, 1951, and December 31, 1951, were considered read and approved.

## Communications.

From Mrs. Hugo Fransen, copy of letter addressed to Supervisor Mead, putting him and the other members of the Board on notice that a suit would be instituted if fluorine is placed in the city's water supply.

*Copy to each member of Board; ordered filed.*

From Public Utilities Commission, statistical data relating to the operations of the San Francisco Airport.

*Copy to each member of Board; ordered filed.*

From Chief Administrative Officer, report regarding feasibility of acquiring Angel Island as a recreational center.

*Referred to the Public Buildings, Lands and City Planning Committee.*

## UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

### Final Passage.

The following recommendations of Finance Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors MacPhee, Frazierley.

Appropriating \$2,200, Public Works, from Unappropriated Balance of Special Road Improvement Fund, for Construction of a Concrete Stairway on the Ten-Foot Sewer Easement from Alemany Boulevard to Cayuga Avenue, Opposite Naglee Avenue.

File No. 7505, Ordinance No. 7127 (Series of 1939)

(Not in conflict with the Master Plan.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, MacPhee, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso—2.

**Appropriating \$7,012.50, Laguna Honda Home, for Five New Positions of Head Nurse; Abolishing Five Positions of Registered Nurse.**

File No. 8463-1, Ordinance No. 7128 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, MacPhee, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso—2.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 56.4, Public Health, Laguna Honda Home—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 8463-2, Ordinance No. 7129 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, MacPhee, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso—2.

**Authorizing Exchange of Land Located West of Twin Peaks, Between the City and County and the Pacific Coast Construction Company, Required for Frontage to the Laguna Honda Property.**

File No. 8464, Ordinance No. 7130 (Series of 1939).

(Equal exchange of 1.691 acres. No cost to the city. Not in conflict with the Master Plan.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Mancuso—1.

**Appropriating \$370, Fire Department, for Payment of Meritorious Award to a Member of the Uniformed Force.**

File No. 8470, Ordinance No. 7131 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Mancuso—1.

**Appropriating \$1,554,000, Public Works, from Unappropriated Balance of Special Gas Tax Street Improvement Fund, for Improvements to Major Streets and Purchase of Asphalt-Laying Equipment.**

File No. 8471, Ordinance No. 7132 (Series of 1939).

(Market Street and Portola Drive from Castro	
Street to Sloat Boulevard . . . . .	\$ 20,000
Mission Freeway from Thirteenth Street to	
Alemany Boulevard . . . . .	20,000
Market Street from The Embarcadero to Tenth	
Street . . . . .	290,000
Bush Street from Hyde Street to Larkin Street . . .	7,000
Clay Street from Scott Street to Arguello	
Boulevard . . . . .	222,000
Geneva Avenue from Prague Street to Mission	
Street . . . . .	228,000



Alemanay Boulevard from San Jose Avenue to Junipero Serra Boulevard	\$4,000
Bush Street from Grant Avenue to Stockton Street	15,000
Clarendon Avenue from Stanyan Street to Laguna Honda Boulevard	126,000
Laguna Honda Boulevard from Clarendon Avenue to Dewey Boulevard	10,000
Various intersections—signalization	146,000
	\$1,559,000
Purchase of Asphalt Laying Equipment	15,000
	\$1,574,000

The foregoing projects are either in conformity with the  
Master Plan or do not affect it.)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferguson, Gallagher,  
Lewis, MacPhee, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Mancuso—1.

Appropriating \$550,000, Public Utilities, from 1947 Hetch Hetchy Water  
Bond Fund, for Construction of Alameda Creek Siphon No. 2, Re-  
quired to Augment the City's Water Supply.

File No. 8472, Ordinance No. 7133 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferguson, Gallagher,  
Lewis, MacPhee, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Mancuso—1.

Appropriating \$6,000, Superior Court, for Salaries and Expenses of  
Visiting Judges Assigned by the State Judicial Council.

File No. 8475, Ordinance No. 7134 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferguson, Gallagher,  
Lewis, MacPhee, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Mancuso—1.

Appropriating \$12,000, Public Health, for Maintenance Work Required  
at the San Francisco Hospital.

File No. 8479, Ordinance No. 7135 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferguson, Gallagher,  
Lewis, MacPhee, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Mancuso—1.

Authorizing Compromise and Settlement of Action by the City and  
County Against John A. Curry by the Acceptance of \$60.51

File No. 8485, Ordinance No. 7136 (Series of 1939).

(Fire Department vehicle collided with car driven by  
John A. Curry.)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferguson, Gallagher,  
Lewis, MacPhee, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Mancuso—1.

**Appropriating \$1,125, deYoung Museum, for New Position of General Clerk-Typist; Abolishing Position of Checkroom Attendant.**

File No. 8487-1, Ordinance No. 7137 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Mancuso—1.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 21, M. H. deYoung Memorial Museum—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 8487-2, Ordinance No. 7138 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Mancuso—1.

#### Re-referred to Committee.

The following recommendations of Police Committee, heretofore considered, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Mead, Gallagher, Lewis.

**Adding Portions of Market, Mission, Sutter, Fourth and Stockton Streets to List of Streets on Which Stopping Is Prohibited at Specified Hours, Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays Excepted.**

File No. 8387-1, Resolution No. . . . (Series of 1939).

#### (7 A M. to 9 A. M.):

Market Street, north side, between The Embarcadero and Gough;

Market Street, south side, between Tenth and The Embarcadero;

Mission Street, north side, between The Embarcadero and Sixteenth Street;

Mission Street, south side, between Sixteenth Street and The Embarcadero;

Sutter Street, north side, between Market and Powell Streets;

Fourth Street, east side, between Howard and Market Streets;

Fourth Street, west side, between Market and Howard Streets;

Stockton Street, east side, between Market Street and south end of Tunnel;

Stockton Street, west side, between south end of Tunnel and Market Street.

#### 4 P. M. to 6 P. M.:

Market Street, south side, between Valencia Street and The Embarcadero;

Mission Street, east side, between Sixteenth Street and South Van Ness;

Mission Street, south side, between South Van Ness and Second Street;

Mission Street, south side, between First Street and The Embarcadero;

Sutter Street, south side, between Jones and Market Streets;

Fourth Street, east side, between Howard and Market Streets;

Fourth Street, west side, between Mission and Howard Streets.)

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### Communications Read.

The Clerk read communications protesting imposition of proposed "no-stopping" restrictions on certain downtown streets, from the Golden State Company, Swift and Company, San Francisco Labor Council, F. Alioto Fish Company and telegram from Newspaper Drivers' Union.

Supervisor Christopher informed the Board that he was in receipt of about 40 replies to a letter which he had dispatched to major distributing concerns in the city relative to their opinions on the proposed legislation and that all of them either objected to part or the entire plan of the Police Department.

### Motion to Defer Consideration.

Supervisor Gallagher stated that he had been informed that there were certain organizations which had not been apprised of this matter before today, and thereupon moved, seconded by Supervisor Lewis, that consideration of the pending measure be continued for a period of three weeks, at the end of which time the Board should resolve itself into a committee of the whole for the purpose of hearing from all interested parties.

Captain Jack Eker of the Traffic Bureau, Police Department, was asked if the suggested deferment would prove a hardship, and he stated that he did not believe any harm would be done since the holiday congestion had passed, although he believed the matter should be disposed of as soon as possible.

### Motion to Delete.

Supervisor Christopher moved, as a substitute, that the provisions in the pending measure imposing "no-stopping" restrictions between 7 and 9 a. m., be deleted.

Motion *lost* for want of a second.

Mr. Philip F. Landis, President of the Public Utilities Commission, when called upon to comment, stated that his Commission was primarily interested in the movement of transit facilities and said he would have no objection should the Board delete the 7-9 a. m. no stopping restrictions proposed, and refer the 4-6 p. m. no stopping provisions to committee.

### Motion to Delete.

Supervisor Christopher renewed his substitute motion that the 7-9 a. m. no stopping restrictions be deleted.

There being no objection, Supervisor Christopher temporarily withdrew his substitute motion.

There being no objection, Supervisor Gallagher withdrew his original motion.

### Committee of the Whole.

Supervisor Gallagher moved, seconded by Supervisor Lewis, that the Board resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole for the purpose of hearing from all interested parties.

Motion *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

Supervisor Gallagher moved, seconded by Supervisor Lewis, that the President serve as Chairman of the Committee of the Whole.

No objection and motion *carried*.

The Chair now stated that the Committee would hear from the proponents.

The following *proponents* spoke:

Captain Jack Eker, Director of Traffic, Police Department.

Thomas Gray, Manager, Downtown Association.

Robert M. Shillito, representing Belford Brown of the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce.

James H. Turner, Manager of Utilities.

Colonel Marmion D. Mills, Municipal Railway Traffic Consultant.

Frank Wright, representing TWA, Inc.

The following *opponents* spoke:

Anthony Cancilla, Business Representative, Chauffeurs' Union, Local 265, 106 Valencia Street.

George W. Johns, Secretary, San Francisco Labor Council, 2940 Sixteenth Street.

Raymond H. Crummy, Secretary, San Francisco Hotel Association, 370 Geary Street.

Matthew J. Dooley, attorney, 582 Market Street, representing Linen Supply industries.

James Conaghan, Secretary-Treasurer, San Francisco Milk Council, Grant Building, 1095 Market Street.

Russell Bevans, Secretary, San Francisco Draymen's Association, 57 Post Street.

H. C. McNally, Business Agent, Retail Delivery Drivers, Driver Salesmen and Helpers, Local 278, 2940 Sixteenth Street.

Clarence Walsh, Bakery Drivers' Union, 112 Valencia Street.

Daniel Sweeney, Secretary-Treasurer, 536 Bryant Street (Teamsters' Union).

Tony Ricci, Secretary-Treasurer, Brewery Drivers, Helpers and Distributors, Local Union No. 888, 2940 Sixteenth Street.

#### Motion to Rise and Report.

No other person evincing a desire to speak, Supervisor Gallagher thereupon moved, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, that the Committee rise and report.

Motion *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

Mr. Landis: In the consideration of this measure, many statements were made today that are not exactly accurate. Basically, the Municipal Railway is interested in its riders and wants the 4-6 p. m. restrictions imposed. We are, in the main, interested in the 4 to 6 p. m. restrictions, although we are not opposing the 7 to 9 a. m. provisions.

#### Motion to Re-refer.

Supervisor Arnold moved that, since it had been divulged that many firms and organizations had not had the opportunity of discussing the pending measure, it be re-referred to committee, and that the following measures on the calendar, designated as Files 8387-2, 8387-3 and 8387-4, companions to the foregoing measure, be likewise re-referred to committee. Motion seconded by Supervisor Sullivan.

Motion *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Gallagher, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—8.

Noes: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, Mead—3.

Deleting Stockton Street, Between Market Street and the South End of the Tunnel, from List of Streets on Which Parking Is Prohibited, 7 A. M. to 4 P. M., Sundays and Holidays Excepted.

File No. 8387-2, Resolution No. . . . (Series of 1939).

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*Re-referred to Police Committee.*

Adding Portions of Market and Mission Streets to, and Deleting Portions of Said Streets from, List of Streets on Which Parking Is Restricted to 60 Minutes at Specified Hours, Sundays and Holidays Excepted.

File No. 8387-3, Resolution No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(9 A. M. to 4 P. M.):

Add Mission Street, between Main Street and Beale Street;  
Mission Street, between Sixth Street and Seventh Street;  
Mission Street, between Thirteenth Street and Sixteenth Street.

7 A. M. to 4 P. M.:

Delete Mission Street, west side, between Twelfth Street and Sixteenth Street.

7 A. M. to 6 P. M.:

Mission Street, between Main Street and Beale Street;  
Mission Street, between Sixth Street and Seventh Street.

9 A. M. to 6 P. M.:

Markt Street, south side, between Valencia Street and Tenth Street;  
Mission Street, south side, between The Embarcadero and Main Street;  
Mission Street, east side, between South Van Ness Avenue and Cortland Avenue.)

December 24, 1951—Consideration continued to January 14, 1952.

*Re-referred to Police Committee.*

Designating Certain Streets on Which Parking Is Prohibited 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., Sundays and Holidays Excepted.

File No. 8387-4, Resolution No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(9 A. M. to 4 P. M.):

Market Street, north side, between Battery Street and Polk Street;  
Market Street, south side, between Fremont Street and Tenth Street;  
Stockton Street, between Market Street and the south end of the Tunnel.)

December 24, 1951—Consideration continued to January 14, 1952.

*Re-referred to Police Committee.*

## NEW BUSINESS.

Adopted.

The following recommendations of Finance Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Gallagher, Arnold, Christopher.

Approving Supplemental Recommendations, Public Welfare Department, Relative to Categorical Aids; Letters Dated January 8, 1952.

File No. 7821, Resolution No. 11904 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Authorizing Granting of Extension of Emergency Relief to Dependent Non-Residents for January and February; List Dated January 14, 1952.**

File No. 7822, Resolution No. 11905 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Authorizing Purchase of Leasehold Interest in Portion of Lot 1, Block 3531, from Joseph L. Castor Company for \$1,500, Required for the Widening of Thirteenth Street.**

File No. 8500, Resolution No. 11910 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Located at intersection of Thirteenth Street and Van Ness Avenue.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Authorizing Temporary Transfer of Funds Pending Receipt of Second Installment of Taxes for the Fiscal Year 1951-52.**

File No. 8506, Resolution No. 11911 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Authorizing Purchase of Real Property from Various Owners for \$8,900, Required for School Project No. 29.**

File No. 8509, Resolution No. 11912 (Series of 1939).

(Property located in area bounded by Delta Street, Harkness and Wilde Avenues. Lots 19-20, 9, 13, one-half interest in Lot 14; one-quarter interest in Lots 14, 52, 48 and 49, all in Block 6179. Two four-room homes involved. In conformity with Master Plan.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Authorizing Purchase of Lot 7, Block 6179, from Mario Giannini for \$500, and One-Quarter Interest in Lot 14, Block 6179, from Florence M. Krauskopf for \$100, Required for School Project No. 29.**

File No. 8510, Resolution No. 11913 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Lot 7: Vacant land, located at intersection of Delta Street and Wilde Avenue. Size: 25 feet by 100 feet. Lot 14: Vacant land. Size: 25 feet by 100 feet. Located on Wilde Avenue near Delta Street.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Authorizing Purchase of Lots 1 and 58, Block 6179, from Vincent Scotto for \$2,000, Required for School Project No. 29.**

File No. 8511, Resolution No. 11914 (Series of 1939).

(Located on Harkness Avenue near Delta Street. Vacant land. Size: Each lot 25 feet by 100 feet. In conformity with Master Plan.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Authorizing Execution of Agreement With the State of California for Purchase of Tax-Deeded Lots 41 and 42, Block 6179, for \$10, Required for School Project No. 29.**

File No. 8512, Resolution No. 11915 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Property located on Harkness Avenue near Delta Street. Size of each lot: 25 feet by 100 feet.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Authorizing Purchase of Lots 18, 19 and 20, Block 6163, from Roy E. Brewer et al. for \$7,500, and Lots 15 and 16, Block 6179, from Myrtle Passalacqua et al. for \$800, Required for School Project No. 29.**

File No. 8513, Resolution No. 11916 (Series of 1939).

(Lots 18, 19 and 20 are located at intersection of Delta Street, Harkness Avenue and Bowdoin Street. Size: Lots 18 and 19, 25 feet by 100 feet, Lot 20, irregular—63.37 feet by 27.04 feet by 99.43 feet by 81.86 feet. Lots 15 and 16 are located at Delta Street and Wilde Avenue. Size of each lot: 25 feet by 100 feet. In conformity with Master Plan.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Establishing a Maximum Charge of \$5.00 for Medical or Psychiatric Treatment at the Adult Guidance Center.**

File No. 8516, Resolution No. 11917 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Providing for the Issuance of \$2,500,000 Principal Amount of "City and County of San Francisco Street Improvement Bonds—1947," Series E; \$650,000 Principal Amount of "City and County of San Francisco Municipal Railway Rehabilitation Bonds—1947," Series G, Each Being Part of Respective Issues of \$22,850,000 and \$20,000,000 Authorized at an Election Held in the City and County of San Francisco on November 4, 1947; Prescribing the Date and Form of Said Bonds, and of the Coupons to Be Attached Thereto; Fixing the Maximum Rate of Interest on Said Bonds and Prescribing the Maturities Thereof; Authorizing the Execution of Said Bonds and Coupons; and Providing for the Levy of a Tax to Pay the Principal and Interest Thereof.**

File No. 8536, Resolution No. 11918 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

Providing for the Issuance of \$1,000,000 Principal Amount of "City and County of San Francisco Off-Street Parking Bonds—1947," Designated "Series A," Being a Part of an Issue of \$5,000,000 Authorized at an Election Held in the City and County of San Francisco on November 4, 1947; Prescribing the Date and Form of Said Bonds, and of the Coupons to Be Attached Thereto; Fixing the Maximum Rate of Interest on Said Bonds, and Prescribing the Maturities Thereof; Authorizing the Execution of Said Bonds and Coupons; and Providing for the Levy of a Tax to Pay the Principal and Interest Thereof.

File No. 8537, Resolution No. 11919 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

Providing for the Issuance of \$9,100,000 Principal Amount of "City and County of San Francisco School Bonds—1948," Designated "Series C," Being a Part of an Issue of \$48,890,000 Authorized at an Election Held in the City and County of San Francisco on November 2, 1948; Prescribing the Date and Form of Said Bonds and of the Coupons to Be Attached Thereto; Fixing the Maximum Rate of Interest on Said Bonds and Prescribing the Maturities Thereof; Authorizing the Execution of Said Bonds and Coupons; and Providing for the Levy of a Tax to Pay the Principal and Interest Thereof.

File No. 8538, Resolution No. 11920 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

Providing for the Issuance of \$2,000,000 Principal Amount of "City and County of San Francisco Sewage Treatment Bonds—1948," "Series C," Being a part of an Issue of \$15,000,000 Authorized at an Election Held in the City and County of San Francisco on June 1, 1948; Prescribing the Date and Form of Said Bonds, and of the Coupons to Be Attached Thereto; Fixing the Maximum Rate of Interest on Said Bonds, and Prescribing the Maturities Thereof; Authorizing the Execution of Said Bonds and Coupons; and Providing for the Levy of a Tax to Pay the Principal and Interest Thereof.

File No. 8539, Resolution No. 11921 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

Providing for the Issuance of \$3,100,000 Principal Amount of "City and County of San Francisco Airport Bonds—1949," Designated "Series C," Being Part of an Issue of \$10,000,000 Authorized at an Election Held in the City and County of San Francisco on November 8, 1949; Prescribing the Date and Form of Said Bonds, and of the Coupons to Be Attached Thereto; Fixing the Maximum Rate of Interest on Said Bonds, and Prescribing the Maturities Thereof; Authorizing the Execution of Said Bonds and Coupons; and Providing for the Levy of a Tax to Pay the Principal and Interest Thereof.

File No. 8540, Resolution No. 11922 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.



Providing for the Issuance of \$1,000,000 Principal Amount of "City and County of San Francisco Cherry Valley Dam Bonds—1949," Designated "Series A," Being Part of an Issue of \$4,000,000 Authorized at an Election Held in the City and County of San Francisco on November 8, 1949; Prescribing the Date and Form of Said Bonds, and of the Coupons to Be Attached Thereto; Fixing the Maximum Rate of Interest on Said Bonds, and Prescribing the Maturities Thereof; Authorizing the Execution of Said Bonds and Coupons; and Providing for the Levy of a Tax to Pay the Principal and Interest Thereof.

File No. 8541, Resolution No. 11923 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

Directing the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors to Advertise Notice of Sale of:

\$2,500,000 City and County of San Francisco Street Improvement Bonds—1947, Series E;

\$ 650,000 City and County of San Francisco Municipal Railway Rehabilitation Bonds—1947, Series G;

\$1,000,000 City and County of San Francisco Off-Street Parking Bonds—1947, Series A;

\$9,100,000 City and County of San Francisco School Bonds—1948, Series C;

\$3,100,000 City and County of San Francisco Airport Bonds—1949, Series C;

\$1,000,000 City and County of San Francisco Cherry Valley Dam Bonds—1949, Series A;

\$2,000,000 City and County of San Francisco Sewage Treatment Bonds—1948, Series C.

File No. 8542, Resolution No. 11924 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

#### Passage for Second Reading.

Appropriating \$10,000 from 1947 Hetch Hetchy Water Bond Fund for Office Engineering on Plans and Specifications for San Joaquin Pipe Line No. 2.

File No. 8514, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

Authorizing Stipulation for Acceptance by City of \$700 as Accrued Rental from the United States of America for Certain Land Included Within the New Corporation Yard, and Retention by the United States of America of Leasehold Interest in Portion of Twenty-sixth Street, in District Court Action No. 23204-G.

File No. 8517, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(Leasehold interest is for term of years at annual rental of \$1.00.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Authorizing Exchange of Right-of-Way Easements Between the City and County of San Francisco and Lloyd B. Ham et ux., and Payments to the City of Not in Excess of \$4,000 to Cover Actual Extra Expense of Installing a Pipe Line in the Land Covered by the Easement to Be Acquired.**

File No. 8521, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(Crystal Springs Pipe Line No. 2.)

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Appropriating \$800, Treasurer, for Equipment and Overtime Allowance.**

File No. 8526, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(Equipment—72-hour timeclock movement	
changed to 120 hours . . . . .	\$300
Overtime allowance . . . . .	500
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	\$800)

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Authorizing City Attorney to Stipulate for Revesting of Sewer Easements in Land Which Is Subject of Condemnation Action Entitled "United States of America vs. 94.87 Acres, Civil Action No. 25268-R."**

File No. 8527, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(Agreement reached with the United States Marine Corps for revesting sewer easements located in the Islais Creek area, in the City and County of San Francisco.)

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Appropriating \$1,282.50, Controller, for New Position of Senior Clerk-Typist; Abolishing Position of General Clerk-Typist.**

File No. 8528-1, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 67.3, Controller—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 8528-2, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

#### Reference to Committee.

The following emergency measure, appearing on the Board's supplemental calendar, was taken up:

**Appropriating \$200, Youth Guidance Center, Log Cabin Ranch School, from Surplus Existing in Fixed Charges—Youth Guidance Center, for Purchase of Water Heater; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 8550, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

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Supervisor Gallagher moved, seconded by Supervisor Arnold, that the foregoing measure be referred to the Finance Committee.

No objection and motion carried.

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

## OFF-CALENDAR LEGISLATION

Adopted.

The following recommendation of his Honor the Mayor was presented by the Clerk:

**Leaves of Absence**—Herbert C. Clish, Superintendent of Schools, January 9-16; Harold L. Zellerbach, President of the Art Commission, January 25-February 2; Oliver M. Rousseau, Member of the City Planning Commission, January 17-26; Reed W. Robinson, Member of the Board of Permit Appeals, January 18-29; Frank A. Flynn, Member of the Board of Trustees of the War Memorial, January 7-17, 1952. All With Permission to Leave the State.

File No. 7823, Resolution No. 11906 (Series of 1939).

Motion to Adopt.

Supervisor Gallagher moved the adoption of the foregoing measure, motion seconded by Supervisor Arnold.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Feron, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

### Meeting of Board Members to Caucus on Board's Budget.

The President of the Board suggested that the Board members meet at the termination of today's meeting for the purpose of discussing the Board's budget requirements for the fiscal year 1952-53.

Motion.

Supervisor Lewis suggested that the Board meet at a luncheon next Monday to discuss the budget, and thereupon moved to that effect. Motion seconded by Supervisor McMurray and carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Feron, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

It was decided that the Board would meet on Monday, January 21st, at 12 noon at the Whitcomb Hotel. The Clerk was thereupon ordered to make the necessary arrangements for the luncheon.

### Supervisor MacPhee Excused.

Supervisor MacPhee requested to be excused from further Board attendance at 4:30 p. m. There being no objection, permission granted.

## ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF MEASURES AND COMMUNICATIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Adopted.

Requesting His Honor the Mayor to Appoint a Citizens' Committee for the Proper Observance of Lincoln's Birthday, February 12, 1952, and Washington's Birthday, February 22, 1952.

Supervisor Christopher presented:

File No. 7826, Resolution No. 11909 (Series of 1939)

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Christopher moved the adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor Mancuso.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Adopted.**

**Requesting Mayor to Proclaim Week of January 21-27, 1952, as "Junior Chamber of Commerce Week."**

Supervisor Dobbs presented:

File No. 8567, Resolution No. 11926 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Dobbs moved the adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor Ferdon.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Fixing Date for Hearing of Request of Public Utilities Commission for Permission to Abandon Portion of Route Traversed by Bus Line No. 37.**

Supervisor Ferdon, Chairman of the Public Utilities Committee, requested that the Board fix Monday, January 28, 1952, as the date for hearing the application of the Public Utilities Commission for abandonment and discontinuance of service on Bus Line No. 37, around the block from Eighteenth and Castro Streets and back, via Eighteenth, Hartford, Nineteenth and Castro Streets.

*No objection and date for hearing approved.*

**Reference to Committee.**

**Waiving Statute of Limitation and Authorizing Payment of Warrant in Sum of \$75.20 to J. Halko.**

Supervisor Gallagher presented:

File No. 8563, Resolution No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

**Reference to Committee.**

**Waiving Statute of Limitation and Authorizing Payment of Warrant in Sum of \$75 to Bertram J. Keelan.**

Supervisor Gallagher presented:

File No. 8564, Resolution No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

**Inquiry into Possibility of Parking Authority Using Funds from the Off-Street Parking Bond Fund for Construction of St. Mary's Garage.**

Supervisor Mancuso asked that the Finance Committee inquire into the possibility of the Parking Authority using funds from the Off-Street Parking Bond Fund for the construction of the St. Mary's Garage.

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

**Inquiry into Whether or Not the Parking Authority Had Met With the Western Investment Banking Voluntary Credit Restraint Committee Concerning Use of Bond Funds.**

Supervisor Gallagher asked whether the Parking Authority had met with the Western Investment Banking Voluntary Credit Restraint Committee in connection with using bond money for construction of St. Mary's Garage, and asked that a representative of said Authority attend the meeting of the Finance Committee on Wednesday, January 16, to discuss the subject.

*Clerk was instructed to notify the Parking Authority.*

**Inquiry into Intention of Federal Government With Respect to Vacant Land in Area of Army, Twenty-sixth and Harrison Streets.**

Supervisor Mancuso stated that he had received a number of complaints from residents in the area of Army, Twenty-sixth and Harrison Streets, with respect to the unsightliness of the vacant land which had been taken over by the Federal Government for construction of emergency housing, and thereupon requested that the proper committee of the Board make inquiry as to what the federal agencies proposed to do with said land.

*Referred to the County, State and National Affairs Committee.*

**Adopted.**

**Requesting Mayor to Appoint Citizens' Committee for Observance of Annual St. Patrick's Day Parade, March 16, 1952, Under the Auspices of the United Irish Societies of San Francisco.**

Supervisor McMurray presented:

File No. 7826, Resolution No. 11908 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor McMurray moved the adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor Sullivan.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Fardon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

**Reference to Committee.**

**Urging Relocation of the Benjamin Franklin Statue from Its Present Location in Washington Square to a Site in the Civic Center.**

Supervisor McMurray presented:

File No. 8565, Resolution No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Education, Parks and Recreation Committee.*

**Inquiry into Crippled Children's Program.**

Supervisor McMurray inquired into the Crippled Children's Program and the Chief Administrative Officer assured him that at the present time he was satisfied that all cases are being taken care of.

**Announcement of Committee Meeting.**

Supervisor McMurray, Chairman of the Police Committee, announced that his committee would meet on Thursday, January 24, 1952, at 2 p. m.

**Inquiry into Street Repairs.**

Supervisor Christopher stated that he had received complaints with respect to condition of streets. Mr. Brooks, Chief Administrative Officer, stated that the rains played an important part in creating ruts in the streets and that the Bureau of Street Repair was handling all cases of complaints as quickly as possible.

**Inquiry into Availability of Stands for Various Parades.**

Supervisor Mancuso inquired into availability of stands for the St. Patrick's Day Parade and the Columbus Day Parade and the Chief Administrative Officer assured him that he intended to place an amount for that purpose into the 1952-53 budget.

**Adopted.**

Requesting Mayor to Proclaim Week of February 10-18, 1952, as "National Negro History Week."

Supervisor Mead presented:

File No. 8566, Resolution No. 11925 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor McMurray moved the adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor Christopher.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

**Adopted.****In Memoriam—Bartholomew Sullivan.**

Supervisor Sullivan presented:

File No. 7824, Resolution No. 11907 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Sullivan moved the adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor McMurray.

*Unanimously adopted by rising vote.*

**ADJOURNMENT.**

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 4:40 p. m., adjourned.

JOHN R. McGRATH, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors January 28, 1952.

I, John R. McGrath, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the date hereon stated and approved as recited.

JOHN R. McGRATH,  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.







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MONDAY, JANUARY 21, 1952—2:00 P. M.

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In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco. Monday, January 21, 1952, 2:00 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

## CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee, McMurray—3.

President Dewey Mead presiding.

Supervisor Lewis noted present at 2:17 p. m.

Supervisor MacPhee noted present at 2:13 p. m.

Supervisor McMurray noted present at 2:14 p. m.

## Communications.

From San Francisco Labor Council, petition signed by various labor organizations, urging that the subject of salary standardization be considered by the Board, sitting as a Committee of the Whole, instead of being referred to the Finance Committee.

*Copy to each member of Board; referred to Finance Committee.*

From Municipal Government Survey Advisory Committee, copy of letter addressed to Supervisor Gallagher, requesting that consideration of calendar item calling for an appropriation of \$28,850 to cover completion of city-wide records survey, be continued until February 4, 1952.

*Calendar item continued to February 18; ordered filed.*

From Richard D. Brigham, expressing appreciation for resolution adopted by Board in memory of his wife.

*Ordered filed.*

From Archbishop John J. Mitty, acknowledging receipt of copies of resolution adopted by the Board, extending felicitations on the occasion of the Silver Jubilee of his consecration as a bishop.

*Ordered filed.*

From the Redwood Empire Supervisors' Unit, extending invitation to the Board members to attend the unit meeting on February 20, 1952, 10 a. m., County Court House in Napa.

*Copy to each member of Board; referred to County, State and National Affairs Committee.*

From Pan American World Airways System, addressed to Supervisor Christopher, complaining of inadequate facilities at the International Terminal Building.

*Referred to Public Utilities Committee.*

## UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

## Final Passage.

The following recommendations of Finance Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors MacPhee, Fazackerley, Mead.

Amending Ordinance No. 6861 (Series of 1939) "Ordering the Improvement of the Intersections of Campbell Avenue at Delta, Ervine and Alberta Streets," by Increasing City Aid from Approximate Amount of \$700 to \$800, and by Increasing Approximate Amount for Work in Front of City Property from \$400 to \$425.

File No. 7787-1, Ordinance No. 7139 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote: .

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee, McMurray—3.

Appropriating \$3,000, Mayor, Disaster Corps, for Installation of Gas Heaters in Various Warden Battalion Headquarters.

File No. 8478, Ordinance No. 7140 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee, McMurray—3.

Authorizing Sale, at Public Auction, of Fire Department Land Located on the East Side of Folsom Street, South of Twenty-first Street.

File No. 8491-1, Ordinance No. 7141 (Series of 1939).

(Not in conflict with the Master Plan. Designated as Lot 24, Block 3613. Size: 25½ feet by 122½ feet. Vacant.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee, McMurray—3.

Appropriating \$150, Adult Probation, for Purchase of Typewriter.

File No. 8492, Ordinance No. 7142 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee, McMurray—3.

Appropriating \$300,000, Water Department, for Balboa Reservoir Excavation.

File No. 8493, Ordinance No. 7143 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, MacPhee, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, McMurray—2.

Appropriating \$440,000, Public Utilities, from 1947 Hetch Hetchy Water Bond Fund, for Construction of the Burlingame-Millbrae Section of the Sunset Supply Line.

File No. 8497, Ordinance No. 7144 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Appropriating \$1,125, Water Department, for New Position of General Clerk-Typist; Abolishing Position of General Clerk-Stenographer.**

File No. 8498-1, Ordinance No. 7145 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 73.1, Water Department—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 8498-2, Ordinance No. 7146 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Authorizing Grant of Easement to North San Mateo County Sanitation District Over Water Department Land in San Mateo County, Required for Sewer Purposes.**

File No. 8499, Ordinance No. 7147 (Series of 1939).

(Easement located in vicinity of Lake Merced Settling Pond.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Appropriating \$1,800, Recreation and Park, for New Position of Chief Operating Engineer.**

File No. 8501-1, Ordinance No. 7148 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 14.2, Recreation and Park—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 8501-2, Ordinance No. 7149 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Appropriating \$4,375, Municipal Railway, for Three New Positions of General Clerk and One New Position of Elevator Operator; Abolishing Four Positions of Conductor.**

File No. 8502-1, Ordinance No. 7150 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Sections 72, 72.2 and 72.6, Municipal Railway—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.

File No. 8502-2, Ordinance No. 7151 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

#### Consideration Continued.

The following measure from Finance Committee, heretofore considered, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors MacPhee, Fazackerley.

Appropriating \$28,850, Board of Supervisors—Municipal Government Survey Advisory Committee, for Contractual Services.

File No. 8364, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(For purpose of continuing and completing survey under direction of Survey Advisory Committee, of all departments, offices and agencies of the city, with the exception of the Unified School District, in order to design a controlled record-keeping system, and to supervise installation of record center and train necessary personnel incident to organization and management of such central depository of records.)

January 7, 1952—Consideration continued to January 21, 1952.

#### Motion to Defer Consideration.

Supervisor Gallagher moved, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, that consideration of the foregoing measure be continued for a period of four weeks.

Supervisor Christopher offered the suggestion that the Mayor be invited to speak on the subject when the matter is again before the Board.

Supervisor Arnold objected to the suggestion; thereupon no action was taken.

Supervisor Gallagher stated that pursuant to queries made, he had received reports from several departments relative to the investigations conducted by the Records Management Council; whereupon Supervisor Arnold suggested that such reports be incorporated in the pending file and made a part thereof.

No objection and so ordered.

The roll was thereupon called and consideration of the foregoing measure was continued for a period of four weeks, by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

#### NEW BUSINESS.

##### Adopted.

The following recommendations of Finance Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Gallagher, Arnold, Christopher.

Approving Supplemental Recommendations, Public Welfare Department, Relative to Categorical Aids; Letters Dated January 15, 1952.

File No. 7821, Resolution No. 11930 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Authorizing Extension of Granting of Emergency Relief to Dependent Non-Residents for January and February; List Dated January 21, 1952.**

File No. 7822, Resolution No. 11931 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Authorizing Correction of Clerical Errors in 1951-52 Assessment Roll.**

File No. 7825, Resolution No. 11933 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Authorizing Cancellation of Taxes Due to Erroneous Assessments for the Years 1947 Through 1951.**

File No. 7829, Resolution No. 11934 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Authorizing Cancellation of Duplicate and Erroneous Assessments for the Years 1946 Through 1951.**

File No. 7829, Resolution No. 11935 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Authorizing Cancellation of Erroneous and Illegal Assessments for the Years 1949 Through 1951.**

File No. 7829, Resolution No. 11936 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Authorizing Release of Lien on Real Property, Recorded by the Public Welfare Department for Aid Extended to Thelma Kosec.**

File No. 7897, Resolution No. 11937 (Series of 1939).

(Full payment of \$51.45 made.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Authorizing Release of Lien on Real Property, Recorded by the Public Welfare Department for Aid Extended to Juan and Tomasina Martinez.**

File No. 7897, Resolution No. 11938 (Series of 1939).

(Full payment of \$105.16 made.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Authorizing Release of Lien on Real Property, Recorded by the Public Welfare Department for Aid Extended to Policarpo and Rose Alarcon.**

File No. 7897, Resolution No. 11939 (Series of 1939).

(Property which is subject to lien is located at 409 Miguel Street, lost through foreclosure; new lien will be placed on property to be purchased and located at 141 Thrift Street.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Confirming Sale of Surplus City-Owned Land Located on South Side of Shields Street, East of Junipero Serra Boulevard, to the Temple Methodist Church for \$2,500.**

File No. 8117-1, Resolution No. 11941 (Series of 1939).

(Vacant land. Size: Approximately 24 feet 7½ inches by 100 feet. In conformity with Master Plan. Lot 18, Block 7080.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Authorizing Acceptance of Quitclaim Deed from Karl P. Schrader et ux. to Certain Land Located on Easterly Line of Folsom Street, Southerly from Sixteenth Street, to Be Used for Public Street Purposes.**

File No. 8520, Resolution No. 11945 (Series of 1939).

(Not in conflict with Master Plan. Lot 16, Block 3752. No cost to the city. Size: 35 feet by 131 feet.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Authorizing Compromise and Settlement of Claim of City and County Against Sid F. Berge by the Acceptance of \$200.**

File No. 8529, Resolution No. 11946 (Series of 1939).

(Municipal Railway bus operator injured when bus was struck by vehicle operated by Sid F. Berge.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Accepting, on Behalf of Laguna Honda Home, Gift of Television Set from Rickey's of Santa Clara County, Through Courtesy of Herb Caen.**

File No. 8530, Resolution No. 11947 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Authorizing Acceptance of Quitclaim Deed from the Southern Pacific Railroad Company to Portion of Poplar Street, South of Twenty-fifth Street.**

File No. 8531, Resolution No. 11948 (Series of 1939).

(Without consideration.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.



**Authorizing Adjustment of Inventory Accounts to Reflect Theft or Loss of a Roof Cover Charged to the Fire Department, and an Armchair Charged to the San Francisco Airport.**

File No. 8532, Resolution No. 11949 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Rejecting Bid of St. Mary's Square Garage Corporation for Construction of St. Mary's Square Underground Garage, and Authorizing and Directing Refund of Deposit of \$25,000.**

File No. 8535, Resolution No. 11950 (Series of 1939).

(Bid was found to be conditional and ruled invalid by City Attorney.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Authorizing Acquisition, by Eminent Domain Proceedings, of Certain Easements Located in San Mateo County, Millbrae to Baden, Required for the Sunset Supply Line.**

File No. 8544, Resolution No. 11951 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Authorizing Purchase of Easement Over Block 2901-A, Near O'Shaughnessy Boulevard, from Eric Dahlberg and Sons, for \$500, Required for Water Department Pipe Line.**

File No. 8552, Resolution No. 11952 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Waiving Statute of Limitation, and Authorizing Payment of Warrant to J. Halko in Sum of \$75.20.**

File No. 8563, Resolution No. 11953 (Series of 1939).

(Warrant was not presented in time for payment.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Waiving Statute of Limitation, and Authorizing Payment of Warrant to Bertram J. Keelen in Sum of \$75.**

File No. 8564, Resolution No. 11954 (Series of 1939).

(Due to illness and inadvertence, warrant was not presented for payment.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Passage for Second Reading.**

**Appropriating \$3,300, Water Department, for Wages, Pensions and Retirement Allowance for Serviceman and Serviceman's Assistant Required for Standby Service.**

File No. 8507, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Amending the Membership Ordinance by Adding Section 1.32 Thereto, Authorizing the Achenbach Foundation for Graphic Arts to Acquire Membership in Various Organizations.**

File No. 8546, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(American Institute of Graphic Arts;  
International Graphic Arts Society, Inc.;  
National Serigraph Society;  
Print Club of Albany;  
Print Club of Cleveland;  
Print Makers Society of California;  
Society of American Graphic Artists.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Appropriating \$209,000, Public Works, from Special Road Improvement Fund, for Work Outside of Track Area on Various Track Removal Projects.**

File No. 8551, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(Broadway, Powell to The Embarcadero; and  
The Embarcadero, Broadway to Jackson . . . . . \$ 90,000  
Fourteenth Street, Mission to Valencia . . . . . 9,000  
Ellis Street, Market to Divisadero . . . . . 110,000)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

#### Final Passage.

**Appropriating \$200, Log Cabin Ranch School, for Purchase of Butane Booster Water Heater; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 8550, Ordinance No. 7152 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Passed for Second Reading as Amended.**

The following measure from Finance Committee, with recommendation "do pass" after amendment, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Gallagher, Arnold, Christopher.

*(Supervisor Christopher dissenting.)*

**Appropriating \$1,500, Police, for Overtime Allowance.**

File No. 8476, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(Proposed amendment is as follows: Reduce appropriation of \$1,500 to \$950, and correct amount in title to reflect change.)

#### Amendment Adopted.

Supervisor Gallagher moved adoption of the foregoing amendment. Motion seconded by Supervisor Arnold, and carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Statement by Supervisor Christopher.**

Supervisor Christopher stated that his "aye" vote on the amendment was predicated on the belief that he did not consider the overtime requested by the Police Department an important item in itself, but that the general subject of overtime must be seriously considered by the Board and that he was amazed at the amount of overtime which has been paid by the city, particularly in certain isolated cases.

Supervisor Gallagher stated that he is, and intends to continue to be careful in his scrutiny of requests for overtime allowances.

The roll was thereupon called and the foregoing measure, as amended, was *passed for second reading*, by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

No: Supervisor Christopher—1.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

**Adopted.**

The following recommendations of Streets Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, McMurray, Sullivan.

**Declaring Intention to Order Vacation of Certain Portions of Ripley Street and Peralta Avenue.**

File No. 5050-1, Resolution No. 11928 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, Sullivan—2.

**Ordering Vacation of Portions of Griffith Street and Hollister Avenue, Required for School Project No. 10.**

File No. 5928-2, Resolution No. 11929 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, Sullivan—2.

**Declaring Intention to Order Vacation of Portion of Baldwin Court.**

File No. 7925-1, Resolution No. 11940 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, Sullivan—2.

**Ordering Vacation of Portion of Ramsell Street North of Sargent Street, Required for School Project No. 59.**

File No. 8294-2, Resolution No. 11942 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead—10.

Absent: Supervisor Sullivan—1.

**Granting Revocable Permission to Dr. and Mrs. Joseph G. Hamilton to Reconstruct Portion of Existing Walk and Steps, and Construct a Stairway With Railings and Walls in Sidewalk Area on South Side of Filbert Street, Between Points Approximately 180 and 199 Feet Westerly from Leavenworth Street.**

File No. 8484, Resolution No. 11943 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Approving Map of Postel Heights Subdivision.**

File No. 8486, Resolution No. 11944 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead—10.

Absent: Supervisor Sullivan—1.

**Passage for Second Reading.**

**Changing or Modifying the Official Grade on Dartmouth Street Between Woolsey and Dwight Streets.**

File No. 8315, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors McMurray, Sullivan—2.

**Accepting Roadways and Curbs of Portions of Bowdoin, Carver and Goettingen Streets, and the Crossing of Burnham and Twenty-fifth Streets.**

File No. 8437, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead—10.

Absent: Supervisor Sullivan—1.

**Ordering the Improvement of Portions of Burnham Street Between Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth Streets and Extending City Aid in Approximate Amount of \$3,200.**

File No. 8466, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead—10.

Absent: Supervisor Sullivan—1.

**Accepting the Roadways and Curbs of Portions of Burnham, Carver, Dwight and Wayland Streets, and Certain Crossings.**

File No. 8482, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead—10.

Absent: Supervisor Sullivan—1.

Accepting the Roadway and Curbs of Kirkham Street Between Fifth and Seventh Avenues, and the Crossings of Kirkham Street at Fifth and Sixth Avenues.

File No. 8490, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Fendon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead—10.

Absent: Supervisor Sullivan—1.

Accepting the Roadways and Curbs of Portions of Bright and Shields Streets and Shafter Avenue and Certain Crossings.

File No. 8522, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Fendon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead—10.

Absent: Supervisor Sullivan—1.

**Protests Overruled—Referred to Department of Public Works**

The following measure from Streets Committee, with recommendation that protests be overruled, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, McMurray, Sullivan.

Hearing of Appeal in Connection With the Improvement of Portions of Brussels Street Between Mansell and Ordway Streets.

File No. 6626

(The Board of Supervisors at its meeting on Monday, December 24, 1951, received protests in connection with the foregoing improvement, and the matter was subsequently referred to committee for further study and action. The committee now recommends that the protests be overruled.)

Supervisor Arnold moved, seconded by Supervisor Lewis, that the protests received be overruled and the matter referred to the Department of Public Works.

No objection and motion carried.

*Referred to Department of Public Works.*

## OFF-CALENDAR LEGISLATION.

**Adopted.**

The following recommendation of his Honor the Mayor was presented by the Clerk:

**Leaves of Absence**—Charles J. Foehn, Member of the Board of Education, January 21-30; Bert W. Levit, Member of the Board of Education, February 1-10; Supervisor Chester R. MacPhee, January 29-February 13, 1952, All With Permission to Leave the State.

File No. 7823, Resolution No. 11932 (Series of 1939)

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Gallagher moved the adoption of the foregoing resolution, motion seconded by Supervisor Arnold.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Fendon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF MEASURES AND COMMUNICATIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.**

**Reference to Committee.**

**Proposing Legislation to Afford Greater Protection to Property in Grading Operations and Home Construction.**

Supervisor Christopher presented:

File No. 8599, Resolution No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Public Buildings, Lands and City Planning Committee.*

**Reference to Committee.**

**Commending Local Republican Committee for Bringing the Republican National Committee to San Francisco.**

Supervisor Christopher presented:

File No. 8600, Resolution No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Referred to County, State and National Affairs Committee.*

**Suggestion for Improving Fleishhacker Pool.**

Supervisor Christopher suggested that the committee considering proposed legislation wherein the Recreation and Park Department is requested to consider the advisability of purchasing Sutro Baths properties, also consider, as an alternate course, the feasibility of covering Fleishhacker Pool, or at least a portion of it, as well as heating the pool.

*Suggestion referred to the Education, Parks and Recreation Committee.*

**Adopted.**

The following recommendation of Finance Committee was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Gallagher, Arnold, Christopher.

**Declaring Snowbound Passenger Train "City of San Francisco" a Public Emergency Affecting San Francisco; Declaring Use of Public Utilities' Manpower and Equipment for Rescue of Train's Passengers and Crew an Emergency Function; Urging Such Action and Ratifying Action Heretofore Taken for Such Purpose.**

File No. 8602, Resolution No. 11955 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Motion—Conference of Bay Area Counties.**

Supervisor Lewis suggested that this Board of Supervisors should follow the recent pattern established when it met with the San Mateo County Board of Supervisors, and that such meetings should likewise take place between this Board and the Boards of Supervisors of the various bay area counties. To accomplish his intended purpose, Supervisor Lewis moved that the President of the Board be authorized, on behalf of this Board of Supervisors, to write a letter to the Presidents of the Boards of Supervisors of Contra Costa, Alameda, Marin and Santa Clara Counties, asking if they will not sit with our Board and break bread, for the purpose of discussing mutual problems.

Courtesy second given by Supervisor Sullivan.

Supervisor Lewis concluded by suggesting that funds for the foregoing purpose be set up in the 1952-53 budget.

### Discussion.

Supervisor MacPhee expressed the belief that the fund proposed by Supervisor Lewis should not be placed in the Board's budget account but rather, if found practical, should be left in the hands of the Chief Administrative Officer. Further, closer ties with the neighboring counties should be effectuated through fuller cooperation with the League of California Cities and the County Supervisors' Association.

Supervisor Gallagher suggested that the matter be held in abeyance pending outcome of meeting of Supervisors and other officials of Contra Costa County and San Francisco to be held at the Mt. Diablo Country Club in February.

There being no objection, the foregoing motion was referred by the President to the County, State and National Affairs Committee.

### Adopted.

**Extending Time Limitation for Procurement of Critical Materials Required for Construction of Lighting System on Mission Street, Between Silver and Geneva Avenues.**

Supervisor MacPhee presented:

File No. 8601, Resolution No. 11927 (Series of 1939).

### Motion to Adopt—Objection.

Supervisor MacPhee moved the adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor Arnold. However, Supervisor Gallagher objected to its presentation on the grounds that it was presented over the head of the Clerk of the Board and without a written explanation as to the urgency for its immediate adoption.

The Clerk was sent for and he proceeded to explain that he was apprized of the measure and that he was not presuming to assume any rights of the Supervisors.

Supervisor Gallagher thereupon withdrew his objection.

The roll was thereupon called and the foregoing measure was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

### Communication—Ownership of Property Within Proposed Diamond Heights Redevelopment Area.

Supervisor MacPhee presented a communication signed by him, as a realtor, giving notice that he owns property at 276 Bemis Street, a site located within the proposed Diamond Heights Redevelopment area.

*Ordered filed.*

### Communication—Purchase of Sutro Baths Property.

Supervisor Mancuso presented a communication from Adolph Sutro, suggesting that the City purchase the Sutro Baths property.

*Referred to Education, Parks and Recreation Committee.*

### Communication—Plan to Improve Traffic Congestion on Market Street.

Supervisor Mancuso presented a communication from Glen M. Foster, in which he outlines a plan which he believes will alleviate traffic congestion on Market Street, and decrease operating costs of the Municipal Railway.

*Referred to Public Utilities Committee.*

**Special Order of Business—Parking Conditions in North Beach District.**

Supervisor Mancuso requested that the representatives of the Parking Authority be invited to attend the Board meeting next Monday at 3:00 p. m., for the purpose of acquainting the Board members with progress being made to alleviate the parking problems existing in the North Beach District.

No objection and *Clerk directed to invite the Parking Authority.*

**Motions—Budget Hearings by Finance Committee.**

Supervisor Gallagher made the following motions:

1. In connection with consideration by the Finance Committee of departmental budgets for the ensuing fiscal year, I move that the Clerk be directed to write to all department heads to the following effect:

(a) That hearings on the budget by Finance Committee will be held at night.

(b) That department heads will be expected to appear and supply information to the Finance Committee in connection with their budget request.

(c) That in connection with explanation of their departmental budget to the Finance Committee, if it is to involve any expenditure for overtime, they, the department heads, are not to bring any personnel from their respective departments to assist in presentation of the particular departmental budget, but that the Finance Committee will expect the department head himself to be in a position to provide the necessary information.

Motion seconded by Supervisor Sullivan.

**Objection.**

Supervisor Mancuso objected on the grounds that the foregoing was not a proper parliamentary motion, contending that it tied the hands of the department heads when some of them depended upon the knowledge of their subordinates.

The roll was thereupon called and the motion was *adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Noes: Supervisors Mancuso, McMurray—2.

2. I move that the Clerk be directed to advertise in the four daily newspapers notice of the times when the Finance Committee will meet for consideration of the budget, inviting taxpaying individuals or groups to attend such meetings and acquaint themselves with such requests as are made by the various department heads for appropriations within their departments for the next fiscal year.

Motion seconded by Supervisor Sullivan and *adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Motion—Referral of Salary Survey Report to Finance Committee.**

Supervisor Gallagher stated that he was in receipt of a communication from the San Francisco Labor Council, to which was attached a copy of a petition signed by various labor representatives, urging that when the Board receives the salary survey report from the Civil Service Commission, it be considered by the Board sitting as a Committee of the Whole, rather than be referred to the Finance Committee.



Supervisor MacPhee expressed the opinion that the survey should be first considered by the Finance Committee, which should hold public hearings and consult with the Civil Service Commission.

Supervisor Mancuso supported the stand taken by Supervisor MacPhee that the salary survey report should be heard in Finance Committee, claiming that he does not have the time to sit continuously as a member of the Committee of the Whole.

**Motion to Consider Salary Survey Report in Committee of the Whole.**

Supervisor Lewis thereupon moved, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, that when the recommendations from the Civil Service Commission are received by the Board of Supervisors, on February 7, 1952, they be immediately referred to the Board and that the Board then resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole, rather than refer the survey report to the Finance Committee.

*Motion lost by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Ferdon, Lewis, Sullivan—3.

Noes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Gallagher, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead—8.

**Motion to Refer Salary Survey to Finance Committee.**

Supervisor MacPhee moved, seconded by Supervisor Gallagher, that when the salary standardization survey report comes before the Board from the Civil Service Commission, that it be directly transmitted to the Finance Committee which shall hold hearings thereon.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead—9.

Noes: Supervisors Lewis, Sullivan—2.

## ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 4:10 p. m., adjourned.

JOHN R. McGRATH, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors February 11, 1952.

I, John R. McGrath, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the date hereon stated and approved as recited.

JOHN R. McGRATH,  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.







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# JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MONDAY, JANUARY 28, 1952—2:00 P. M.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, January 28, 1952, 2:00 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

## CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

Quorum present.

President Dewey Mead presiding.

Supervisor Gallagher noted present at 2:10 p.m.

Supervisor Lewis noted present at 2:12 p. m.

Supervisor MacPhee noted present at 2:05 p. m.

## Approval of Journals.

The Journals of Proceedings for January 7-8, 1952, and January 14, 1952, were considered read and approved.

## Communications.

From University of California, notice of Fourth Annual Conference on Highways and Streets, to be held in Los Angeles, February 6-8, 1952.

*Motion adopted authorizing attendance; ordered filed.*

From Recreation and Park Department, protesting proposed establishment of Redevelopment Area "C" (John McLaren Park).

*Referred to the Public Buildings, Lands and City Planning Committee.*

From Santos J. Sanchez, Department of Public Health employee, advising that he owns property located within the proposed Diamond Heights redevelopment area.

*Filed.*

## UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

### Final Passage.

The following recommendations of Finance Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Gallagher, Arnold, Christopher.

Appropriating \$10,000 from 1947 Hetch Hetchy Water Bond Fund for Office Engineering on Plans and Specifications for San Joaquin Pipe Line No. 2.

File No. 8514, Ordinance No. 7153 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Gallagher, Lewis—2.

**Authorizing Stipulation for Acceptance by City of \$700 as Accrued Rental from the United States of America for Certain Land Included Within the New Corporation Yard, and Retention by the United States of America of Leasehold Interest in Portion of Twenty-sixth Street, in District Court Action No. 23204-G.**

File No. 8517, Ordinance No. 7154 (Series of 1939).

(Leasehold interest is for term of years at annual rental of \$1.00.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Gallagher, Lewis—2.

**Authorizing Exchange of Right-of-Way Easements Between the City and County of San Francisco and Lloyd B. Ham et ux., and Payments to the City of Not in Excess of \$4,000 to Cover Actual Extra Expense of Installing Pipe Line in the Land Covered by the Easement to Be Acquired.**

File No. 8521, Ordinance No. 7155 (Series of 1939).

(Crystal Springs Pipe Line No. 2.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Gallagher, Lewis—2.

**Appropriating \$800, Treasurer, for Equipment and Overtime Allowance.**

File No. 8526, Ordinance No. 7156 (Series of 1939).

(Equipment—72-hour timeclock movement	
changed to 120 hours .....	\$300
Overtime allowance .....	500
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	\$800)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Gallagher, Lewis—2.

**Authorizing City Attorney to Stipulate for Revesting of Sewer Easements in Land Which Is Subject of Condemnation Action Entitled "United States of America vs. 94.87 Acres, Civil Action No. 25268-R."**

File No. 8527, Ordinance No. 7157 (Series of 1939).

(Agreement reached with the United States Marine Corps for revesting sewer easements located in the Islais Creek area, in the City and County of San Francisco.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Appropriating \$1,282.50, Controller, for New Position of Senior Clerk-Typist; Abolishing Position of General Clerk-Typist.**

File No. 8528-1, Ordinance No. 7158 (Series of 1939).



*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 67.3, Controller—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 8528-2, Ordinance No. 7159 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Legislation Considered Out of Order.**

**Suspension of Rules.**

Supervisor Lewis moved, in each case, seconded by Supervisor Gallagher, that the rules be suspended for the purpose of considering each of the following recommendations of Police Committee, out of order.

No objection and motion *carried*.

Present: Supervisors McMurray, Ferdon.

**Adopted.**

**Deleting Stevenson Street, Eastbound, Between New Montgomery and Second Streets, from List of One-Way Streets.**

File No. 8302-1, Resolution No. 11963 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Adding Stevenson Street, South Side, Between Second and New Montgomery Streets, to List of Streets on Which Parking Is Prohibited Between 6 P. M. and 7 A. M.**

File No. 8456, Resolution No. 11965 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Adding Stevenson Street, North Side, Between New Montgomery and Second Streets, to List of Streets on Which Stopping of Vehicles Is Prohibited at Any Time.**

File No. 8457, Resolution No. 11966 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**NEW BUSINESS.**

**Adopted.**

The following recommendations of Finance Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Gallagher, Arnold, Christopher.

**Approving Recommendations, Public Welfare Department, Relative to Categorical Aids for the Month of February; Letters Dated January 22, 1952.**

File No. 7820, Resolution No. 11956 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

Approving Supplemental Recommendations, Public Welfare Department, Relative to Categorical Aids; Letters Dated January 22, 1952.

File No. 7821, Resolution No. 11957 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

Authorizing Extension of Granting of Emergency Relief to Dependent Non-Residents for January and February; List Dated January 28, 1952.

File No. 7822, Resolution No. 11958 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

Authorizing Extension of Granting of Emergency Relief to Dependent Non-Residents for February and March; List Dated January 28, 1952.

File No. 7822, Resolution No. 11959 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

Authorizing Purchase of Lots 5 Through 9, Block 7075, and Lots 26, 32 and 33, Block 7074, for \$6,732 from City Title Insurance Company, Required for School Site No. 59.

File No. 8553, Resolution No. 11972 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Located on Arch and Sargent Streets. Unimproved. Size of each lot 25 feet by 100 feet.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

Authorizing Attendance of Two Supervising Directors, Recreation and Park Department, at Fourth Annual Conference of California Recreation Society, to Be Held in Fresno, February 19-22, 1952.

File No. 8568, Resolution No. 11973 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

Authorizing Purchase of Portions of Lot 1, Block 3529, from David M. Lerer et ux. for \$6,500, Required for the Widening of Thirteenth Street.

File No. 8569, Resolution No. 11974 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Located at intersection of Thirteenth Street with Trainor and Harrison Streets. Improvements to be removed by grantors.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Authorizing Purchase of Lot 18, Block 6179, from Marian Shute et al. for \$350, Required for School Project No. 29**

File No. 8578, Resolution No. 11977 (Series of 1939)

(In conformity with Master Plan. Located on north side of Wilde Avenue, west of Delta Street. Size: 25 feet by 100 feet. Vacant land.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Authorizing Purchase of Lots 23 and 24, Block 6163, from W. K. Prince for \$1,000, and Lot 10, Block 6164, from Rita C. Fanucchi, Administrator, for \$400, Required for School Project No. 29.**

File No. 8579, Resolution No. 11978 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Lots located on east side of Bowdoin Street, north of Harkness Avenue, and on north side of Harkness Avenue, west of Bowdoin Street. Vacant land.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Authorizing Purchase of Lot 10, Block 6163, from C. N. Douglas et ux. for \$600, Required for School Project No. 29.**

File No. 8580, Resolution No. 11979 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Located on westerly side of intersection of Hamilton and Delta Streets. Size: 126.21 feet by 72.31 feet by 105.55 feet. Vacant land.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Authorizing Purchase of Lots 8, 10, 11, 12 and 43, Block 6179, from Ray T. Burke et ux. for \$2,500, Required for School Project No. 29.**

File No. 8581, Resolution No. 11980 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Located in vicinity of Wilde Avenue and Harkness Avenue. Size: 25 feet by 100 feet. Vacant land.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Authorizing Purchase of Lots 2, 3 and 4, Block 7075, from Louise Deshler for \$2,400; Lot 31, Block 7074, and Lots 10 and 11, Block 7075, from Dorothy M. Goodrich for \$2,400, Required for School Project No. 59.**

File No. 8582, Resolution No. 11981 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Lots located on Arch Street, north of Sargent Street, and north of Shields Street. Size of each lot: 25 feet by 100 feet. Vacant land.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

Approving Return of Bid Deposit Checks to Chris Knudtsen (for Horse Meat) and to the Sunset Scavengers Company and Scavengers Protective Association (for Garbage Removal), Which Checks Were Filed With Bids Pursuant to Which the City Could Not Contract Because Bid Prices Were in Conflict With Rules of the Office of Price Stabilization.

File No. 8589, Resolution No. 11982 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

Requesting Intra-Fund Transfer, Board of Supervisors, Municipal Government Survey Advisory Committee, for Temporary Salaries.

File No. 8606

Motion: It is moved that the Clerk of the Board be and he is hereby authorized to submit to the Controller a request for an intra-fund transfer of \$450 from Appropriation No. 101.200.03, Contractual Services—Municipal Government Survey Advisory Committee, to Appropriation No. 101.120.03, Temporary Salaries—Municipal Government Survey Advisory Committee, in order to provide funds for the temporary employment of a General Clerk-Typist for approximately two months to assist in preparing various reports of the Committee for submission to the Board of Supervisors and interested departments.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

#### Passage for Second Reading.

Appropriating \$2,965, Public Works, for Extras in Excess of 10 Per Cent of Amount of Contract With Eaton and Smith for the Reconstruction of Parker Avenue Between Anza and Turk Streets.

File No. 8548, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

Supervisor Dobbs inquired into policy of city paying for extras in excess of 10 per cent of contract. The Chief Administrative Officer provided a satisfactory explanation; thereupon the roll was called and the foregoing measure was *passed for second reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

#### Consideration Temporarily Postponed.

Appropriating \$2,825, War Memorial, for Overtime Allowance.

File No. 8549, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(Overtime consumed during Japanese Peace Treaty Conference. City will be reimbursed by State Department.)

Supervisor Gallagher expressed the opinion that the money, when received from the State Department, should revert to the General Fund, rather than to the overtime allowance account of the War Memorial. Consideration was therefore temporarily postponed pending appearance of Controller Harry Ross.

*(See later action for passage to second reading.)*

#### Passage for Second Reading.

Appropriating \$1,200, District Attorney, for New Position of Senior Legal Stenographer; Abolishing Position of Law Clerk.

File No. 8556-1, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 7, District Attorney—  
A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 8556-2, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Appropriating \$32,382.57, Public Health, Central Office, for Diagnosis, Care and Treatment of Rheumatic Heart Cases.**

File No. 8559, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(City to be reimbursed by the State.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Appropriating \$15,040, Public Health, for Operation of Oncology Ward at the Laguna Honda Home.**

File No. 8570, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(City to be reimbursed by the State.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Appropriating \$17,500, Hetch Hetchy Project, for Contractual Services, Materials and Supplies, and Foodstuffs.**

File No. 8576, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

#### Amendment.

Supervisor Christopher moved, seconded by Supervisor MacPhee, that the sum of \$300, allocated for Contractual Services, and representing expense of care and storage of vehicles, be deleted, thus reducing the total appropriation from \$17,500 to \$17,200.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso—7.

**Noes:** Supervisors Arnold, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—4.

The roll was thereupon called and the foregoing measure, as amended, was passed for second reading by the following vote:

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Appropriating \$750, California Academy of Sciences, Steinhart Aquarium, for Overtime Allowance.**

File No. 8577, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

#### Re-reference to Committee.

The following recommendation of Public Buildings, Lands and City Planning Committee was taken up:

**Present:** Supervisors Mancuso, Dobbs.

Designating and Describing, Within the City and County of San Francisco, a Redevelopment Area as Defined and Pursuant to the Community Redevelopment Act of California, to Be Known as Redevelopment Area "C" (John McLaren Park).

File No. 8445, Resolution No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(Proposed boundaries generally are as follows: On the north, Brussels, Olmstead, Goettingen, Mansell, Ward Streets and Wilde Avenue; on the east, Teddy Avenue, Rutland Street, Harkness Avenue, Delta Street, Wilde and Raymond Avenues, Elliot Street, Leland Avenue, Hahn Street, Visitacion Avenue; on the south, Spreckels and Harvard Streets; on the west, Burrows, Cambridge, Amherst, Wayland, University, Dwight, Hamilton and Woolsey Streets.)

#### Motion to Re-refer to Committee.

Supervisor Mancuso moved, seconded by Supervisor Dobbs, that the foregoing measure be re-referred to committee.

#### Request of Supervisor MacPhee.

Supervisor MacPhee requested that he be furnished with a map delineating the boundaries of the proposed John McLaren Redevelopment Area.

No objection and the *Clerk* was directed to comply.

#### Statement by Supervisor Lewis.

Supervisor Lewis voiced opposition to the policy of being called upon to approve a redevelopment area when other areas had already been approved but no further action taken in connection therewith. He stated the Redevelopment Agency should first fully develop a proposed area and then proceed to have other areas approved and developed.

Thereupon the roll was called and the motion to re-refer the pending measure to committee *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

#### Refused Adoption.

The following from Public Utilities Committee was taken up:

**Disapproving Abandonment and Discontinuance of Service on Portion of Municipal Railway Bus Line No. 37, Around Block from Eighteenth and Castro Streets and Back, Via Eighteenth, Hartford, Nineteenth and Castro Streets.**

File No. 8545, Resolution No. . . . (Series of 1939).

#### Discussion.

Supervisor Ferdon stated that a group of citizens had contacted him in connection with the foregoing abandonment and that they had been given a satisfactory explanation by the Public Utilities Commission.

Mr. Charles Miller, Manager of the Municipal Railway, gave a brief explanation of the reason for the requested abandonment.

The roll was thereupon called and the foregoing measure was *refused adoption* by the following vote:

Noes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Adopted.**

The following recommendations of Police Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors McMurray, Ferdon.

**Adding Serrano Drive, Westbound, Between Varela and Cardenas Avenues to List of One-Way Streets.**

File No. 8518, Resolution No. 11968 (Series of 1939).

**Request for Adequate Data in Connection With Studies of Traffic Measures.**

Supervisor Ferdon requested that the Police Department, in the future consideration of traffic measures by the Police Committee, be asked to furnish maps and other pertinent data which would assist the members of the committee to intelligently act on them.

No objection and the Clerk was directed to comply.

Thereupon the roll was called and the foregoing measure was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Designating Northeast and Southwest Corners of Dolores and Fifteenth Streets, and Northeast Corner of Cardenas and Gonzales Avenues, as "Stop" Intersections.**

File No. 8519, Resolution No. 11969 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead—10.

Absent: Supervisor Sullivan—1.

**Adding Eighteenth Street, Between Valencia and Guerrero Streets, to List of Streets on Which Parking Is Restricted to Two Hours, Between 7 A. M. and 6 P. M., Sundays and Holidays Excepted.**

File No. 8523, Resolution No. 11970 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead—10.

Absent: Supervisor Sullivan—1.

**Designating Certain Intersections as "Stop" Intersections.**

File No. 8524, Resolution No. 11971 (Series of 1939).

(Parker Avenue and Turk Street, northeast and southwest corners;

Masonic Avenue and Page Street, northeast and southwest corners;

Cayuga and Ocean Avenues, northeast corner;

Baker and Haight Streets, northwest corner;

Buena Vista Avenue (east) and Haight Street, southeast corner;

Powell and Washington Streets, southeast corner.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead—10.

Absent: Supervisor Sullivan—1.

**Approving Angle Parking on East Side of the Approach to the Municipal Pier at Foot of Van Ness Avenue.**

File No. 8455, Resolution No. 11964 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead—10.

Absent: Supervisor Sullivan—1.

**Designating Certain Intersections as "Stop" Intersections.**

File No. 8462, Resolution No. 11967 (Series of 1939).

(Stevenson and New Montgomery Streets, northeast corner;

Agnon and Crescent Avenues, southeast corner;

Anza Street and Parker Avenue, southeast corner;

Folsom Street and Precita Avenue, northwest and southeast corners;

Byxbee and Garfield Streets, northeast and southeast corners.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead—10.

Absent: Supervisor Sullivan—1.

**Prohibiting Left or Right-Hand Turns from Mission Street into Randall Street Between 4:30 P. M. and 6:30 P. M., Sundays and Holidays Excepted.**

File No. 8573, Resolution No. 11975 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead—10.

Absent: Supervisor Sullivan—1.

**Designating Certain Intersections as "Stop" Intersections.**

File No. 8574, Resolution No. 11976 (Series of 1939).

(Hayes Street and Masonic Avenue, northeast and southwest corners;

Evans Avenue and Phelps Street, northwest corner.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead—10.

Absent: Supervisor Sullivan—1.

**Adding Portion of California Street to, and Deleting Portion of Said Street from, List of Streets on Which Parking Is Restricted to Two Hours During Specified Hours, Sundays and Holidays Excepted.**

File No. 8619, Resolution No. 11983 (Series of 1939).

(Add:

California Street, north side, between Powell and Taylor Streets, 7 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Delete:

California Street, north side, between Powell and Taylor Streets, 7 a. m. to 6 p. m.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead—10.

Absent: Supervisor Sullivan—1.

**Reference to Committee.**

The following emergency measure, appearing on the supplemental calendar, was taken up:



**Appropriating \$35,000, Sheriff's Office, from Emergency Reserve Fund (Appropriation No. 102,900.00) for Overtime, Contractual Services, and Materials and Supplies; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 8620, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

Supervisor Gallagher moved, seconded by Supervisor Arnold, that the foregoing measure be referred to the Finance Committee.

No objection and motion carried.

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

#### **Request for Detailed Explanation of Appropriation Items.**

Supervisor Mancuso requested that the Clerk, in the preparation of the Board calendar, list those items which comprise such accounts as Contractual Services, materials and supplies, and others.

No objection and the Clerk *was directed to comply.*

**Resumption of Consideration of File No. 8549, Appropriating \$2,825, War Memorial, for Overtime Allowance.**

Resumption of consideration of the foregoing measure was taken up, and there being no objection, it was *passed for second reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

#### **SPECIAL ORDER—3:00 P. M.**

Hearing from representatives of the Parking Authority concerning progress made in alleviating parking problems existing in the North Beach District.

#### **Privilege of the Floor.**

There being no objection, Supervisor Mancuso called upon Vining T. Fisher, General Manager of the Parking Authority, for a statement concerning present status of the matter relating to parking in the North Beach area.

Mr. Fisher: This matter began in April of 1951. We had a number of meetings with representatives of the Merchants' and Boosters' Clubs of North Beach and this led to a request for an appropriation of funds for a parking study in that area. The Finance Committee heard the matter on September 26, 1951, and on October 17, 1951, it recommended its passage. The Board approved it and the Mayor signed the measure on November 9, 1951. On November 16, 1951, a request was made of the Chief Administrative Officer that a study be made by the Engineering Bureau, in the sum of \$500. We are advised verbally that the Bureau of Engineering has commenced the study and anticipates it can complete it within a period of from four to six months.

#### **Request of Supervisor Mancuso.**

Supervisor Mancuso asked Mr. Fisher if his Authority would not check the parking problems existing on Price Row and Jasper Place in the North Beach area.

No official Board action taken in connection with the above request.

#### **Motion.**

Supervisor Mancuso moved, seconded by Supervisor Christopher, that the Clerk of the Board be authorized to ask the Bureau of Engineering to inform the Board of Supervisors with respect to the necessity of requiring from four to six months' time to make an investigation of the parking problems existing in the North Beach District.

No objection and Clerk *was directed to comply.*

### Discussion.

Supervisor Christopher complained of the interminable delays attached to many of the projects under consideration by the Parking Authority, and that too much time was devoted to the conduct of investigations and surveys which probably could be eliminated.

Mr. Fisher replied by stating that he could not account for events during the period between 1947-49, since the Parking Authority did not come into being until the latter part of 1949. The Parking Authority is attempting to conserve a goodly portion of the bond money by interesting private capital in its projects. With respect to the St. Mary's Square Underground Garage, it would have been possible to obtain private financing for the project were it not for the opposition of the Western Banking Voluntary Restraint Credit Committee which claimed that to use private funds would further inflationary tendencies. Mr. Fisher went on to explain that practically all real properties have been purchased with respect to the Mission Street-Bartlett Street Parking Lot and that the buildings are expected to be removed in the near future. Then would come the matter of rezoning the area to commercial use; this probably will be done around the middle of the year.

Mr. Fisher emphasized that the Parking Authority, likewise, is very anxious to dispense with all red tape.

Thereupon, the Chairman declared the hearing concluded.

### Discussion Relating to Subsidization of Municipal Railway.

Supervisor MacPhee inquired of Mr. Charles Miller, Manager of the Municipal Railway, if the Railway expected to be subsidized in the new budget to the tune of some two millions of dollars, to which Mr. Miller replied that increases in salaries, contractual services, telephone, stationery, etc., were responsible for an anticipated increase of \$1,400,000.

Supervisor Mancuso: Have the members of the Public Utilities Commission given any consideration to Section 130 of the Charter, which provides a method for meeting the operating costs of the Railway?

Mr. Miller: I cannot speak for the Public Utilities Commission.

### Fixing of Special Order.

Supervisor Mancuso requested that the Board fix a Special Order for next Monday, February 4, 1952, 3:00 p. m., at which time the representatives of the Public Utilities Commission will inform the Board as to what is being done by them to comply with the provisions of Section 130 of the Charter insofar as providing funds for the operation of the Municipal Railway is concerned.

No objection and *Clerk was directed to comply.*

(See later action under Roll Call, for change of date from February 4 to 11.)

### Request for Legal Opinion.

Supervisor Mancuso requested that the Clerk obtain a written opinion from the City Attorney as to whether the provisions of Section 130 are mandatory or permissive.

No objection and *Clerk was directed to comply.*

### Discussion.

Supervisor MacPhee: Mr. Miller, have you made any recommendations with respect to this matter of a possible tax subsidy?

Mr. Miller: Wages have gone up, claims have gone up—

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Supervisor MacPhee: Can you reduce the two-month subsidy?

Mr. Miller: I do not want to make any recommendations at the present time.

Supervisor MacPhee: Do you recommend the same effect for the employees of the Municipal Railway?

Mr. Miller: That is a function of the Public Utilities. I haven't given it any thought.

Supervisor MacPhee: I cannot understand why the Public Utilities should be given two pensions instead of one now being given to other city employees.

Supervisor Lewis: Mr. Miller, has the zone-fare system been given any consideration?

Mr. Miller: None at the present time.

Supervisor Mancuso then proceeded to question Mr. Miller. Further, whereupon Supervisor Arnold objected.

The President thereupon ruled all further discussion off limits and reminded the Board that it had previously in the meeting passed a special order specifically for the purpose.

## ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF MEASURES AND COMMUNICATIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

### Announcement of Committee Meeting.

Supervisor Arnold announced a meeting of the Joint Streets and Public Buildings, Lands and City Planning Committee for Thursday, February 14, at 2:00 p. m., to discuss the subject of a second Bay crossing.

### Request for Delivery of Calendar.

Supervisor Christopher requested that in the future a copy of the Calendar of Proceedings be sent to his office rather than to his home.

No objection and the Clerk was directed to comply.

### Communication Referred to Committee.

Supervisor Christopher presented a copy of a letter addressed to the Manager of Utilities, and written under his signature, in which he made recommendations that in the interest of economy, wooden safety islands be constructed in those areas where double exits existed as to their permanency.

*Referred to the Finance Committee.*

### Reference to Committee.

### Requesting Investigation Looking to Enactment of Legislation Restricting Dangerous "Hot-Rods."

Supervisor Christopher presented:

File No. 8625, Resolution No. (Series of 1939)

*Referred to Police Committee.*

### Payment for Erecting U.S.S. San Francisco Memorial.

Supervisor Gallagher presented correspondence dealing with a bill in the sum of \$366.68 still owing to contractors for the erection of the U. S. S. San Francisco Memorial and stated that it was incumbent upon either the Board of Supervisors or the Recreation and Park Department to pay the amount.

Supervisor Gallagher accordingly moved that the sum of \$366.68 be appropriated from funds under the jurisdiction of the Board of Supervisors, or take such action as will lead to the inclusion of the subject amount in the 1952-53 budget.

Supervisor Mancuso objected, stating that the motion was not a proper one, as certification of funds must of necessity be first obtained from the Controller.

The President thereupon *referred the matter to the Finance Committee.*

#### **Communication Referred to Finance Committee.**

Supervisor Gallagher presented a copy of a letter addressed to W. L. Henderson, Executive Secretary of the Civil Service Commission, from Francis McCarty, attorney-at-law, in which Mr. McCarty points out discrepancies in a statement made by Mr. Henderson regarding overtime payments to certain employees of the San Francisco Hospital.

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

#### **Adopted.**

#### **Commending Dr. J. C. Geiger.**

Jointly presented by all members of the Board:

File No. 8626, Resolution No. 11984 (Series of 1939).

#### **Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Lewis moved the adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor Christopher.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

#### **Statement Concerning Dinner Testimonial for Dr. Geiger.**

Supervisor Lewis felt that it would be a grand gesture for the Board to sponsor a testimonial dinner for Dr. Geiger and suggested that the Board caucus on the matter.

Supervisor Ferdon, however, called Supervisor Lewis' attention to the fact that it had been reported in the press that the doctor did not want any such dinner in his honor, and suggested that Supervisor Lewis contact Dr. Geiger to ascertain the correctness of such statements.

#### **Statement Concerning Study of Utility Budgets.**

Supervisor MacPhee informed the Board that he intended to give cautious study to the operating budgets of utilities.

#### **Reference to Committee.**

#### **Charter Amendment—Section 174.1, Relating to the Filing of Statements of Campaign Receipts and Expenditures in Municipal Elections.**

Supervisor MacPhee presented:

File No. 8627

*Referred to Judiciary Committee.*

#### **Questions Concerning Operation of Municipal Railway.**

Supervisor Mancuso: Mr. Miller, in view of the present operating budget of the Municipal Railway, have you made any recommendations as to the adjustment of rate schedules?

Mr. Miller, Manager of the Municipal Railway: No, sir.

Supervisor Mancuso: Have you checked with Section 4 of the Charter?

Mr. Miller: No, sir.

Supervisor Mancuso: Do you have any opinion if Section 4 applies to you or to the Public Utilities Commission?

Mr. Miller: No, sir.

Adopted.

In Memoriam—Fred L. Atzeroth.

Supervisor Mancuso presented:

File No. 7824, Resolution No. 11962 (Series of 1939).

Motion to Adopt.

Supervisor Mancuso moved adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor Gallagher.

*Unanimously adopted by rising vote.*

Adopted.

In Memoriam—Mrs. Henrietta D. Graybiel.

Supervisor Mancuso presented:

File No. 7824, Resolution No. 11961 (Series of 1939).

Motion to Adopt.

Supervisor Mancuso moved the adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor Sullivan.

*Unanimously adopted by rising vote.*

Announcement of Committee Meeting.

Supervisor Mancuso announced a meeting of the Public Building, Lands and City Planning Committee for Tuesday, February 5, 1962, at 3:00 p. m., to consider legislation relating to the acquisition of Angel Island for recreational purposes.

Statement Concerning Municipal Railway's Operating Budget.

Supervisor Mancuso: I am going to take the position of not voting for any budget that includes three million dollars tax subsidy until such time as the Public Utilities Commission gives consideration to adjustment of rates to make the Municipal Railway self-supporting.

Adopted.

In Memoriam—Richard I. Rader.

Supervisor Arnold presented:

File No. 7824, Resolution No. 11960 (Series of 1939).

Motion to Adopt.

Supervisor Arnold moved the adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor Sullivan.

*Unanimously adopted by rising vote.*

Adopted.

In Memoriam—Mrs. Margaret L. Chase.

Supervisor Gallagher presented:

File No. 7824, Resolution No. 11985 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Gallagher moved adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor MacPhee.

*Unanimously adopted by rising vote.*

**Fixing of Special Order.**

Supervisor Christopher requested that the date of Monday, February 4, 1952, 3:00 p. m., set earlier in the meeting as a Special Order, at which time the Board was to hear from representatives of the Public Utilities Commission with respect to compliance with the provisions of Section 130 of the Charter relating to budgeted operating costs of the Municipal Railway, be changed to Monday, February 11, 1952, at 3:00 p. m.

No objection and so *ordered*.

**Authority for Attendance at Street and Highway Conference in Los Angeles February 6-8, 1952.**

Supervisor Gallagher moved, seconded by Supervisor Arnold, that the President authorize the attendance of the members of the Streets Committee and any other member of the Board at the Fourth Annual California Street and Highway Conference to be held in Los Angeles during period February 6-8, 1952.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

**ADJOURNMENT.**

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 4:20 p. m., adjourned.

JOHN R. McGRATH, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors February 11, 1952.

I, John R. McGrath, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the date hereon stated and approved as recited.

JOHN R. McGRATH,  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.







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# JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 1952—2:00 P. M.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, February 4, 1952, 2:00 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

## CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Mead, Sullivan—6.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray—5.

Quorum present.

President Dewey Mead presiding.

Supervisors Christopher and MacPhee on authorized leaves.

Supervisor Lewis noted present at 2:25 p. m.

Supervisor Mancuso noted present at 2:23 p. m.

Supervisor McMurray noted present at 2:15 p. m.

## Communications.

From Frank R. Ford, expressing appreciation of receipt of resolution adopted by Board, welcoming him as the new Editor of the San Francisco News.

*Ordered filed.*

From Supervisor Gallagher, written message to the effect that the West of Twin Peaks Central Council is in favor of the extension of the city's use tax.

*Ordinance extending time, passed for second reading; message ordered filed.*

## Reference to Committee.

The Clerk read a communication from Ray W. Taylor in which opposition was expressed to the closing of the crosswalk at the intersection of Forty-fourth Avenue and Sloat Boulevard.

## Privilege of the Floor.

At the request of Supervisor Ferdon, and there being no objection, the privilege of the floor was accorded Mr. Taylor.

Mr. Taylor informed the Board that he is the owner of the property located on the northeast corner of Sloat Boulevard and Forty-fourth Avenue and that gasoline stations in that area had some fifty thousand dollars invested. Such investment, he said, would be seriously jeopardized if the crossover obstruction were permitted to remain.

There being no objection, consideration of the foregoing matter was temporarily postponed pending appearance of Sherman P. Duckel, Director of the Department of Public Works.

## UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

## Final Passage.

The following recommendations of Finance Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Gallagher, Arnold, Christopher.

**Appropriating \$3,300, Water Department, for Wages, Pensions and Retirement Allowance for Serviceman and Serviceman's Assistant Required for Standby Service.**

File No. 8507, Ordinance No. 7166 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Amending the Membership Ordinance by Adding Section 1.32 Thereto, Authorizing the Achenbach Foundation for Graphic Arts to Acquire Membership in Various Organizations.**

File No. 8546, Ordinance No. 7168 (Series of 1939).

(American Institute of Graphic Arts;  
International Graphic Arts Society, Inc.;  
National Serigraph Society;  
Print Club of Albany;  
Print Club of Cleveland;  
Print Makers Society of California;  
Society of American Graphic Artists.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Appropriating \$209,000, Public Works, from Special Road Improvement Fund for Work Outside of Track Area on Various Track Removal Projects.**

File No. 8551, Ordinance No. 7169 (Series of 1939).

(Broadway, Powell to The Embarcadero; and  
The Embarcadero, Broadway to Jackson ..... \$ 90,000  
Fourteenth Street, Mission to Valencia ..... 9,000  
Ellis Street, Market to Divisadero .. 110,000)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

*(Supervisor Christopher dissenting.)*

**Appropriating \$950, Police, for Overtime Allowance.**

File No. 8476, Ordinance No. 7163 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Final Passage.**

The following recommendations of Streets Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, McMurray, Sullivan.

**Changing or Modifying the Official Grades on Dartmouth Street Between Woolsey and Dwight Streets.**

File No. 8315, Ordinance No. 7160 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Accepting Roadways and Curbs of Portions of Bowdoin, Carver and Goettingen Streets, and the Crossing of Burnham and Twenty-fifth Streets.**

File No. 8437, Ordinance No. 7161 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Ordering the Improvement of Portions of Burnham Street Between Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth Streets and Extending City Aid in Approximate Amount of \$3,200.**

File No. 8466, Ordinance No. 7162 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Accepting the Roadways and Curbs of Portions of Burnham, Carver, Dwight and Wayland Streets, and Certain Crossings.**

File No. 8482, Ordinance No. 7164 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Accepting the Roadway and Curbs of Kirkham Street Between Fifth and Seventh Avenues, and the Crossings of Kirkham Street at Fifth and Sixth Avenues.**

File No. 8490, Ordinance No. 7165 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Accepting the Roadways and Curbs of Portions of Bright and Shields Streets and Shafter Avenue, and Certain Crossings.**

File No. 8522, Ordinance No. 7167 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**NEW BUSINESS.****Schedule Approved.**

The following measure from the Clerk was taken up:

**Approval of Schedule for Meetings to Be Held in Connection With Salary Standardization Ordinance.**

File No. 7846

Supervisor Gallagher moved, seconded by Supervisor Arnold, that the schedule as proposed hereinabove, be approved.

No objection and motion *carried*.

**Resumption of Consideration of Communication Relating to Obstruction of Crossover at the Intersection of Forty-fourth Avenue and Sloat Boulevard.**

Mr. Sherman P. Duckel, Director of the Department of Public Works, informed the Board that the obstruction proposed to be placed at the intersection of Forty-fourth Avenue and Sloat Boulevard was the result of a decision reached between his department and the Police Department, and that Mr. Taylor's complaint was the first of its kind that he had heard of.

Mr. Taylor was accorded the privilege of responding, and he suggested that the work of actually closing the crossover be delayed pending further investigation. He claimed that the crossover had been used for over 17 years and to obstruct it would seriously endanger the investment made by the Texaco people in that area.

Mr. Duckel stated that the plan to block the crossover would prove a greater convenience to many people. In fact, Mr. Duckel believed that more business than normal would be attracted by the proposed new arrangement.

**Motion to Refer.**

Supervisor Ferdon thereupon moved that the matter be referred to the Streets Committee for further investigation. Motion seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, and *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

*Referred to Streets Committee.*

**Announcement of Committee Meeting.**

Supervisor Arnold announced that the Streets Committee would meet on Wednesday, February 6, 1952, at 1:30 p. m. to consider the foregoing matter.

**Query Relating to Time Required for Investigation of Parking Conditions in North Beach Area.**

There being no objection, Supervisor Mancuso asked Mr. Duckel, Director of the Department of Public Works, why it had been reported that it would take his Bureau of Engineering a period of between four to six months to conduct a study of parking conditions in the North Beach Area.

Mr. Duckel informed the Supervisor that his department had been asked by the Parking Authority to conduct such a study but that such request would have to take its turn with respect to priority of action as other commitments must first be fulfilled, which would entail several months; however, once the study got under way, it would not take more than 30 days to complete it, and, further, if it proves to be possible, the North Beach project would be moved up on the priority list.

*No action taken.*

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**Reference to Finance Committee.**

There being no objection, Supervisor Gallagher presented a communication, addressed to him, from the Parking Authority, advising him of its intention to seek an appropriation for the preparation of plans and specifications and working drawings required for construction bids for the St. Mary's Square Underground Garage.

Supervisor Gallagher asked Mr. Duckel if his department could undertake the aforementioned work of preparing plans. Mr. Duckel first asked the Controller, who was present, if general obligation bonds were involved, and when assured that such was the case, replied that his Department would undoubtedly recommend to the Chief Administrative Officer and the Parking Authority that structural engineers be employed to design the building when funds were made available for such purpose by the Board of Supervisors.

*Communication referred to Finance Committee.*

**Adopted.**

The following recommendations of Finance Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Gallagher, Arnold, Christopher,

Approving Supplemental Recommendations, Public Welfare Department, Relative to Categorical Aids; Letters Dated January 29, 1952.

File No. 7821, Resolution No. 11936 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, McCusco, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

Authorizing Granting of Extension of Emergency Relief to Dependent Non-Residents for February and March; List Dated February 4, 1952.

File No. 7822, Resolution No. 11987 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, McCusco, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

Authorizing Release of Lien Against Real Property, Recorded by the Public Welfare Department, for Aid Extended to Juliette Grueter.

File No. 7397, Resolution No. 11939 (Series of 1939).

(Full payment of \$62.73 made.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, McCusco, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

Authorizing Release of Lien Against Real Property, Recorded by the Public Welfare Department, for Aid Extended to Annie Gieger Fortin.

File No. 7897, Resolution No. 11990 (Series of 1939).

(Full payment of \$25.48 made.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, McCusco, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Authorizing Cancellation of Taxes, Assessments, Penalties and Tax Sales on City-Owned Property.**

File No. 8608, Resolution No. 11992 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Passage for Second Reading.**

**Appropriating \$1,485, Sheriff, for New Position of Law Clerk; Abolishing Position of General Clerk-Typist.**

File No. 8547-1, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 9. Sheriff—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 8547-2, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Repealing Section 71 of Ordinance No. 4537 (Series of 1939) (Purchase and Use Tax Ordinance), Which Provides an Effective Date and Limits the Period During Which Such Ordinance Shall Remain in Effect.**

File No. 8561, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Appropriating \$1,865, Water Department, for Retroactive Wages and Pensions, for Holiday, Overtime and Premium Pay Due Nine Laborers and Two Compressor Operators, in Accordance With Court Order.**

File No. 8604, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Appropriating \$18,522, Municipal Railway, for Retroactive Wages and Pensions for Holiday and Premium Pay Due Garagemen, in Accordance With Court Order.**

File No. 8605, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.



**Appropriating \$1,400, Retirement System, for New Position of Junior Actuary; Abolishing Position of Head Clerk.**

File No. 8615-1, Ordinance No. . . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 85, Retirement System—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 8615-2, Ordinance No. . . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Appropriating \$45,000, Public Welfare, for Temporary Salaries.**

File No. 8616, Ordinance No. . . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Final Passage.****Appropriating \$35,000, Sheriff, from Emergency Reserve Fund, for Overtime, Contractual Services, Materials and Supplies; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 8620, Ordinance No. 7170 (Series of 1939).

(Allowance for Overtime . . . . .)	\$5,500
Materials and Supplies—Administrative . . . . .	900
Materials and Supplies—County Jail No. 1 . . . . .	900
Materials and Supplies—County Jail No. 2 . . . . .	1,000
Foodstuffs—County Jail No. 1 . . . . .	1,000
Foodstuffs—County Jail No. 2 . . . . .	2,500
Maintenance and Repair—Auto Equipment—	
Administrative . . . . .	600
Maintenance and Repair—Auto Equipment—	
County Jail No. 2 . . . . .	750
Drygoods and Wearing Apparel—County Jail No. 1 . . . . .	250
Drygoods and Wearing Apparel—County Jail No. 2 . . . . .	3,600
Canned Goods and Fruits—County Jail No. 1 . . . . .	1,500
Canned Goods and Dried Fruits—County Jail No. 2 . . . . .	2,500
Meat Shop—County Jail No. 1 . . . . .	3,000
Meat Shop—County Jail No. 2 . . . . .	8,000
Electricity and Gas . . . . .	3,000)

Mr. William F. Hollingbery, Undersheriff, answered questions asked by various Supervisors.

The roll was thereupon called and the foregoing measure was finally passed by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Passed for Second Reading as Amended.**

The following measures from Finance Committee, with recommendation "do pass" after amendment, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Gallagher, Arnold, Christopher.

**Appropriating \$15,250, Recreation and Park, from Unappropriated Balance of 1947 Recreation Bond Fund, for Development and Improvement of Recreational Areas and Playgrounds.**

File No. 8508, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(Proposed amendments are as follows:

Reduce item for Plans and Specifications from \$14,225 to \$7,525.

Delete the item of \$1,025 for Equipment.

The appropriation, as amended, represents the estimated cost of plans and specifications for construction in connection with which no NPA approval is required.)

#### Amendments.

Supervisor Gallagher moved, seconded by Supervisor Arnold, that the sum of \$14,225, allocated for plans and specifications, be reduced to \$7,525.

Motion *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

Supervisor Gallagher moved, seconded by Supervisor Arnold, that the sum of \$1,025, allocated for Equipment, be deleted.

Motion *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—8.

No: Supervisor Mead—1.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

Thereupon the roll was called and the foregoing measure, as amended, was *passed for second reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Appropriating \$2,640, Recreation and Park, for Three New Positions of Janitor: Abolishing Two Positions of Janitress.**

File No. 8575-1, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(Proposed amendment is as follows:

Reduce appropriation of \$2,640 to \$880 to provide funds for one new position of Janitor instead of three.)

#### Amendment.

Supervisor Gallagher moved, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, that the total appropriation of \$2,640 be reduced to \$880 to provide for the compensation of one new position of Janitor instead of three as requested hereinabove.

Motion *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray—7.

Noes: Supervisors Mead, Sullivan—2.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

Thereupon the roll was called and the foregoing measure, as amended, was *passed for second reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

### Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 14.1, Recreation and Park—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.

File No. 8575-2, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Proposed amendment is as follows:

Increase number of positions of C104 Janitor under Item. 13 from 29 to 30, instead of from 29 to 32.)

#### Amendment.

Supervisor Gallagher moved, seconded by Supervisor MacPhee, that the foregoing amendment be adopted.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—8.

No: Supervisor Mead—1.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

Thereupon the roll was called and the foregoing measure, as amended, was passed for second reading by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

#### Adopted.

The following recommendations of Streets Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, McMurray, Sullivan.

### Declaring Intention to Order the Vacation of Portion of Thirteenth Street Westerly from Harrison Street.

File No. 8534-1, Resolution No. 11991 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

#### Passage for Second Reading.

### Changing or Modifying the Official Grades on Parker Avenue Between Turk and Anza Streets in Accordance With Grade Map.

File No. 8184-2, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

### Ordering the Improvement of Portions of Peralta Avenue Between Mayflower Street and Powhattan Avenue, and Extending City Aid in Approximate Amount of \$800.

File No. 8609, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Granting Revocable Permit to the Southern Pacific Company to Construct, Maintain and Operate a Spur Track in and Along Hawthorne Street Between Folsom and Harrison Streets.**

File No. 8618, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

#### Reference to Committee.

The following emergency measure, appearing on the supplemental calendar, was taken up:

**Requesting the Mayor to Exercise the Emergency Powers Vested in Him Pursuant to the Provisions of Section 25 of the Charter to the End That He May Enter into Leases and Rental Agreements With the Government of the United States for the Use and Occupancy of Portions of Real Property and Buildings Under the Jurisdiction of the Recreation and Park Commission; an Emergency Ordinance.**

File No. 8638, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

#### Communication.

The Clerk read a communication from the Recreation and Park Department, explaining the purpose of the foregoing measure.

#### Motion to Refer.

Supervisor Gallagher moved, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, that the foregoing measure be referred to the Education, Parks and Recreation Committee.

No objection and motion *carried*.

*Referred to Education, Parks and Recreation Committee.*

### OFF-CALENDAR LEGISLATION.

#### Adopted.

The following recommendation of his Honor the Mayor was presented by the Clerk:

**Leaves of Absence—Charles T. McDonough, Civil Service Commission, February 12-March 1; Harry J. Stewart, Member of Retirement Board, February 6-10; Harold L. Zellerbach, President of Art Commission, February 16-April 3, 1952, All With Permission to Leave the State.**

File No. 7823, Resolution No. 11988 (Series of 1939).

#### Motion to Adopt.

Supervisor Gallagher moved the adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor Arnold.

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

#### Dinner Meeting With San Mateo County Board of Supervisors.

Supervisor Sullivan moved, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, that the Clerk of the Board be instructed to remind the Board members of the dinner engagement with the San Mateo County Board of

Supervisors scheduled for 6:30 p. m., Monday, February 11, 1952, in the Empire Room of the Fairmont Hotel.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Supervisor Gallagher Excused.**

Supervisor Gallagher asked that he be excused from attendance at the dinner due to prior commitment.

No objection and *Supervisor Gallagher excused.*

Supervisor Ferdon stated that he would be late due to business commitments but that he would probably be on hand around 8 p. m.

**ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF MEASURES AND COMMUNICATIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.**

**Adopted.**

Congratulating Roger Wolin Dobbs, Newly-Born Son of Supervisor and Mrs. Harold S. Dobbs.

Supervisor Ferdon presented:

File No. 8646, Resolution No. 11995 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Ferdon moved adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor Sullivan.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Announcement of Finance Committee Meetings.**

Supervisor Gallagher, Chairman of the Finance Committee, announced that hereafter the Finance Committee would meet on Wednesdays at the hour of 4:00 p. m.

**Request of Supervisor Lewis That Military Authorities Not Proceed With Construction of Low-Cost Housing on Surplus Lands in Presidio.**

Supervisor Lewis requested that the Board memorialize the proper Federal authorities to refrain from constructing civilian low-cost housing on surplus lands in the Presidio adjoining Sea Cliff, and that they be again apprized of the city's desire to have such surplus lands revert to the city to be used for residential purposes.

*Referred to County, State and National Affairs Committee.*

**Adopted.**

In Memoriam—A. W. Noon, Member of the Board of Supervisors of Kern County.

Supervisor Mancuso presented:

File No. 7824, Resolution No. 11994 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Mancuso moved adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor Sullivan.

*Unanimously adopted by rising vote.*

**Congratulating Harry Donahue, Board Chauffeur, Upon Becoming a Grandfather.**

Supervisor McMurray moved, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, that the Clerk be instructed to extend the Board's congratulations to its chauffeur, Harry Donahue, upon his becoming the proud grandfather of a lovely girl, Sharon Elizabeth, born to Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Field on February 1, 1952.

No objection and motion carried.

**Adopted.**

**Requesting Mayor to Proclaim Period of February 17-23, 1952, as "Advertising Recognition Week."**

Supervisor Sullivan presented:

File No. 8647, Resolution No. 11993 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Sullivan moved the adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor McMurray.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Reference to Committee.**

**Requesting the Mayor to Appoint a Citizens' Committee for the Proper Observance, Jointly, of "Constitution Day," "I Am an American Day," and "Citizenship Day," on September 17, 1952, Under Sponsorship of the San Francisco Examiner.**

Supervisor Sullivan presented:

File No. 8648, Resolution No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Education, Parks and Recreation Committee.*

**ADJOURNMENT.**

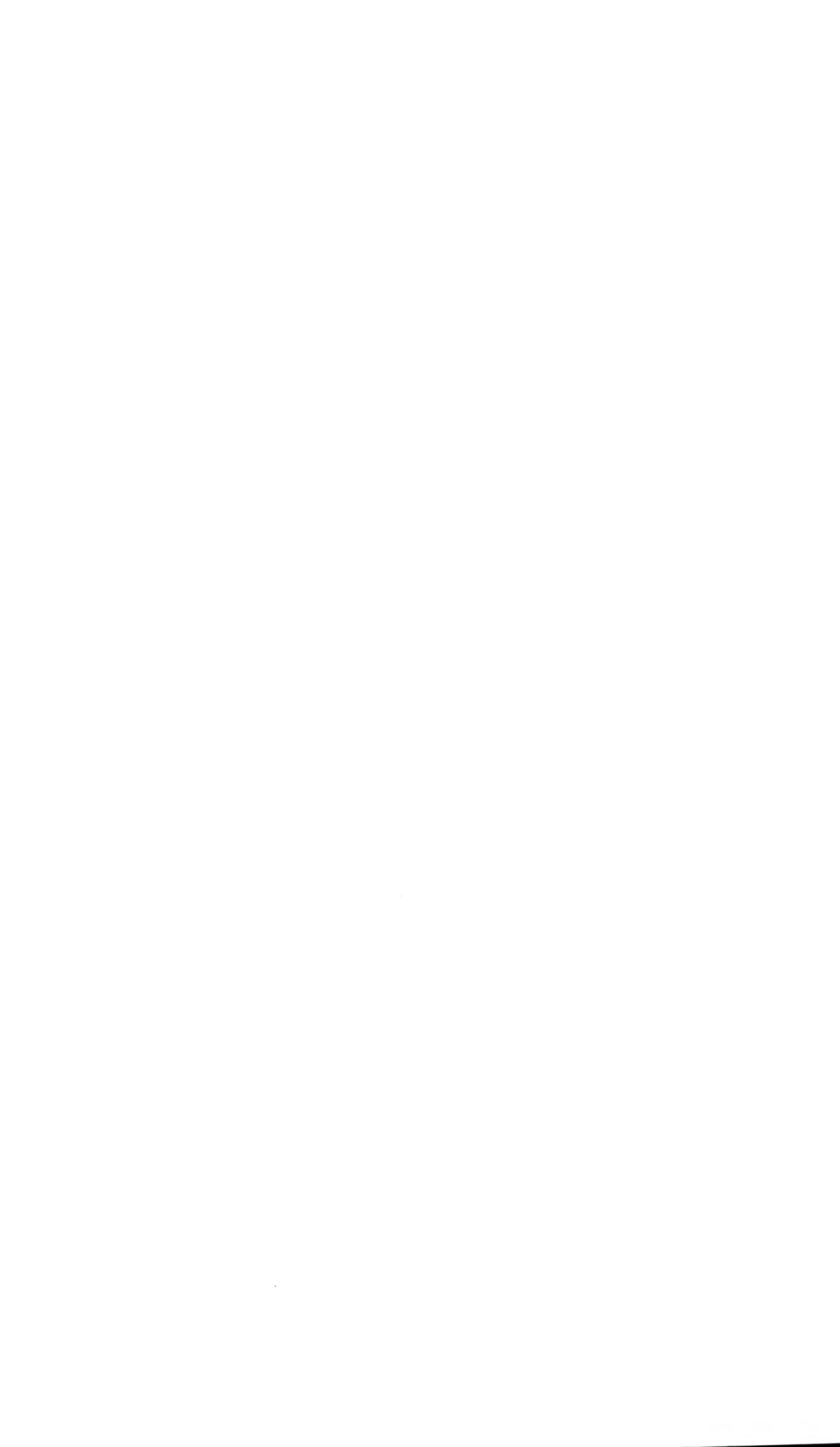
There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 4:05 p. m., adjourned.

JOHN R. McGRATH, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors February 18, 1952.

I, John R. McGrath, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the date hereon stated and approved as recited.

JOHN R. McGRATH,  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.







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MONDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 1952—2:00 P. M.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, February 11, 1952, 2:00 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

## CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, MacPhee—3.

Quorum present.

President Dewey Mead presiding.

Supervisor Arnold noted present at 2:16 p. m.

Supervisors Christopher and MacPhee on authorized leaves.

## APPROVAL OF JOURNALS.

The Journals of Proceedings for January 21 and January 28, 1952, were considered read and approved.

## Communications.

From the Parking Authority, answering certain questions asked by Supervisor Gallagher relating to the construction of the St. Mary's Square Underground Garage.

*Copy given to Supervisor Gallagher; filed.*

From the Director of Public Works, replying to inquiry made by Supervisor Mancuso into the reason why it will take the Bureau of Engineering a period of from four to six months to render a report on parking conditions in the North Beach area.

*Copy given to Supervisor Mancuso; filed.*

## Presentation of Distinguished Guests.

The President of the Board introduced the Hon. Hamajiro Nakai and Kem Ishii of Japan, who are touring the United States for the purpose of studying legislative procedures employed by various cities.

Mr. Nakai first spoke in his native tongue and at the conclusion of his address, Mr. Ishii acted as interpreter.

The President requested that the Clerk of the Board extend every cooperation to the Japanese gentlemen.

Appointment of Representative of Board on Board of Governors, of the San Francisco Bay Area Council, Inc.

The Clerk read a communication from the San Francisco Bay Area Council, Inc., asking that the Board appoint a representative on its Board of Governors to serve for the calendar year 1952.

**Motion.**

Supervisor Gallagher thereupon moved, seconded by Supervisor Lewis, that the President of the Board be authorized and directed to serve as a member of the Board of Governors of the San Francisco Bay Area Council, Inc., for the calendar year 1952.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, MacPhee—3.

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS.****Final Passage.**

The following recommendations of Finance Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Gallagher, Arnold, Christopher.

**Appropriating \$2,965, Public Works, for Extras in Excess of Ten Per Cent of Amount of Contract With Eaton and Smith for Reconstruction of Parker Avenue Between Anza and Turk Streets.**

File No. 8548, Ordinance No. 7171 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Gallagher, MacPhee—3.

**Appropriating \$2,825, War Memorial, for Overtime Allowance.**

File No. 8549, Ordinance No. 7172 (Series of 1939).

(Overtime consumed during Japanese Peace Treaty Conference. City will be reimbursed by State Department.)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Appropriating \$1,200, District Attorney, for New Position of Senior Legal Stenographer; Abolishing Position of Law Clerk.**

File No. 8556-1, Ordinance No. 7173 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 7, District Attorney—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 8556-2, Ordinance No. 7174 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Appropriating \$32,382.57, Public Health, Central Office, for Diagnosis, Care and Treatment of Rheumatic Heart Cases.**

File No. 8559, Ordinance No. 7175 (Series of 1939).

(City to be reimbursed by the State.)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Appropriating \$15,040, Public Health, for Operation of Oncology Ward at Laguna Honda Home.**

File No. 8570, Ordinance No. 7176 (Series of 1939).

(City to be reimbursed by the State.)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Appropriating \$17,200, Hetch Hetchy Project, for Contractual Services, Materials and Supplies, and Foodstuffs.**

File No. 8576, Ordinance No. 7177 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Appropriating \$750, California Academy of Sciences, Steinhart Aquarium, for Overtime Allowance.**

File No. 8577, Ordinance No. 7178 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

### Re-reference to Committee.

The following recommendation of Public Buildings, Lands and City Planning Committee, heretofore considered, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Mancuso, Dobbs.

**Designating and Describing, Within the City and County of San Francisco, a Redevelopment Area as Defined and Pursuant to the Community Redevelopment Act of California, to Be Known as Redevelopment Area "C" (John McLaren Park).**

File No. 8445, Resolution No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(Proposed boundaries generally are as follows: On the north, Brussels, Olmstead, Goettingen, Mansell, Warf, Streets; and Wilde Avenue; on the east, Teddy Avenue, Ryland Street, Harkness Avenue, Delta Street, Wilde and Raymond Avenues, Elliot Street, Leland Avenue, Hahn Street, Visitation Avenue; on the south, Spreckels and Harvard Streets; on the west, Burrows, Cambridge, Amherst, Wayland, University, Dwight, Hamilton and Woolsey, Streets.)

January 28, 1952—Re-referred to Committee.

### Discussion.

Supervisor Lewis expressed the opinion that it would be a mistake on the part of the Board to approve a new redevelopment area when previously approved areas had not been fully developed.

Mr. James E. Lash of the Redevelopment Agency explained the purpose of the legislation.

Supervisor Lewis, in explaining his vote, stated that he was re-development-conscious; however, he did not consider Mr. Lash's statement as sufficiently plausible and would accordingly vote against the subject measure.

Supervisor Gallagher asked Mr. Lash as to the amount of land which would be involved in the pending measure. Mr. Lash stated that very little land in McLaren Park would be involved and that the greater portion of the proposed redevelopment area was located outside the present boundaries of the park.

Mr. Paul Oppermann, Director of Planning, stated that a study was made some two years ago at which time only general boundaries were established.

Supervisor Gallagher suggested that information should be elicited from the Director of Property as to number of parcels of property it is still proposed to purchase for McLaren Park, as well as information from the Board of Education as to its plan to construct schools in the McLaren Park area.

#### Motion to Re-refer.

Supervisor Gallagher accordingly moved, seconded by Supervisor Lewis, that the foregoing measure be re-referred to committee for a thorough hearing.

#### Discussion.

Supervisor Mancuso opposed the motion to re-refer the pending measure, contending that the measure had already been thoroughly discussed with the Department of Planning, Redevelopment Agency and Recreation and Park Department and that nothing would be accomplished by recommitment.

#### Substitute Motion.

Supervisor Mancuso moved that, as a substitute, that consideration of the foregoing measure be continued for a period of one week and thus permit Mr. Lash and Mr. Oppermann to supply Supervisor Gallagher with any information he desired.

Motion lost for want of a second.

The roll was thereupon called on Supervisor Gallagher's motion to re-refer the measure to committee and it *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Gallagher, Lewis, McMurray, Sullivan—5.

Noes: Supervisors Dobbs, Fardon, Mancuso, Mead—4.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

#### SPECIAL ORDER—3:00 P. M.

Hearing from Representatives of the Public Utilities Commission as to Steps Being Taken to Comply With the Provisions of Section 130 of the Charter, Relating to Fare Structure and Operating Costs of the Municipal Railway.

#### Opinion from City Attorney.

The Clerk read an opinion from the City Attorney, No. 510, dealing with the question of whether the provisions of Section 130 of the Charter required that utility rates and fares be fixed to pay all expenses of a particular utility.

### Discussion.

Supervisor Mancuso asked Walker Peddicord, Deputy City Attorney, if the provisions of Section 130 of the Charter did not make mandatory the fixing of rates for each fiscal year, to which Mr. Peddicord replied that the aforementioned provisions did not require that the Public Utilities Commission fix annual rates but one rate which would continue until it was determined that a change in it would be necessary in order to avert a tax subsidy.

Supervisor Mancuso: Is it the intention of the Public Utilities Commission to have something definite before the Board before the budget is finally considered, with respect to the rate structure?

Mr. Turner, Manager of Utilities: Last Monday the Public Utilities Commission directed the staff of the Commission and its Traffic Consultant, Mr. Mills, to prepare a study of the fare structure, and to report to the Public Utilities Commission within sixty days their findings on such fare structure. When the report is completed the Public Utilities Commission will adopt a definite policy with respect to the fare structure and the Board will receive the report just about the time it is considering the Public Utilities Commission budget.

Supervisor Mancuso (to Mr. Turner): You made a statement in November of 1948 with respect to subsidization of the Municipal Railway out of the tax rate. Are you still of the same opinion?

Mr. Turner replied that the statement was made some four years ago and that considerable change had taken place with respect to transit conditions, and that any discussion at this time relating to the fare structure is not timely.

Supervisor Mancuso: Is it your opinion that Section 130 is permissive and not mandatory?

Mr. Turner: I have been advised by the City Attorney that it is permissive.

Supervisor Mancuso then called to Mr. Turner's attention a statement made by Phil Landis, former President of the Public Utilities Commission, in 1948, regarding revision in the fare structure.

Mr. Turner: I am fully cognizant of the statement. It was made in my presence.

### Point of Order.

Supervisor Lewis rose to a point of order, contending that the practice of Supervisor Mancuso in asking questions about statements made by a former member of the Public Utilities Commission constituted a waste of time and should be dispensed with.

The President ruled the point of order well taken and suggested to Supervisor Mancuso that he make his inquiries as brief as possible.

Supervisor Mancuso asked Oliver M. Rousseau, President of the Public Utilities Commission, whether he believed the operations of the Municipal Railway should be assisted by means of an increase in rates or through tax subsidization. Mr. Rousseau replied that since he was a new member of the Commission, he preferred to await the outcome of the report currently being compiled by the Public Utilities Commission's staff:

Supervisor Mancuso (to Sam McKee, member of the Public Utilities Commission): Is your position the same as in 1948 that a self-supporting fare structure should be submitted by the Public Utilities Commission rather than getting into the question of a tax subsidy?

Mr. McKee stated that he was hesitant about answering, being mindful of the fact that a report into the matter had been ordered.

Supervisor Mancuso: You made the positive statement that any fare increase should provide for the payment of bond interest and redemption and took the stand that Section 130 provided that the fare structure should be such as to make the utility self-sustaining.

Mr. McKee stated that he had to review the record, and that while Mr. Landis made an excellent Commissioner, everyone was not always in agreement with him.

Supervisor Mancuso: You advised that the report will be ready in about 60 days.

Mr. Rousseau: The report will be ready for the Commission within sixty days. I would like to have the matter continued until the report is received from the staff and Traffic Consultant.

The President: In view of the request made by the newly appointed President of the Public Utilities Commission, what is your pleasure?

#### Motion to Continue Consideration.

Supervisor Mancuso moved, seconded by Supervisor Arnold, that consideration of the subject measure be continued for a period of eight weeks.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

*Consideration continued for eight weeks.*

#### NEW BUSINESS.

##### Adopted.

The following recommendations of Finance Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Gallagher, Arnold.

Approving Supplemental Recommendations, Public Welfare Department, Relative to Categorical Aids; Letters Dated February 4 and 5, 1952.

File No. 7821, Resolution No. 11997 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

Authorizing Granting of Extension of Emergency Relief to Dependent Non-Residents for February and March; List Dated February 11, 1952.

File No. 7822, Resolution No. 11998 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

Authorizing Refund of Duplicate and Erroneous Payments of Taxes for the Fiscal Years 1950-51 and 1951-52.

File No. 7827, Resolution No. 12001 (Series of 1939).



*Adopted by the following vote:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

**Absent:** Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Authorizing Cancellation of Erroneous and Illegal Personal Property Assessments for the Years 1941 Through 1948.**

File No. 7829, Resolution No. 12002 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

**Absent:** Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Authorizing Release of Lien Against Real Property Recorded by the Public Welfare Department for Aid Extended to Helen Miller, Deceased.**

File No. 7897, Resolution No. 12003 (Series of 1939).

(Full payment of \$1,578.47 made.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

**Absent:** Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Confirming Sale of City-Owned Land Located on the North Side of Army Street, Intersecting Capp Street, to J. A. Herzog, Inc., for \$12,000.**

File No. 6100-4, Resolution No. 11996 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Portion of Block 6571.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

**Absent:** Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Accepting Gift of \$200.30 from the San Francisco Junior Chamber of Commerce for the Benefit of Children Under Adoptive Study, Under Placement in Foster Homes, or in Receipt of Public Assistance Through the Public Welfare Department.**

File No. 8629, Resolution No. 12004 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

**Absent:** Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Approving Application by the Redevelopment Agency for Additional Advance of Funds from the Housing and Home Finance Administrator, in Sum of \$50,953.82.**

File No. 8639, Resolution No. 12005 (Series of 1939).

(Required to continue its planning and surveys of following slum clearance and urban redevelopment projects: Western Addition, Diamond Heights, McLaren, Candlestick, and South of Market.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

**Absent:** Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Passage for Second Reading.****Appropriating \$500, Electricity, for Overtime Allowance.**

File No. 8621, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Appropriating \$2,775, Recreation and Park, from Unappropriated Balance of 1947 Recreation Bond Fund, for Purchase of Playground Equipment.**

File No. 8630, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Appropriating \$2,163, San Francisco Hospital, for Three New Positions of Counter Attendant; Abolishing Three Positions of Waitress.**

File No. 8635-1, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 58(a), San Francisco Hospital—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 8635-2, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Appropriating \$500, Public Works, Street Repair, for Overtime Allowance.**

File No. 8636, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Appropriating \$4,950, Public Works, for Shop Equipment.**

File No. 8637, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(Equipment necessary for new Maintenance Buildings and Yard located at 2323 Army Street.)

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Re-reference to Committee.**

The following recommendation of Judiciary Committee was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Ferdon, Dobbs.

**Authorizing Controller to Make Payroll Deductions for Payment of Group Insurance Premiums.**

File No. 8504, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Re-refer.**

Supervisor Dobbs moved, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, that, due to the fact certain interested citizens were not afforded the opportunity of hearing the matter in committee, the foregoing measure be re-referred to committee for further consideration.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

*Re-referred to Committee.*

**Motion to Recess.**

Supervisor Gallagher moved that when the Board concluded its deliberations on this day, it recess until 2:00 p. m., Friday, February 15, 1952, at which time it would take up the subject of salary standardization. Motion seconded by Supervisor Sullivan.

No objection and motion carried.

**OFF-CALENDAR MATTERS.****Presentation of Distinguished Guest.**

The President of the Board introduced Mr. Lloyd E. Graybiel, Chairman of the Charter Revision Committee, who in turn introduced Mr. Raymond C. Lilly, Chairman of the Boy Scouts in San Francisco, who requested that the Board endorse the objectives of the three-year program of the Boy Scouts, which program is being motivated by the theme "Forward on Liberty's Team."

Mr. Lilly stated that he would now make each member of the Board a Tenderfoot Scout and asked that they repeat after him the Boy Scout's Oath of Allegiance.

**Adopted.**

At the conclusion of the ceremony, the following measure was jointly presented by all members of the Board:

**Pledging Cooperation With Program of the Boy Scouts of America.**

File No. 8667, Resolution No. 12006 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Dobbs moved, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, that the foregoing measure be adopted.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Meetings of Redwood Empire Supervisors' Unit.**

The President instructed the Clerk to poll the members of the Board with respect to attendance at the Redwood Empire Association's Supervisors' Unit meeting to be held at Napa, 10 a. m., February 20 and at Sacramento, before the State Highway Commission, 10 a. m., February 21.

The poll read as follows: Supervisor Arnold, undecided; Dobbs, No; Ferdon, No; Gallagher, No; Lewis, No; Mancuso, No; McMurray, Yes; Mead, No, and Sullivan, Yes.

The Clerk was directed to inform the Redwood Empire Association of the result of the poll.

**Adopted.**

The following recommendation of his Honor the Mayor was presented by the Clerk:

**Leaves of Absence**—Mrs. Clarence Coonan and Mrs. George Hindley, Both Members of the Board of Education, February 18-March 1; Washington I. Kohnke, President of the Police Commission, for Five Days from February 21st; Leo H. Shapiro, Fire Commissioner, February 21-March 1, 1952, All With Permission to Leave the State.

File No. 7823, Resolution No. 11999 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Gallagher moved the adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor Arnold.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

**Absent:** Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF MEASURES AND COMMUNICATIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.**

**Proposed Consideration of Legislation Regulating Heat in Multiple Dwellings, Apartments, Etc.**

Supervisor Lewis informed the Board that at the last meeting of the Joint Police and Health Committee very few tenants were present and blamed the non-attendance to inability of persons to obtain permission to leave their employments, and suggested that either the Board or the joint committee conduct a night hearing on the measure.

Thereupon Supervisor Lewis moved that a night hearing be scheduled by either the Board or the joint committee and that money be appropriated for the purpose of providing appropriate advertising in the city's four daily newspapers.

*Motion lost for want of a second.*

Supervisor Lewis was assured that the joint committee would again meet shortly on the measure.

**Reminder of Dinner Engagement With Members of the San Mateo County Board of Supervisors.**

The President reminded the Board members of the dinner engagement with the members of the San Mateo County Board of Supervisors to be held at 6:30 p. m., February 11, 1952, Empire Room, Fairmont Hotel.

**Reference to Committee.**

**Charter Amendment—Amending Section 50 by Increasing Membership on the Board of Trustees of the California Palace of the Legion of Honor.**

The Clerk presented on behalf of Supervisor Christopher:

File No. 8668

*Referred to Judiciary Committee.*

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Adopted.

In Memoriam—Dr. John J. Dennis.

Supervisor Sullivan presented:

File No. 7824, Resolution No. 12007 (Series of 1939)

Motion to Adopt.

Supervisor Sullivan moved adoption of the foregoing motion seconded by Supervisor McMurray.

*Unanimously adopted by rising vote.*

Renewal of Motion Relating to Recess Meeting of the Board of Supervisors on Salary Standardization.

Supervisor Gallagher again renewed his previously made motion that when the Board concluded its deliberations on this day, it recess until 2:00 p. m., Friday, February 15, 1952, at which time it would take up the subject of salary standardization. Motion seconded by Supervisor Sullivan.

No objection and motion carried.

### RECESS.

There being no further business, and, pursuant to the foregoing motion, the Board recessed, to meet again at 2:00 p. m., Friday, February 15, 1952.

JOHN R. McGRATH, Clerk.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 1952—2:00 P. M.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Friday, February 15, 1952, 2:00 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in recess session.

### CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Fardon, Gallagher, La MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

Quorum present.

President Dewey Mead presiding.

### Consideration of Salary Standardization.

The President ruled that the subject of salary standardization is now properly before the Board.

Supervisor Dan Gallagher, Chairman of the Finance Committee, informed the Board that his committee met on Wednesday, February 13, and Thursday, February 14, at 11:00 a. m., and that he and interested groups, and suggested that the Clerk of the Board prepare his prepared motion which would require that the Board of Supervisors and which would have the effect of transferring salary schedules to the Civil Service Commission for review and recommendation as to what other changes and that the Board of Supervisors would require to maintain the same rates in said schedules.

The Clerk thereupon read the following proposed motion:

I offer all of such requests as, supported by necessary data and filed with this Board, seek adjustment in the schedule of compensation set forth in the Salary and Wage Survey of the Civil Service Commission, dated February 7, 1952, as amendments to said schedule of compensations and I move with respect to such proposed amendments to the schedule of compensations, that the data presented to and considered by this Board as warranting such amendments, be transmitted to the Civil Service Commission for review and analysis, and report thereon to this Board, together with a report as to what other changes, and the cost thereof, such proposed amendments would require to maintain an equitable relationship with other rates in said schedule.

For the purposes of this motion, the highest salary rate or range requested, by employees or their representatives, to be established for each particular classification in, or in connection with, the data submitted and relied upon as warranting an adjustment in the schedule of compensations proposed by the Civil Service Commission is hereby proposed as an amendment to said schedule of compensations, and the Clerk of the Board is authorized to tabulate such requested rates of ranges of salary and transmit such tabulation to the Civil Service Commission together with such data.

Motion seconded by Supervisor Christopher.

Supervisor Gallagher stated that when the report of the Civil Service Commission was received by the Finance Committee, it was the thought of the Committee to bring in to the Board recommended amendments.

#### Statement by Supervisor Christopher.

Supervisor Christopher asserted that at the time the Board considered the subject of salary standardization several years ago when the question of percentages increases was before the Board, he had expressed opposition to such procedure of computing increases. Eventually the Board adopted such a percentage system; it was challenged by downtown groups, taken before the people through the medium of a referendum and the result was that thousands of deserving city employees were precluded from receiving justly deserved raises. In connection with the pending salary standardization survey, Supervisor Christopher stated he noted that certain administrative positions were accorded a flat eight per cent increase. He had read the letter from the Civil Service Commission substantiating the percentage method used and he was not convinced that such a method was in accord with Charter provisions. He thereupon suggested that the Clerk of the Board transmit those classifications which had been recommended for a flat 8 per cent increase to the Civil Service Commission, with the request that the Commission inform the Board further as to the method employed in arriving at the rates so recommended.

Supervisor Mancuso inquired of the Chairman of the Finance Committee as to what the Committee intended to do with the report of the Civil Service Commission when it is received.

Supervisor Gallagher responded by saying that when the report is received, the Committee will attempt to prepare such recommendations as it deems proper and submit them to the Board; the Board then would have the option of either adopting them or making recommendations of their own.

Supervisor Mancuso asked if the Finance Committee intended to confer with the Civil Service Commission on the matter of proposed increases.

Supervisor Gallagher stated that the Committee had no intention of going before the Civil Service Commission.

#### Amendment.

Supervisor Christopher moved, as an amendment, that all classifications recommended for increases on a flat percentage basis be re-referred to the Civil Service Commission for proper report as to the means employed in arriving at the proposed increases. Motion seconded by Supervisor Gallagher.

There being no objection, the *foregoing amendment was included as a part of the original motion submitted by Supervisor Gallagher.*

#### Opposition.

Supervisor Lewis opposed the amendment as offered by Supervisor Christopher, contending that it was not a proper motion, because the Board in the past had sent proposed amendments to the Civil Service Commission for review, analysis and report as to what other changes, and the cost thereof, such proposed amendments would require to maintain an equitable relationship with other rates in said schedule, and here was a case where the request is made that certain classifications be sent to the Civil Service Commission for which no amendments had been offered.

Supervisor Gallagher offered the opinion that the request of Supervisor Christopher might best be accomplished by a separate motion.

#### Amendment by Supervisor Christopher Withdrawn.

There being no objection, the amendment offered by Supervisor Christopher and heretofore ordered incorporated in the motion made by Supervisor Gallagher, was *withdrawn.*

Thereupon the roll was called and Supervisor Gallagher's motion was *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

Supervisor Christopher renewed his motion that all classifications recommended for increases on a flat percentage basis be re-referred to the Civil Service Commission for report as to the means employed in arriving at the proposed increases.

Motion seconded by Supervisor Gallagher and *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

Supervisor Christopher asked Deputy City Attorney Walker Peddicord just what can be accomplished by his motion hereinafter adopted.

Mr. Peddicord replied that Supervisor Christopher's motion was merely in the nature of a request for information.

To a question asked by Supervisor Mancuso, Mr. Peddicord stated that he presumed that Supervisor Christopher, not having the information he desired available at the present moment, did not regard himself as being in a position to amend any of the administrative classifications.

#### Motion to Recess.

Supervisor MacPhee moved a ten-minute recess.

No objection and *Board recessed.*

**Motion to Rescind.**

Upon reconvening, Supervisor Gallagher moved that his motion, made earlier in the meeting and adopted, transmitting certain amendments to the proposed salary schedules of compensation, to the Civil Service Commission for review, analysis and report, be rescinded. Motion seconded by Supervisor Sullivan and *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Motion to Rescind.**

Supervisor Christopher moved that his motion, made earlier in the meeting and adopted, re-referring certain administrative classifications to the Civil Service Commission for report as to the means employed in arriving at such recommended increase in compensation, be rescinded.

Motion seconded by Supervisor Sullivan and *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

Deputy City Attorney Walker Peddicord suggested that it would be well to adopt anew the motion heretofore proposed by Supervisor Gallagher and then follow up with the proposed new motion.

Supervisor Arnold asked the Deputy City Attorney if the Board would have jurisdiction over those classifications for which supporting data had been submitted by employees' representatives to the Finance Committee, and in turn submitted to the Civil Service Commission, and will this Board have jurisdiction over those classifications for which no supporting data was submitted and which earn a maximum annual compensation of \$4300 or more as shown in the Salary Survey Report?

Walker Peddicord, Deputy City Attorney, stated that when the report is received by the Board from the Civil Service Commission, it will have jurisdiction over the subject classifications.

**Motion to Adopt.**

The roll was thereupon called on Supervisor Gallagher's motion which had earlier in the meeting been adopted and later rescinded, and it *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

No: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

**Motion Adopted.**

Thereupon Supervisor Gallagher offered the following motion:

Without prejudice to that motion adopted by this Board at its meeting on Friday, February 15, 1952, in words and figures as follows, to-wit:

"I offer all of such requests as, supported by necessary data and filed with this Board, seek adjustment in the schedule of compensation set forth in the Salary and Wage Survey of the Civil Service Commission, dated February 7, 1952, as amendments to said schedule of compensations and I move with respect to such proposed amendments to the schedule of compensations, that the data presented to and considered by this Board as warranting such amendments, be transmitted to the Civil Service Commission for review and analysis, and report thereon to this Board, together with a report as to what



other changes, and the cost thereof, such proposed amendments would require to maintain an equitable relationship with other rates in said schedule.

"For the purposes of this motion, the highest salary rate or range requested, by employees or their representatives, to be established for each particular classification in, or in connection with, the data submitted and relied upon as warranting an adjustment in the schedule of compensations proposed by the Civil Service Commission is hereby proposed as an amendment to said schedule of compensations, and the Clerk of the Board is authorized to tabulate such requested rates or ranges of salary and transmit such tabulation to the Civil Service Commission together with such data."

I move to amend the proposed rates of pay for all other classifications currently receiving a maximum annual compensation of \$4000 or more and not included in the above motion by deleting the proposed increases for all said classifications carrying a maximum compensation of \$4800 per year or more and the Civil Service Commission is hereby directed to report to the Board of Supervisors on the effect of such proposed amendments, as provided in Section 151 of the Charter; the data warranting such amendments are the data contained in the Civil Service recommendations dated February 7, 1952.

Motion seconded by Supervisor Arnold and carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Gallagher, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Noes: Supervisors Ferdon, Lewis—2.

### ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 4:50 p. m., adjourned.

JOHN R. McGRATH, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors March 3, 1952.

I, John R. McGrath, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, hereby certify that the foregoing are true and correct copies of the Journals of Proceedings of said Board of the dates hereon stated and approved as recited.

JOHN R. McGRATH,  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.







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MONDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 1952—2:00 P. M.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, February 18, 1952, 2:00 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

## CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were *not* present:

Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis-MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

Quorum present.

President Dewey Mead presiding.

## APPROVAL OF JOURNAL.

The Journal of Proceedings for Monday, February 4, 1952, was considered read and approved.

## Communication.

From County Supervisors' Association of California, advising of meeting of its Board of Directors on Friday, March 7, 10 a. m., Mirror Room, Sacramento Hotel, Sacramento.

*Copy to each member of Board; ordered filed.*

## Final Passage.

### Suspension of Rules.

Supervisor MacPhee moved, seconded by Supervisor Dobbs, that the rules be suspended for the purpose of considering the following recommendation of the Education, Parks and Recreation Committee out of order.

No objection and motion *carried*.

Present: Supervisors MacPhee, Dobbs, McMurray.

Requesting Mayor to Exercise His Emergency Powers to Permit Entering into Leases and Rental Agreements With the Federal Government for the Use and Occupancy of Portions of Real Property and Buildings Under the Jurisdiction of the Recreation and Park Commission; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 8638, Ordinance No. 7192 (Series of 1939).

## Motion "Do Pass."

Supervisor MacPhee moved, seconded by Supervisor McMurray, that the foregoing measure finally pass.

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**SPECIAL ORDER—2:00 P. M.****Referred to Streets Committee.**

**Hearing of Protests—Improvement of the Intersections of Rutledge Street at Peralta Avenue and Franconia Street and of Franconia Street (East One-Half) Opposite Intersection of Rutledge Street.**

Board of Supervisors to hear protests, if any, of all persons interested in the following described work done or in the assessment, diagram or warrant for pay of the cost of the same, or in any property affected thereby: Improvement of the intersections of Rutledge Street and Peralta Avenue and Franconia Street, and of Franconia Street (east one-half) opposite intersection of Rutledge Street, by Eaton and Smith as described in Declaration of Intention, Order No. 34,511, passed October 6, 1950, of the Department of Public Works.

File No. 6627

**Communication of Protest.**

The Clerk read a communication received from property owners on Rutledge Street, protesting the levying of assessments for the foregoing improvement.

**Privilege of the Floor.**

The privilege of the floor was accorded Sergeant Frederick H. Katz who stated that he represented all the protestants in the case. He asserted that no benefits whatever accrue to them because of the distance from the site of the actual improvement.

**City's Version.**

Mr. Lloyd Whaley of the City Engineer's office was asked to reply.

Mr. Whaley: This work, which includes the crossing of Rutledge Street at Peralta Avenue and at Franconia Street, was proposed about two years ago. The resolution of intention was published on October 15, 1950, and all property owners within the assessment district were notified. No protests were received. The matter was heard before the Streets Committee in December, 1950, and there were no protests at that time. The Supervisors ordered the work done on December 20, 1950. On January 7, 1951, the work was awarded to Eaton and Smith, Contractors, and there were no protests from the property owners at that time. The total cost of the project is around four thousand dollars, of which the City contributed thirteen hundred dollars. The people who are protesting are within the four blocks adjoining the crossing of Rutledge and Peralta, and it is a well-established principle for people to pay for their proportion of the assessment. We recommend that the assessment be confirmed and petition denied unless you want to refer the matter to the Streets Committee for further hearing.

**Motion to Refer.**

Supervisor MacPhee moved, seconded by Supervisor Christopher, that the foregoing matter be referred to the Streets Committee.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Gallagher—1.

*Referred to Streets Committee.*



**SPECIAL ORDER—2.00 P. M.**

**Referred to Real Estate Department**

**Hearing of Protests—Vacation of Portion of Baldwin Court Between Folsom Street and Its Northwesterly Termination.**

Board of Supervisors to hear protests, if any, of all persons interested in or objecting to the proposed vacation of portion of Baldwin Court between Folsom Street and its northwesterly termination pursuant to notice of intention given in Resolution No. 11940 (Series of 1939).

File No. 7925

There appearing no protestants, the foregoing measure was referred to the Real Estate Department for further action.

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS.**

**Final Passage.**

The following recommendations of Finance Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, were taken up.

Present: Supervisors Gallagher, Arnold, Christopher.

**Appropriating \$1,485, Sheriff, for New Position of Law Clerk: Abolishing Position of General Clerk-Typist.**

File No. 8547-1, Ordinance No. 7179 (Series of 1939)

Finally Passed by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 9, Sheriff—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 8547-2, Ordinance No. 7180 (Series of 1939)

Finally Passed by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11

**Repealing Section 71 of Ordinance No. 4537 (Series of 1939) (Purchase and Use Tax Ordinance), Which Provides an Effective Date and Limits the Period During Which Such Ordinance Shall Remain in Effect.**

File No. 8561, Ordinance No. 7183 (Series of 1939)

**Discussion.**

Supervisor MacPhee reminded the Board of the emergency management program which the city had adopted in 1941, which was temporarily shelved until after World War II. He also mentioned the fact that many city departments were short of necessary space to adequately carry on their duties, with particular reference to the City Attorney's office which had to use a portion of the corridor to perform its duties. Now that the Board of Supervisors proposes to use the buildings of the High School of Commerce for its administrative personnel, the thought occurs that perhaps the playing field adjoining the high school might be used as a temporary Courts Building; further the Civic Auditorium and the Board of Supervisors Building; in order to meet the needs of organizations meeting in the City of San Francisco. The Hall of Justice has been crowded for years, the District Attorney's office, which is costing the city money in rent as they have been forced to lease private quarters, should rightfully be located in the Hall of

of Justice. All of the above suggested improvements cost money and this money can, in a measure, be raised by increasing the percentage rate of the existing purchase and use tax from one-half of one per cent to one per cent.

Supervisor MacPhee hastened to say that a number of California cities have increased the tax from one-half of one per cent to one per cent to one and one-half per cent, and the money derived from this source cannot be used for any other purpose than capital improvements.

#### Motion to Amend.

Supervisor MacPhee moved that the foregoing measure be amended to provide for an increase in the excise tax rate of from one-half of one per cent to one per cent. Motion seconded by Supervisor Mancuso.

#### Objection.

Supervisor Gallagher objected to consideration of the proposed amendment at the present time, contending that while certain communities have adopted such a high rate, others have no excise tax at all, and to impose the increase at this time would create a hardship upon people already heavily tax-burdened.

Supervisor Gallagher stated that he was aware that action would be forthcoming in Sacramento attempting to raise the present three per cent state sales tax to four per cent, three percent going to the state, one-half of one per cent to the county and one-half of one per cent to the city; further, the League of California Cities has a plan brewing whereby any county would have the right to borrow money from the state for certain purposes; but until something tangible crystallizes, it would be imprudent to act on the amendment at the present time.

#### Substitute Motion—Lost.

Supervisor Christopher expressed the opinion that this was not the proper time to consider the amendment which certainly was not related to the pending measure; accordingly, he moved, as a substitute, that the proposed amendment be referred to the Finance Committee.

Motion lost for want of a second.

Supervisor Christopher suggested that Supervisor MacPhee withdraw his amendment so that the pending measure appearing on the calendar could be voted upon, and then the Supervisor could bring his amendment up in the form of a separate ordinance.

#### Amendment Withdrawn.

There being no objection, Supervisor MacPhee *withdrew* his amendment.

#### Roll Call.

The roll was thereupon called and the pending measure was *finally passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

#### Referred to Finance Committee.

#### Suspension of Rules.

Supervisor MacPhee moved, seconded by Supervisor Gallagher, that the rules be suspended for the purpose of considering the following measure out of order.

No objection and motion *carried*.

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Amending Section 15 of Ordinance No. 4537 (Series of 1939) "Purchase and Use Tax Ordinance," by Increasing Rate of Tax from One Half of One Per cent to One Per Cent.

File No. 8690, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939)

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

**Final Passage.**

Appropriating \$1,865, Water Department, for Retroactive Wages and Pensions, for Holiday, Overtime and Premium Pay Due 9 Laborers and 2 Compressor Operators, in Accordance With Court Order.

File No. 8604, Ordinance No. 7186 (Series of 1939)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10

Absent: Supervisor Christopher—1.

Appropriating \$18,522, Municipal Railway, for Retroactive Wages and Pensions, for Holiday and Premium Pay Due Garagemen, in Accordance With Court Order.

File No. 8605, Ordinance No. 7187 (Series of 1939)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11

Appropriating \$1,400, Retirement System, for New Position of Junior Actuary; Abolishing Position of Head Clerk.

File No. 8615-1, Ordinance No. 7189 (Series of 1939)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11

Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 85, Retirement System—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.

File No. 8615-2, Ordinance No. 7190 (Series of 1939)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11

Appropriating \$45,000, Public Welfare, for Temporary Salaries

File No. 8616, Ordinance No. 7191 (Series of 1939)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11

Appropriating \$7,525, Recreation and Park, from Unappropriated Balance of 1947 Recreation Bond Fund, for Development and Improvement of Recreational Areas and Playgrounds.

File No. 8508, Ordinance No. 7182 (Series of 1939)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11

**Appropriating \$380, Recreation and Park, for One New Position of Janitor; Abolishing Two Positions of Janitress.**

File No. 8575-1, Ordinance No. 7184 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 14.1, Recreation and Park—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 8575-2, Ordinance No. 7185 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

### **Consideration Continued.**

The following measure from Finance Committee, heretofore considered, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors MacPhee, Fazackerley.

**Appropriating \$23,850, Board of Supervisors—Municipal Government Survey Advisory Committee, for Contractual Services.**

File No. 8364, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(For purpose of continuing and completing survey under direction of Survey Advisory Committee, of all departments, offices and agencies of the city, with the exception of the Unified School District, in order to design a controlled record-keeping system, and to supervise installation of record center and train necessary personnel incident to organization and management of such central depository of records.)

January 21, 1952—Consideration continued to February 18, 1952.

### **Motion "Do Pass."**

Supervisor MacPhee moved that the foregoing measure pass for second reading. Motion seconded by Supervisor Christopher.

### **Privilege of the Floor.**

The privilege of the floor was extended to Arthur Barcan, representing the National Records Management Council.

Before Mr. Barcan was permitted to speak, Supervisor Lewis moved that representatives of the Department of Public Works, the Department of Public Health, Central Permit Bureau and Water Department appear before the Board to answer certain questions which he desired to ask, and that consideration of the measure be temporarily postponed pending appearance of the aforementioned representatives. Motion seconded by Supervisor Sullivan.

The Chief Administrative Officer stated that the Director of Public Works could not appear due to illness, while Dr. Geiger, who was familiar with the survey, was no longer employed by the city.

Supervisor Lewis insisted that those representatives who were available be requested to be present.

Supervisor MacPhee accordingly moved, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, that consideration of the pending measure be deferred until 3:15 p. m.

*Motion carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Final Passage.**

The following recommendations of Streets Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, McMurray, Sullivan.

**Changing or Modifying the Official Grades on Parker Avenue Between Turk and Anza Streets in Accordance With Grade Map.**

File No. 8184-2, Ordinance No. 7181 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Ordering the Improvement of Portions of Peralta Avenue Between Mayflower Street and Powhattan Avenue, and Extending City Aid in Approximate Amount of \$800.**

File No. 8609, Ordinance No. 7188 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Consideration Continued.**

**Granting Revocable Permit to the Southern Pacific Company to Construct, Maintain and Operate a Spur Track in and Along Hawthorne Street Between Folsom and Harrison Streets.**

File No. 8618, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Motion to Rescind.**

Supervisor Gallagher moved rescission for the purpose of asking certain questions; motion seconded by Supervisor Gallagher, and there being no objection, motion *carried*.

**Motion to Defer Consideration.**

Supervisor Christopher expressed a desire to look further into the matter, and accordingly he moved, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, that consideration of the foregoing measure be continued for a period of one week.

No objection and motion *carried*.

*Consideration continued for one week.*

**NEW BUSINESS.****Adopted.**

The following recommendations of Finance Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Gallagher, Arnold, Christopher.

**Approving Supplemental Recommendations, Public Welfare Department, Relative to Categorical Aids; Letters Date February 11, 1952.**

File No. 7821, Resolution No. 12008 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Authorizing Extension of Granting of Emergency Relief to Dependent Non-Residents for February and March; List Dated February 18, 1952.**

File No. 7822, Resolution No. 12009 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Authorizing Refund of Duplicate and Erroneous Payments of Taxes for the Fiscal Years 1950-51 and 1951-52.**

File No. 7827, Resolution No. 12013 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Accepting, on Behalf of the Recreation and Park Department, Gift of a Savings Bond from the North Beach Teen-Age Group.**

File No. 8640, Resolution No. 12022 (Series of 1939).

(At maturity, proceeds from sale of bond to be used for purchase of radio for North Beach Playground.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Authorizing Compromise and Settlement of Claim of City and County Against Earlie Johnson by the Acceptance of \$800.**

File No. 8658, Resolution No. 12023 (Series of 1939).

(Policeman suffered personal injury when his motorcycle was struck by vehicle driven by Earlie Johnson.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Passage for Second Reading.**

**Authorizing Acceptance of \$1,000 and Conveyance of Certain Land to Atlas Realty Company in Exchange for Certain Real Property for McLaren Park.**

File No. 8651, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan.

Real property to be traded: Lot 2 and portion of Lot 1, Block 6130, located at intersection of southwesterly line of Dartmouth Street and the southeasterly line of Dwight Street. Size: 120 feet by 200 feet. Vacant land.

Real property to be acquired: Lot 3, Block 6130, located on southwesterly side of Madison Street, 100 feet northwesterly from Bacon Street. Size: 100 feet by 120 feet. Vacant land. Lot 10, Block 6130, located at Knox and Burrows Streets. Size: 100 feet by 120 feet. Vacant land.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Appropriating \$50,000, Public Works, from Special Road Improvement Fund, for Extension of Winston Drive to Lake Merced Boulevard.**

File No. 8654, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan.)

**Motion to Insert Emergency Clause.**

Supervisor MacPhee explained that an emergency existed with relation to the pending measure and that unless such an emergency was declared, it would interfere with the scheduled opening of stores in the neighborhood as well as with plans of the developers of the area.

The Controller was asked for his opinion as to whether an emergency actually existed and he advised that the condition would have to fall within the meaning of Section 16 of the Charter to actually constitute an emergency.

Supervisor MacPhee expressed the opinion that an emergency existed in that people were being deprived of certain services.

**Deputy City Attorney's Opinion.**

Supervisor Dobbs asked Deputy City Attorney Walker Peddicord whether the condition explained by Supervisor MacPhee actually constituted an emergency pursuant to the provisions of Section 16 of the Charter. Mr. Peddicord read the provisions aloud to the Board and expressed the opinion that the situation mentioned by Supervisor MacPhee did not fall within the provisions of Section 16 of the Charter.

Supervisor MacPhee thereupon *withdrew* his amendment.

The roll was thereupon called and the foregoing measure was *passed for second reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Appropriating \$1,601, Public Health, Central Office, for Purchase of Equipment for New Chinese Health Center.**

File No. 8656, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Consideration Continued.**

**Appropriating \$150,000, Parking Authority, from 1947 Off-Street Parking Bond Fund, for Engineering and Architectural Expense Incident to the Preparation of Plans, Specifications and Working Drawings for the Construction of the St. Mary's Square Underground Garage.**

File No. 8657, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan.)

**Discussion.**

Supervisor Gallagher stated that he believed the Department of Public Works should draw the necessary preliminary plans instead of appropriating some \$150,000 for the purpose.

Supervisor Mancuso inquired into the status of the plans which had heretofore been prepared by a private firm when private financing of the underground structure was being considered and expressed the opinion that such plans, if still available, should be

purchased and thus obviate the necessity of appropriating the large sum of \$150,000.

Mr. Albert Jacobs, Chairman of the Parking Authority, explained the necessity for the appropriation.

**Motion to Re-refer.**

Supervisor Arnold moved, seconded by Supervisor Dobbs, that the foregoing measure be re-referred to the Finance Committee for further study.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—9.

No: Supervisor Mead—1.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

*Re-referred to Finance Committee.*

**Passage for Second Reading as Amended.**

The following measure from Finance Committee, with recommendation "do pass" after amendment, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Gallagher, Arnold, Christopher.

**Appropriating \$37,000, Water Department, for Overtime to Per Diem Employees.**

File No. 8652, Ordinance No. . . (Series of 1939).

(Proposed amendment is as follows: Reduce total appropriation of \$37,000 to \$27,000.)

Supervisor Gallagher moved, seconded by Supervisor Christopher, that the foregoing amendment be adopted.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

The roll was thereupon called and the measure, as amended, was passed for second reading by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Adopted.**

The following recommendations of Streets Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, McMurray, Sullivan.

**Declaring Intention to Order the Vacation of Certain Portions of Bowdoin Street and Harkness Avenue, Required for School Project No. 29.**

File No. 8571, Resolution No. 12021 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Passage for Second Reading.**

**Ordering the Improvement of Florentine Avenue from Brunswick Street Northerly to Existing Pavement, and Extending City Aid in Approximate Amount of \$1,800.**

File No. 8622, Ordinance No. . . (Series of 1939).



*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote.*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Resumption of Consideration of Measure Appropriating \$28,850, Board of Supervisors, Municipal Government Survey Advisory Committee, for Contractual Services.**

Mr. Arthur Barcan, representing the National Records Management Program, explained, at length, the work of his organization and what it was doing with respect to improving correspondence procedures and installation of a records management program for the City and County of San Francisco.

At intervals, Supervisor Lewis interrupted Mr. Barcan's explanation by asking certain questions.

At this point, the President announced that the hour of 4 p. m., having arrived, the Board would now take up the Special Order, set for that time, dealing with the sale of various bonds.

### **SPECIAL ORDER—4:00 P. M.**

#### **Sale of Bonds.**

**Acceptance or Rejection of Proposals for the Purchase of City and County of San Francisco Bond Issues, as Follows:**

\$2,500,000—Street Improvement Bonds—1947, Series E.

650,000—Municipal Railway Rehabilitation Bonds—1947, Series G.

1,000,000—Off-Street Parking Bonds—1947, Series A.

9,100,000—School Bonds—1948, Series C.

3,100,000—Airport Bonds—1949, Series C.

1,000,000—Cherry Valley Dam Bonds—1949, Series A.

2,000,000—Sewage Treatment Bonds—1948, Series C.

#### **Adopted.**

The following recommendations of the Finance Committee were taken up:

**Accepting Bid of First National Bank of Chicago in Connection With Sale of \$2,500,000 City and County of San Francisco Street Improvement Bonds—1947, Series E.**

File No. 8536-3, Resolution No. 12014 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Accepting Bid of First National Bank of Chicago in Connection With Sale of \$650,000 City and County of San Francisco Municipal Railway Rehabilitation Bonds—1947, Series G.**

File No. 8536-4, Resolution No. 12015 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

**Accepting Bid of First National Bank of Chicago in Connection With Sale of \$1,000,000 City and County of San Francisco Off-Street Parking Bonds—1947, Series A.**

File No. 8537-1, Resolution No. 12016 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

Accepting Bid of First National Bank of Chicago in Connection With Sale of \$9,100,000 City and County of San Francisco School Bonds—1948, Series C.

File No. 8538-1, Resolution No. 12017 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

Accepting Bid of First National Bank of Chicago in Connection With Sale of \$2,000,000 City and County of San Francisco Sewage Treatment Bonds—1948, Series C.

File No. 8539-1, Resolution No. 12018 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

Accepting Bid of First National Bank of Chicago in Connection With Sale of \$3,100,000 City and County of San Francisco Airport Bonds—1949, Series C.

File No. 8540-1, Resolution No. 12019 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

Accepting Bid of First National Bank of Chicago in Connection With Sale of \$1,000,000 City and County of San Francisco Cherry Valley Dam Bonds—1949, Series A.

File No. 8541-1, Resolution No. 12020 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

#### Statement by Supervisor Mancuso.

Supervisor Mancuso stated that the Controller should be congratulated for his fine work in having the bonds sold at such a low rate of interest.

#### Consideration Postponed.

Resumption of Consideration of File No. 8364, Relating to an Appropriation of \$28,850, Contractual Services, Municipal Government Survey Advisory Committee.

Mr. Barcan of the National Records Management Council proceeded with the explanation of work being performed for the city and county, while Supervisors Lewis and Gallagher made periodic inquiries.

Supervisor Gallagher stated he believed consideration of this matter should be indefinitely postponed on the grounds that he had written to several departments for information relating to the subject matter and he had not received replies from all of them; further, he did not intend to vote for the appropriation of \$28,850 if, in the opinion of the Controller and the Clerk of the Board, the provisions of the existing contract had not been fully complied with.

Mr. Barcan informed the Board that the experience of his firm has shown that in those instances where the controlled records program was installed, there was no need to purchase additional filing equipment for a period of from three to five years which, in itself, constituted a great saving.

#### Point of Order.

Supervisor MacPhee rose to a point of order, objecting to the use by Supervisors in making inquiries of Mr. Barcan.

The President requested that in the future the members of the Board not employ harassing tactics.

#### Motion to Defer Consideration.

Supervisor Gallagher moved that consideration of the foregoing measure be continued for a period of three weeks, or until such time as he receives replies from certain departments or until he is apprized of possible savings in the forthcoming budget as a result of the work being performed by the National Records Management Council. Motion seconded by Supervisor Sullivan.

At this point, Supervisor Dobbs requested the privilege of the floor for Mr. N. Loyall McLaren, Chairman of the Municipal Government Survey Advisory Committee, who proceeded to explain the purpose of the appropriation.

#### Motion to Defer Temporarily Withdrawn.

There being no objection, Supervisor Gallagher withdrew his motion temporarily.

Here Supervisor Christopher described, for the benefit of the new members of the Board, the origin and purpose of the governmental survey now in process.

Supervisor Arnold supported Supervisor Gallagher's request that consideration of the measure should be continued until such time as all replies have been received to inquiries made by Supervisor Gallagher and until an opinion has been received from the City Attorney dealing with substantial compliance with the provisions of the existing contract.

Mr. McLaren spoke glowingly of the excellent reputation enjoyed by the National Records Management Council and commented upon his trip to New York City. The work of the Council was highly lauded by the officials of that city.

At this point, Supervisor Gallagher stated he had just received a copy of an opinion rendered by the City Attorney's office, and proceeded to read a portion of it.

Supervisor Lewis stated he believed a Charter amendment should be submitted which would call for the creation of a separate department whose duty it shall be to install the record control program in every department.

#### Motion to Defer Consideration.

Supervisor Gallagher moved that consideration of the foregoing measure be continued for a period of three weeks. Motion seconded by Supervisor Sullivan.

#### Explanations of Votes.

Supervisor MacPhee objected to the suggested postponement, contending that, in the interest of economy, passage of the measure at this time is advisable.

Supervisor Mancuso stated that although he voted against the original appropriation, the National Records Management Council

has done a splendid job and that the pending appropriation should be approved so that the job may be completed.

Supervisor Gallagher stated that in view of statements made by the Clerk of the Board and by the Controller and as a result of the wording of the opinion from the City Attorney, the pending matter should be continued for a period of three weeks.

The President suggested that a two-week continuance be had instead of three. Supervisor Gallagher was agreeable to the suggestion.

The President directed that the Clerk of the Board address communications to those departments from whom no replies had been received to inquiries made by Supervisor Gallagher, asking that such replies be forthcoming by March 3rd.

The roll was thereupon called on the motion to postpone consideration for a period of two weeks and it carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Gallagher, Lewis, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—6.

Noes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso—5.

## ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF MEASURES AND COMMUNICATIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE

### Request of Supervisor Christopher for Hearing to Establish Limitations on Leases.

Supervisor Christopher stated he was in receipt of a report from the Controller's office relating to Water Department leases and requested that the Clerk obtain a list of the water leases showing duration and date of termination and when such information has been received, it be referred to the Public Utilities Committee which will then consider the advisability of calling in the Public Utilities Commission for the purpose of discussing the feasibility of providing definite lease limitations.

*Referred to the Public Utilities Committee.*

### References to Judiciary Committee.

**Charter Amendment—Adding Sections 35.5¼ and 36.2, Relating to Method of Fixing Salaries and Compensations for Members of the Police and Fire Departments.**

Supervisor Dobbs presented:

File No. 8691

*Referred to Judiciary Committee.*

**Charter Amendment—Adding Section 35.5¼, Relating to Method of Fixing Salaries and Compensations for Members of the Police Department.**

Supervisor Gallagher presented:

File No. 8692

*Referred to Judiciary Committee.*

**Charter Amendment—Amending Section 36.1, Relating to Method of Fixing Salaries and Compensations for Members of the Fire Department.**

Supervisor Gallagher presented:

File No. 8693

*Referred to Judiciary Committee.*

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**Request of Supervisor MacPhee Concerning Free Transportation on Market Street and Elimination of Transfer.**

Supervisor MacPhee requested that the Public Utilities Commission be requested to study the feasibility of providing free transportation on Market Street; charge ten cents on all other lines; and that the lines that end at Market Street, dispense with the transfer. As the report from the Public Utilities Commission is available, the matter is to be considered by the Public Utilities Committee.

*Referred to the Public Utilities Committee.*

**Adopted.**

**In Memoriam—Preston W. King.**

Supervisor MacPhee presented:

File No. 7824, Resolution No. 12012 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor MacPhee moved the adoption of the foregoing motion seconded by Supervisor Gallagher.

*Unanimously adopted by rising vote.*

**Adopted.**

**In Memoriam—Judge Franklin A. Griffin.**

Supervisor Gallagher presented:

File No. 7824, Resolution No. 12011 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Gallagher moved the adoption of the foregoing motion seconded by Supervisor MacPhee.

*Unanimously adopted by rising vote.*

**Request for Consideration of Legislation Establishing Separate Transit Authority.**

Supervisor Christopher requested that the proper committee study the feasibility of establishing a separate transit authority which would divest transportation of all vestige of politics and place it on a pay-as-you-go basis.

*Referred to the Public Utilities Committee.*

**Request of Supervisor McMurray Concerning Preparation of Measure Relating to Second Bay Crossing.**

Supervisor McMurray requested that the Clerk prepare representation at the next regular meeting of the Board on February 25, 1952, a resolution supporting the efforts of Congressman Frank R. Havenner for Federal aid in the construction of a second Bay crossing and requesting our Washington Council to render possible assistance in connection therewith.

*The Clerk was directed to comply.*

**Discussion Concerning Peeling of Paint on North Beach Sewage Treatment Plant Buildings.**

Supervisor Sullivan called the Board's attention to the peeling of paint on the North Beach Sewage Treatment Plant buildings.

The Chief Administrative Officer declared that the peeling of paint was brought about by the acid in the sewage water and that the acid is known to exist which will withstand such an attack.

*No Board action taken.*

**Communication Concerning Objection to Appointment of Non-Resident to Position of Chief Juvenile Probation Officer.**

Supervisor Gallagher presented a communication from the Municipal Employees Executive Association, objecting to action taken by Judge Sapiro in appointing a non-resident to the position of Chief Juvenile Probation Officer.

*Communication filed.*

**Request for Compilation of Reports Covering Taxicab and Ambulance Rates.**

Supervisor Gallagher requested that the Controller and Mr. Paul Beck of the City Attorney's office be requested to render a report to the Finance Committee covering operations of taxicab companies for the calendar year 1952. Supervisor MacPhee suggested that a report covering ambulance companies likewise be procured.

No objection and *the Clerk was directed to comply.*

**ADJOURNMENT.**

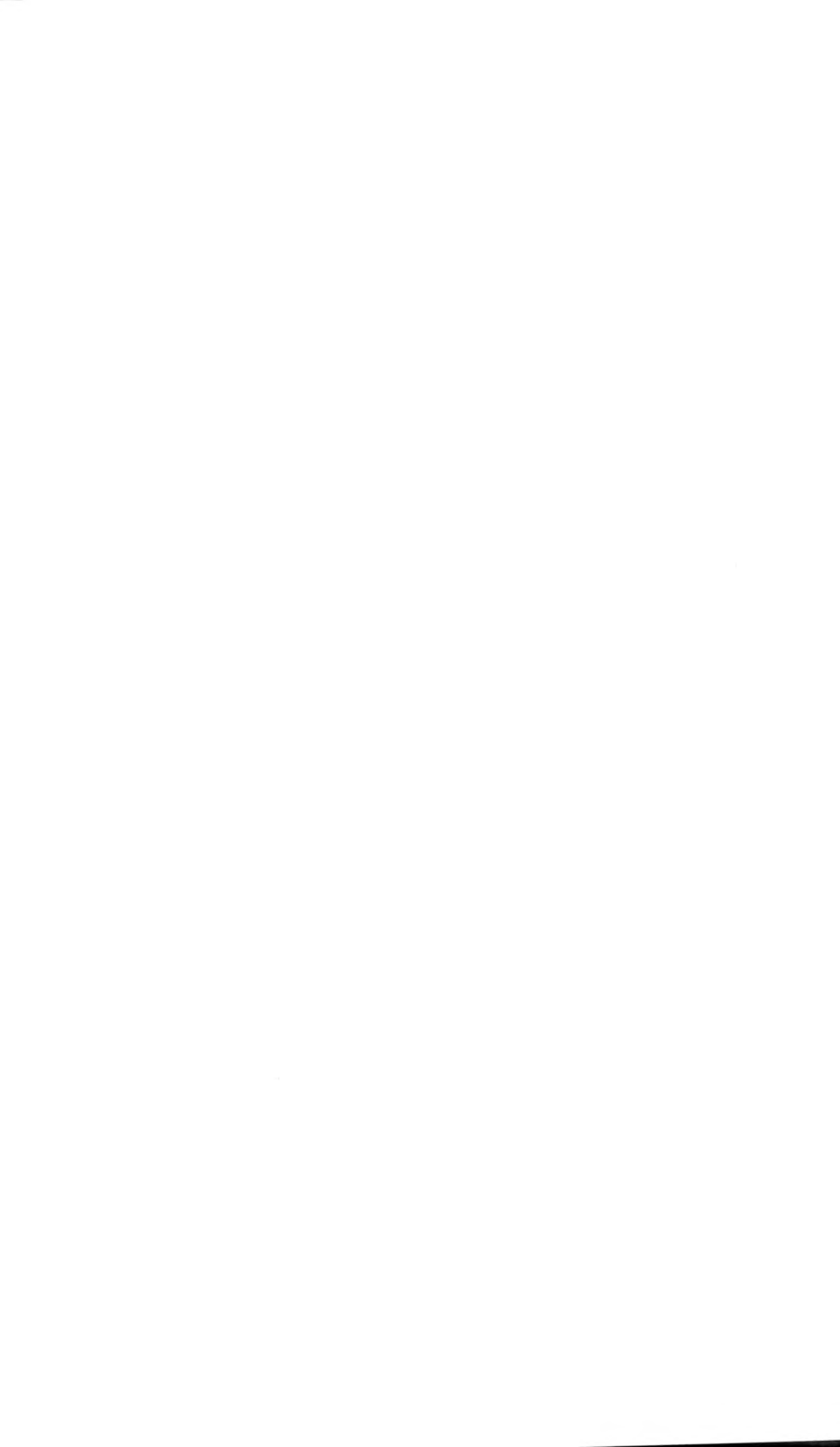
There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 6:05 p. m., adjourned.

JOHN R. McGRATH, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors March 10, 1952.

I, John R. McGrath, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the date hereon stated and approved as recited.

JOHN R. McGRATH,  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.







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# JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1952—2:00 P. M.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, February 25, 1952, 2:00 p. m.

The Board met in regular session.

## CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Gallagher, McMurray—2.

Quorum present.

President Dewey Mead presiding.

Supervisor Gallagher noted present at 2:15 p. m.

Supervisor McMurray noted present at 2:15 p. m.

## Communications.

From the Division of Highways, State of California, advising that a party will be held on Saturday evening, March 29, 1952, honoring Colonel John H. Skeggs, on the occasion of his retirement from State service.

*Copy to each member of the Board; filed.*

From Parents Committee Cub Scout Pack No. 163, making formal protest to the erection of stables in Golden Gate Park.

*Considered with item on calendar; referred to Finance Committee.*

From the San Francisco City and County Employees Union, Local 747, A.F.L., setting forth its opposition to the proposed legislation permitting the Controller to make deductions from city employee warrants for voluntary insurance plans.

*Filed.*

## Reference to Committee.

From the Civil Service Commission, transmitting administrative provisions of the salary standardization ordinance and requesting that consideration be postponed for one week.

Supervisor Christopher, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, moved that the matter be referred to the Finance Committee.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—9.

**Absent:** Supervisors Gallagher, McMurray—2.

**SPECIAL ORDER—2:00 P. M.**

**No Protestants—Referred to Director of Property.**

**Hearing of Protests—Vacation of Portions of Ripley Street and Peralta Avenue.**

Board of Supervisors to hear all persons interested in or objecting to the proposed vacation of portions of Ripley Street and Peralta Avenue, pursuant to provisions of Resolution No. 11928 (Series of 1939).

File No. 5050

There being no protestants, the *Clerk was directed to so inform the Director of Property.*

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS.****Final Passage.**

The following recommendations of Finance Committee, heretofore considered, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Gallagher, Arnold.

**Appropriating \$500, Electricity, for Overtime Allowance.**

File No. 8621, Ordinance No. 7194 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Gallagher, McMurray—2.

**Appropriating \$2,775, Recreation and Park, from Unappropriated Balance of 1947 Recreation Bond Fund, for Purchase of Playground Equipment.**

File No. 8630, Ordinance No. 7195 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Gallagher, McMurray—2.

**Appropriating \$2,163, San Francisco Hospital, for Three New Positions of Counter Attendant; Abolishing Three Positions of Waitress.**

File No. 8635-1, Ordinance No. 7196 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Gallagher, McMurray—2.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 58(a), San Francisco Hospital—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 8635-2, Ordinance No. 7197 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Gallagher, McMurray—2.

**Appropriating \$500, Public Works, Street Repair, for Overtime Allowance.**

File No. 8636, Ordinance No. 7198 (Series of 1939).

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*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Fardon, Lewis, McPhee, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Gallagher, McMurray—2.

**Appropriating \$4,950, Public Works, for Shop Equipment**

File No. 8637, Ordinance No. 7199 (Series of 1939)

(Equipment necessary for new Maintenance Building, Yard located at 2323 Army Street.)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Fardon, Lewis, McPhee, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Gallagher, McMurray—2.

**Final Passage.**

The following recommendation of Streets Committee, heretofore considered, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, McMurray, Sullivan

**Granting Revocable Permit to the Southern Pacific Company to Construct, Maintain and Operate a Spur Track in and Along Hawthorne Street Between Folsom and Harrison Streets.**

File No. 8618, Ordinance No. 7193 (Series of 1939)

February 18, 1952—Consideration continued to February 25, 1952

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Fardon, Lewis, McPhee, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Gallagher, McMurray—2.

**NEW BUSINESS.**

**Adopted.**

The following recommendations of Finance Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Gallagher, Arnold, Christopher

**Approving Recommendations, Public Welfare Department, Relative to Categorical Aids for the Month of March; Letters Dated February 19, 1952.**

File No. 7820, Resolution No. 12024 (Series of 1939)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Fardon, Lewis, McPhee, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Gallagher, McMurray—2.

**Approving Supplemental Recommendations, Public Welfare Department Relative to Categorical Aids; Letters Dated February 19, 1952.**

File No. 7821, Resolution No. 12025 (Series of 1939)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Fardon, Lewis, McPhee, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Gallagher, McMurray—2.

**Authorizing Extension of Granting of Emergency Relief to Dependent Non-Residents for March and April; List Dated February 25, 1952.**

File No. 7822, Resolution No. 12027 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Gallagher, McMurray—2.

**Authorizing Refunds of Duplicate and Erroneous Payments of Taxes for the Fiscal Year 1951-52.**

File No. 7827, Resolution No. 12029 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Gallagher, McMurray—2.

**Authorizing Release of Lien Against Real Property Recorded by the Public Welfare Department for Aid Extended to Hugh W. Dozier.**

File No. 7897, Resolution No. 12030 (Series of 1939).

(Full payment of \$48.91 made.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Gallagher, McMurray—2.

**Authorizing Attendance of Supervisor of Probation Services, Youth Guidance Center, at the Business Meeting and Regional Conference of the California Probation and Parole Officers' Association to Be Held in San Bernardino on March 7 and 8, 1952.**

File No. 8670, Resolution No. 12031 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Gallagher, McMurray—2.

**Authorizing Purchase of Real Property from H. G. Higgins et ux. for \$2,750, Required for School Project No. 14.**

File No. 8672, Resolution No. 12032 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Lot 6, Block 2340-A, located on east side of Twelfth Avenue, north of Santiago Street. Size: 25 feet by 120 feet. Vacant land.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Gallagher, McMurray—2.

**Authorizing Purchase of Real Property from Tiny B. Brown for \$16,571, Required for School Project No. 32.**

File No. 8673, Resolution No. 12033 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Lot 26, Block 706, located on the northerly side of O'Farrell Street, westerly of Steiner Street. Size: 22 feet by 82 feet 6 inches. Improvements: three-story frame house.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Gallagher, McMurray—3.

**Authorizing Purchase of Real Property from Fred Allen Robinson et ux.  
for \$11,530, Required for School Project No. 32.**

File No. 8674, Resolution No. 12034 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Lot 22, Block 706,  
located on O'Farrell Street, west of Steiner Street. Size:  
37 feet by 82 feet 6 inches. Improvements: two-story frame  
dwelling.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee,  
Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Gallagher, McMurray—3.

**Authorizing Treasurer to Sell Certain Stock Bequeathed to the City and  
County by Augusto Brunetti, Deceased.**

File No. 8681, Resolution No. 12035 (Series of 1939).

(Seven shares of Transamerica Corporation and one share  
of Bancamerica N. T. & S. A.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mac-  
Phee, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Gallagher, McMurray—2.

**Waiving Statute of Limitation and Authorizing Payment of Warrant  
for \$30 to Scott-Moser.**

File No. 8689, Resolution No. 12036 (Series of 1939).

(Warrant covering refund of deposit for special permit was  
not presented in time for payment.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mac-  
Phee, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Gallagher, McMurray—2.

**Passage for Second Reading.****Amending Section 116, Part I, Municipal Code, to Authorize Purchase  
in the Open Market of Articles Which a Contractor Has Failed to  
Deliver in the Quantity or Manner Called for.**

File No. 8666, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Excess price to be collected from contractor or sureties  
on his bond.)

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mac-  
Phee, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Gallagher, McMurray—2.

**Authorizing Compromise and Settlement of Claim of the City and  
County Against Devincenzi Brothers by the Acceptance of \$400.**

File No. 8671, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Personal injuries suffered by Theodore A. Pedersen, city  
engineer.)

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mac-  
Phee, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Gallagher, McMurray—2.

**Reference to Committee.**

**Authorizing Compromise and Settlement of Claim of Leo J. Meyberg Company Against the City and County by Authorizing Relocation of Poles at Market and Valencia Streets.**

File No. 8679, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(Cost estimated at \$5,000.)

**Motion to Refer.**

Supervisor Gallagher explained that the matter was on the calendar by error, and moved that it be re-referred to Finance Committee, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso.

**Discussion.**

Supervisor Mancuso inquired of Mr. Brooks as to whether or not this was brought about by the city cutting the corner at Valencia and Market Street.

Mr. Brooks explained that it was the result of the city installing sidewalks at Valencia and Market Streets. Meyberg Company filed suit for \$261,000 on grounds that by moving the sidewalk it took people away from their windows. Matter can be settled by city moving poles from their present location out to the new street line at cost of about \$5,000.

Motion to recommit *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Passage for Second Reading.**

**Appropriating \$968, California Palace of the Legion of Honor, for Fuel, Illuminants and Lubricants.**

File No. 8680, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Reference to Committee.**

The following measure from Finance Committee, with recommendation "do not pass," was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Gallagher, Arnold, Christopher.

**Approving Lease Between the Recreation and Park Commission and Equestrian Foundation, Inc., of Certain Land in Golden Gate Park Required for Equestrian Activities and Stabling Facilities.**

File No. 8233, Ordinance No. . . (Series of 1939).

(20-year lease. Rental of \$100 per year and percentage of revenue. Financial statement to be forwarded yearly and more often if requested. Lessor shall be indemnified; adequate insurance shall be carried. Upon termination of lease, all buildings, structures and other improvements shall revert to Lessor. Lessor may terminate lease at any time. Lessor may charge 15 per cent or any other amount of gate receipts of any games, exhibitions or other activities held in connection with any of the equestrian facilities where admission is charged.)

**Motion to Refer to Recreation and Park Commission.**

Supervisor MacPhee, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, moved that the matter be referred to the Recreation and Park Commission for such action as they may wish to take.



**Motion to Recommit.**

Supervisor Gallagher, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, moved, a substitute, that the legislation be re-referred to Finance Committee.

*Motion to recommit carried by the following vote:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Fardon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**OFF-CALENDAR LEGISLATION.****Adopted.**

The following recommendation of the Finance Committee was presented by the Clerk:

**Authorizing Extension of Granting of Aid to Non-Resident Indigents for February and March, 1952; List Dated February 25, 1952.**

File No. 7822, Resolution No. 12026 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Fardon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Reference to Committee.**

The following emergency measures, appearing on the supplemental calendar, were taken up:

**Appropriating \$17,000, Registrar of Voters, from the General Fund Compensation Reserve, for Temporary Salaries and Overtime; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 8713, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

**Appropriating \$20,000, Public Health, Bureau of Child Hygiene, from the Estimated Revenues of the General Fund (Revenue Appropriation No. 6760—State Aid for Crippled Children's Program), for Care and Treatment of Crippled Children; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 8714, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

**Appropriating \$1,500, Fire Department, from General Fund Compensation Reserve, for the Replacement of Permanent Employees on Fire Boats on Sick Leave With Pay; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 8715, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939)

**Appropriating \$13,544.40, California Academy of Sciences, Steinhart Aquarium, from Surplus in General Fund Reserve for Adjustments, for Building Repairs and Safety Installations to Comply With Instructions from State Division of Industrial Safety; an Emergency Measure**

File No. 8716, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939)

**Motion to Commit.**

Supervisor Gallagher, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, moved, that the foregoing emergency measures, appearing on the supplemental calendar, be referred to Finance Committee.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Fardon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Consideration Continued.**

The following recommendations of the Judiciary Committee were presented by the Clerk:

**Authorizing the Controller to Deduct Moneys from the Salaries or Wages of Officers or Employees of the City and County of San Francisco and of the San Francisco Unified School District, for the Payment of Premiums on Group Life, Accident, Health or Disability Insurance Issued to the Officers or Employees Insured Under a Plan of Group Insurance.**

File No. 8504, Ordinance No. . (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Continue Consideration.**

Supervisor Mancuso stated that it was his understanding that a request had been made of the City Attorney for an opinion as to the validity of the proposed legislation, but that a report had not been received.

Supervisor Mancuso, seconded by Supervisor Lewis, moved that the matter be continued for one week; that he be furnished with a copy of the legislation; and that the City Attorney be requested to render a legal opinion as to the validity of the legislation.

**Discussion.**

Supervisor Dobbs explained that the matter had been considered by the Judiciary Committee at two different meetings and both times received the recommendation of the Committee. He stated that it was his opinion that the legislation should be enacted to assure certain individuals of securing proper medical care from organizations other than the Health Service System.

Supervisor Mancuso called attention to a communication from Mr. Cuniffe, president of the Health Service Board, contending that the legislation was illegal.

Mr. Ross, Controller, informed the Board as to the procedure followed in making deductions from employee warrants and remarked that the cost to the city would be minor, if any. He further stated that it was a question of policy as to whether or not the Board wants to permit payroll deductions.

**Point of Order.**

Supervisor MacPhee rose to a point of order. He stated that there was a motion before the Board and that the present discussion was out of order.

The Chair ruled that although there was a motion pending, it desired to know if the mover would withdraw it temporarily.

**Motion Withdrawn.**

Supervisor Mancuso, the maker of the motion, said that he would temporarily withdraw it.

**Request to Withdraw Second.**

Supervisor Lewis requested permission to withdraw his second to the motion.

**Motion to Continue Consideration.**

Supervisor Mancuso, seconded by Supervisor MacPhee, moved that the legislation now before the Board, as a recommendation of the Judiciary Committee, remain on the calendar for one week; that

the City Attorney be requested to render a legal opinion as to the validity of the legislation in view of the recommendation transmitted to the Board by the Health Service System under date of February 25th.

Mr. Peddicord, Deputy City Attorney, in reply to inquiry by Supervisor Gallagher, informed the Board that the City Attorney has had no written request for an opinion. That the legislation had come in for approval as to form; and that it was in conformity with the procedure followed at the present time and with the California state law.

Motion to continue consideration carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Gallagher, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—7.

Noes: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mead—4.

**Ordered Submitted.**

**Charter Amendment—Section 50, California Palace of the Legion of Honor, to Permit Increase in Membership of the Board of Trustees so That It Shall Not Exceed Seventeen in Number.**

File 8668

*Ordered submitted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Adopted.**

The following recommendation of his Honor, the Mayor, was presented by the Clerk:

**Leaves of Absence—Belford Brown, Member of the Retirement Board, March 2-21; Fred D. Parr, Member of the Recreation and Park Commission, One Week Commencing February 23; Harry J. Steward, Member of the Retirement Board, March 13-21, 1952; All With Permission to Leave the State.**

File No. 7823, Resolution No. 12028 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, moved the adoption of the foregoing measure.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF MEASURES AND COMMUNICATIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.**

**Request of Supervisor Christopher for Information as to the Cost of Complying With Recent Court Ruling Concerning Length of Work Day for Platform Men and Bus Operators.**

Supervisor Christopher requested that the Public Utilities Commission furnish this Board with definite information as to the cost of complying with the recent court ruling concerning length of work day for platform men and bus operators; and that the figures be audited and verified by the Controller prior to submission to the Board.

*Clerk directed to secure desired information.*

**Request of Supervisor Lewis Concerning Status of Legislation Calling for Private Ownership of the Municipal Railway.**

Supervisor Lewis requested that the Clerk ascertain the status of the legislation calling for private ownership of the Municipal Railway and that he, Supervisor Lewis, be informed thereof prior to the Board meeting of March 3rd.

*Clerk directed to secure desired information.*

**Request of Supervisor Lewis That Proper Committee Discuss With Director of Public Health Possibility of Fluoride Causing Cancer.**

Supervisor Lewis requested that in view of the statements alleged to have been made by Dr. Alfred Taylor of the University of Texas Bio-Chemical Institute before the House Rules Committee, that the placing of fluoride in the water supply would cause cancer, the proper committee discuss this matter with the Director of Public Health.

*Referred to the Public Health and Welfare Committee.*

**Adopted.**

**Congratulating Mills College on the Occasion of Its 100th Anniversary.**

Supervisor MacPhee presented:

File No. 8717, Resolution No. 12037 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor MacPhee, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, moved adoption of the foregoing measure.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Accepting Gift of \$1,000 from Anonymous Donor for Construction of Log Cabin Ranch School for Boys Swimming Pool; and Thanking Various Donors.**

Supervisor MacPhee presented:

File No. 8718, Resolution No. 12038 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor MacPhee, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, moved adoption of the foregoing measure.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Request of Supervisor Mancuso Re Free Pass Privileges on Municipal Railway.**

Supervisor Mancuso requested that the Public Utilities Commission furnish information as to who is permitted to ride free on street cars; what, if anything, is done concerning postal employees; and the possibility of eliminating free pass privileges for all persons, including policemen, firemen and municipal railway personnel.

*Clerk directed to secure desired information.*

**Reference to Committee.**

**Official Bulletin of San Francisco Labor Council Re Additional Crossings Over San Francisco Bay.**

Supervisor Mancuso presented the Official Bulletin of the San Francisco Labor Council relative to the proposed Southern Crossing and requested that it be referred to the proper committee and that

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the committee give consideration to working with the [redacted] Commission for the purpose of expediting the construction of the Southern Crossing.

*Referred to County, State and National Affairs Committee.*

**Motion Carried.**

**Attendance at Meeting of Board of Governors and Federal Lands Committee of the County Supervisors' Association, Sacramento.**

Supervisor Mancuso, seconded by Supervisor Arnoldi, moved that in addition to the authorized members of the Board of Directors, any members of the Board of Supervisors who desires to attend the meeting of the Board of Directors and the Federal Lands Committee of the County Supervisors' Association, to be held in Sacramento on March 7th and during the week commencing March 10th, be permitted to do so; provided that funds are available for the purpose.

File No. 8719

No objection and motion carried

**Reference to Committee.**

**Urging Federal Loan for Construction of an Earth-Fill Type Southern Crossing of San Francisco Bay.**

Supervisor McMurray presented:

File No. 8720, Resolution No. [redacted] (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor McMurray, seconded by Supervisor Gallagher, moved the adoption of the foregoing measure.

**Discussion.**

Supervisor Mancuso explained that in his opinion the legislation did not go far enough; that it was his belief that a committee should be formed to get legislation through Congress and then go after the money for the construction of the Southern Crossing.

Supervisor MacPhee remarked that he did not believe that the legislation should be passed at this time, and that perhaps an early meeting should be held with the Toll Bridge Authority to see if they would go after this matter and see that the bridge is built.

Supervisor Mancuso stated that he did not believe that San Francisco would have a southern crossing as long as the present administration was in power in Sacramento.

**Point of Order.**

Supervisor MacPhee rose to a point of order, that the discussion was not being directed to the motion pending.

Chair ruled Supervisor Mancuso out of order.

**Discussion Continued.**

Supervisor MacPhee explained that he did not believe that the legislation would accomplish what was desired, and that a committee should be formed consisting of the Mayor, Director of Public Works, Chief Administrative Officer and the Rapid Transit Commission to discuss the matter with the California Toll Bridge Authority.

**Motion to Commit.**

Supervisor Arnold said that he did not believe that the legislation should be voted on at this time and, accordingly, moved that the foregoing measure be referred to the Joint Streets and Buildings Committee.

The Chair ruled the motion out of order.

The Chair inquired as to whether or not there were any Supervisors who were opposed to the enactment of the legislation.

There being objections, the Chair thereupon *referred the legislation to the County, State and National Affairs Committee.*

**ADJOURNMENT.**

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 4:00 p. m., adjourned.

JOHN R. McGRATH, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors March 10, 1952.

I, John R. McGrath, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the date hereon stated and approved as recited.

JOHN R. McGRATH,  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.







Monday, March 3, 1952  
Thursday, March 6, 1952

# Journal of Proceedings Board of Supervisors





# JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MONDAY, MARCH 3, 1952—2:00 P. M.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, March 3, 1952,  
2:00 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session

## CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Marcuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Gallagher, Lewis—2.

Quorum present.

President Dewey Mead presiding.

Supervisor Lewis noted present at 2:17 p. m.

Supervisor Gallagher excused from attendance (See below).

## Supervisor Gallagher Excused.

Supervisor Arnold moved, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, that Supervisor Gallagher be excused from Board attendance, due to illness.

No objection and motion carried.

## APPROVAL OF JOURNAL.

The Journal of Proceedings for February 11-15, 1952, was considered read and approved.

## Communications.

From U. S. Conference of Mayors, urging that those members of the Board who desire to attend the 20th Anniversary Annual Conference to be held in New York City on May 15, 16, 1952, make hotel reservations as soon as possible.

*Copy to each member of Board; referred to County, State and National Affairs Committee.*

From Raymond A. Hansen, copy of letter addressed to the Redevelopment Agency, advising that he owns property located in the Diamond Heights Redevelopment area.

*Ordered filed.*

From Harry I. Morrison, opposing proposed legislation imposing tow-away regulations from 4 to 6 a. m., on the south side of Market Street, between Valencia Street and The Embarcadero.

*Ordered filed.*

From Public Utilities Commission, information bulletin relative to activities at the San Francisco Airport.

*Copy to each member of Board; ordered filed.*

From the Civil Service Commission, report on its review and analysis of data transmitted to it by the Board of Supervisors relative to salary standardization.

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

#### SPECIAL ORDER—2:00 P. M.

*Referred to Real Estate Department.*

**Hearing of Protests—Vacation of Portion of Thirteenth Street Westerly from Harrison Street.**

Board of Supervisors to hear protests, if any, of all persons interested in or objecting to the proposed vacation of portion of Thirteenth Street, westerly from Harrison Street, pursuant to notice of intention given in Resolution No. 11991 (Series of 1939).

File No. 8584

There appearing no protestants, the foregoing measure was *referred to the Real Estate Department for further action.*

#### UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

##### Final Passage.

The following recommendations of Finance Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Gallagher, Arnold, Christopher.

**Authorizing Acceptance of \$1,000 and Conveyance of Certain Land to Atlas Realty Company in Exchange for Certain Real Property for McLaren Park.**

File No. 8651, Ordinance No. 7204 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan.

Real property to be traded: Lot 2 and portion of Lot 1, Block 6130, located at intersection of southwesterly line of Dartmouth Street and the southeasterly line of Dwight Street. Size: 120 feet by 200 feet. Vacant land.

Real property to be acquired: Lot 3, Block 6130, located on southwesterly side of Madison Street, 100 feet northwesterly from Bacon Street. Size: 100 feet by 120 feet. Vacant land. Lot 10, Block 6130, located at Knox and Burrows Streets. Size: 100 feet by 120 feet. Vacant land.)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Gallagher, Lewis—2.

**Appropriating \$50,000, Public Works, from Special Road Improvement Fund, for Extension of Winston Drive to Lake Merced Boulevard.**

File No. 8654, Ordinance No. 7206 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan.)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Gallagher, Lewis—2.

**Appropriating \$1,601, Public Health, Central Office, for Purchase of Equipment for New Chinese Health Center.**

File No. 8656, Ordinance No. 7207 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Gallagher, Lewis—2.

**Appropriating \$27,000, Water Department, for Overtime to Per Diem Employees.**

File No. 8652, Ordinance No. 7205 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Gallagher, Lewis—2.

**Consideration Continued.**

The following measure from Finance Committee, heretofore considered, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors MacPhee, Fazackerley.

**Appropriating \$28,850, Board of Supervisors—Municipal Government Survey Advisory Committee, for Contractual Services.**

File No. 8364, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(For purpose of continuing and completing survey under direction of Survey Advisory Committee, of all departments, offices and agencies of the City, with the exception of the Unified School District, in order to design a controlled record-keeping system, and to supervise installation of record center and train necessary personnel incident to organization and management of such central depository of records.)

February 18, 1952—Consideration continued to March 3, 1952.

**Motion to Defer Consideration—Lost.**

Supervisor Arnold moved, seconded by Supervisor McMurray, that due to information being sought by Supervisor Gallagher and which to date had not been fully forthcoming, and also because the Supervisor is absent on account of illness, consideration of the foregoing measure be continued for a period of one week.

*Motion lost by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, McMurray, Mead—4.

Noes: Supervisors Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, Sullivan—5.

Absent: Supervisors Gallagher, Lewis—2.

The Chair expressed the opinion that to allow consideration of the subject measure to be continued for one week was simply a courtesy that should be allowed any Supervisor, and in this particular case, Supervisor Gallagher happened to be the Chairman of the Committee having jurisdiction over the pending measure.

Supervisor MacPhee asserted that he believed Supervisor Gallagher had already decided how he would vote, and that the Board should therefore vote on the measure today.

The above statement by Supervisor MacPhee was refuted by Supervisor Arnold, who declared that he had spoken to Supervisor Gallagher on the matter and he had expressed a desire to obtain all the information he is seeking and to have the privilege of questioning certain department heads.

**Motion to Defer Consideration—Carried.**

In view of Supervisor Arnold's statement, Supervisor Mancuso moved, seconded by Supervisor McMurray, that consideration of the foregoing measure be continued for a period of one week.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Noes: Supervisors Christopher, Ferdon—2.

Absent: Supervisors Gallagher, Lewis—2.

*Consideration continued one week.*

**Final Passage.**

The following recommendation of Streets Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, McMurray, Sullivan.

**Ordering the Improvement of Florentine Avenue from Brunswick Street Northerly to Existing Pavement, and Extending City Aid in Approximate Amount of \$1,800.**

File No. 8622, Ordinance No. 7203 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Gallagher—1.

**Passage for Second Reading.**

The following recommendation of Judiciary Committee, heretofore considered, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon.

**Authorizing Controller to Make Payroll Deductions for Payment of Group Insurance Premiums.**

File No. 8504, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

February 25, 1952—Consideration continued to March 3, 1952.

**Communications.**

The Clerk read communications from the Hospital and Institutional Workers' Union, Local 250; City and County Employees Union, Local 400, A. F. of L.; and San Francisco Federation of Municipal Employees, urging passage of the subject measure.

The Clerk likewise read an opinion from the City Attorney ruling on the validity of the pending measure.

The roll was thereupon called and the foregoing measure was passed for second reading by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Gallagher—1.

**NEW BUSINESS.****Adopted.**

The following recommendations of Finance Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Gallagher, Arnold, Christopher.

**Approving Supplemental Recommendations, Public Welfare Department  
Relative to Categorical Aids; Letters Dated February 26, 1960**

File No. 7821, Resolution No. 12043 (Series 12040)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christensen, DeLoach, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan

Absent: Supervisor Gallagher—1

**Authorizing Extension of Granting of Emergency Relief to Non-Residents for March and April; List Dated March 1, 1960**

File No. 7522, Resolution No. 12044 (Series 12040)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christensen, DeLoach, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan

Absent: Supervisor Gallagher—1

**Authorizing Refund of Duplicate and Erroneous Payments of Taxes for  
the Fiscal Years 1950-51 and 1951-52.**

File No. 7827, Resolution No. 12045 (Series 12040)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christensen, DeLoach, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan

Absent: Supervisor Gallagher—1

**Authorizing Release of Lien on Property Reported by the Public  
Welfare Department for Aid Extended to Hope McCord**

File No. 7897, Resolution No. 12046 (Series 12040)

(Full payment of \$537.63 made)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christensen, DeLoach, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan

Absent: Supervisor Gallagher—1

**Conferring on the Public Welfare Department Certain Duties and  
Functions in Connection With the Approval of Applications for  
Public Assistance Pursuant to Section 7.1 of the Welfare and Institutions  
Code Added by Chapter 772, Statutes of 1951, and Rescinding  
Resolution No. 11835 (Series of 1939).**

File No. 6563-1, Resolution No. 12047 (Series 12040)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christensen, DeLoach, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan

Absent: Supervisor Gallagher—1

**Authorizing Extension of Lease of Ground Floor Space at 2207 South  
Street, Required by the Department of Public Health**

File No. 8686, Resolution No. 12061 (Series 12040)

(Extension is for one year from April 1, 1960,  
at \$55 per month; for public health office)

**Statement by Chief Administrative Officer**

Supervisor MacPhee inquired into the existing  
ongoing lease and Mr. Brooks, Chief Administrative Officer,  
that health centers were to be located in the building.

in the case of public school nurses who utilize them. The roll was thereupon called and the foregoing measure was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Gallagher—1.

**Declaring the San Francisco News to Be the Official Newspaper for the City and County of San Francisco for the Year Ending March 31, 1953.**

File No. 3694, Resolution No. 12062 (Series of 1939).

(Bid price: \$0.161 per line.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Gallagher—1.

**Authorizing Cancellation of Taxes on Certain Property Acquired by the State of California for Highway Purposes.**

File No. 8705, Resolution No. 12064 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Gallagher—1.

**Authorizing Cancellation of Taxes on Certain Property Acquired by the State of California for Highway Purposes.**

File No. 8706, Resolution No. 12065 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Gallagher—1.

**Authorizing Purchase of Real Property from Estate of Evelyn C. Lyman for \$3,050, Required for the Construction of Stanley Drive Between Alemany and Junipero Serra Boulevards.**

File No. 8707, Resolution No. 12066 (Series of 1939).

(Seven lots, different sizes. Vacant. In conformity with Master Plan.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Gallagher—1.

**Authorizing Extension of Lease of Ground Floor Space at 3165 Steiner Street, Required by the Department of Public Health.**

File No. 8708, Resolution No. 12067 (Series of 1939).

(Extension is for one year from March 1, 1952, at rental of \$150 per month. Property is used for the Marina-North Beach Health Center.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Gallagher—1.



MONDAY, MARCH 3, 1952

*(Supervisor Christopher dissenting)*

**Authorizing Attendance of Water Department Representatives at the Annual Conference of the American Water Works Association to Be Held in Kansas City During Period May 4-9, 1952.**

File No. 8698, Resolution No. 12063 (Series C) 1939

**Statement by Supervisor Christopher.**

Supervisor Christopher stated that while he was aware of the fact that city departments belong to many of the same associations in order to gain information which would be helpful to the city in various ways, attendance at such conventions must be kept down. He had always contended that a single representative from each department could very well accomplish the purpose of such attendance, and thereupon moved, seconded by Supervisor Dobbs, that only one representative be authorized to attend.

Supervisor Arnold stated that the Finance Committee had recommended in this case the attendance of two representatives, this being necessary

**Motion Lost.**

The roll was thereupon called and the motion to delete one representative lost by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee—4.

Noes: Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon, Mancuso, McMurry, Mead, Sullivan—6.

Absent: Supervisor Gallagher—1.

The roll was thereupon called and the foregoing measure was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurry, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Noes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, MacPhee—3.

Absent: Supervisor Gallagher—1.

**Consideration Temporarily Postponed.**

**Motion Authorizing Rental of Bleachers for Civic Celebration to Be Held on March 16, 1952.**

It is moved that the Clerk of the Board be and he is hereby authorized to issue a requisition for a purchase order for the renting, transporting, erecting, and removing of bleachers, the cost of which shall not exceed the sum of \$350, for the civic celebration to be held on March 16, 1952; provided funds are available for such purpose.

**Discussion.**

Supervisor MacPhee asked if funds had been set up in the 1952 budget to pay the requested \$350.

The Clerk of the Board stated that no appropriation for this purpose had been set up but that his office had been advised by the Controller that the amount in question would be available.

There being no objection, consideration of the foregoing measure was temporarily postponed pending appearance of the Controller.

*Consideration temporarily postponed. (See later action for adoption of measure.)*

**Passage for Second Reading.**

**Appropriating \$9,961.48. Public Health, for Contractual Services, Maintenance and Repair of Buildings, and Materials and Supplies.**

File No. 8525, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Maintenance and Repair of Buildings—

Administration	\$1,300.00
Contractual Services—Accounting	100.00
Materials and Supplies—Statistics	400.00
Maintenance and Repair of Automotive Equipment—	
Milk Inspection	800.00
Contractual Services—Communicable Diseases	230.00
Use of Employees' Cars—Communicable Diseases	400.00
Contractual Services—Venereal Disease Control	150.00
Materials and Supplies—Mental Hygiene	50.00
Materials and Supplies—Bacteriological Laboratory	500.00
Contractual Services—Child Hygiene	100.00
Materials and Supplies—Dental Bureau	200.00
Contractual Services—Food and Sanitary Inspection	1,700.00
Use of Employees' Cars—Food and Sanitary	
Inspection	1,700.00
Contractual Services—Public Health Nursing	250.00
Use of Employees' Cars—Public Health Nursing	1,081.48
Photographic Supplies—Tuberculosis Bureau	1,000.00)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Gallagher—2.

**Appropriating \$810, Public Welfare, for New Position of Social Service Worker.**

File No. 8677-1, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Gallagher, Lewis—2.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 66, Public Welfare Department—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 8677-2, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Gallagher, Lewis—2.

**Authorizing Compromise and Settlement of Claim of Leo J. Meyberg Company Against the City and County by Authorizing the Relocation of Poles at Market and Valencia Streets.**

File No. 8679, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Cost estimated at sum of \$5,000.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Gallagher, Lewis—2.

## MONDAY, JAN. 11, 1910.

Creating Twelve Positions of Assistant Clerk in the Bureau of Prisons  
for the Purpose of Countersigning Various Bonds

File No. 3699, Ordinance No. 1803 (S. 1000)

Passed for Second Reading by the House of Commons on 11th July 1990.

Ayes: Supervisor Arnold, Chao, Cook, DeLeon, Duggan, Egan, Fung, Geronzi, Harwood, Hines, Johnson, Kopp, Lachar, Lattin, Mancuso, McMurray, Mend, Sullivan, 19.

Absent: Supervisors Gallagher, LaRocca, ...

Authorizing Lease of Certain Surplus San Francisco Army Airfield  
Located in San Mateo County for Agricultural Purposes

File No. of LO, Ordinance No. \_\_\_\_\_ Section \_\_\_\_\_

## Statement by Manager of Utilities

Abstract: Supervisory Guidelines: 1

Appropriating \$1,140, San Francisco Hospital, for New Position  
Senior Clerk; Abolishing Position of General Clerk-Superintendent

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*Passed for Speed Reimbursement* \_\_\_\_\_

Ayes: Supervisors A and C, Councilmembers 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, 244, 245, 246, 247, 248, 249, 250, 251, 252, 253, 254, 255, 256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261, 262, 263, 264, 265, 266, 267, 268, 269, 270, 271, 272, 273, 274, 275, 276, 277, 278, 279, 280, 281, 282, 283, 284, 285, 286, 287, 288, 289, 290, 291, 292, 293, 294, 295, 296, 297, 298, 299, 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 307, 308, 309, 310, 311, 312, 313, 314, 315, 316, 317, 318, 319, 320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, 332, 333, 334, 335, 336, 337, 338, 339, 340, 341, 342, 343, 344, 345, 346, 347, 348, 349, 350, 351, 352, 353, 354, 355, 356, 357, 358, 359, 360, 361, 362, 363, 364, 365, 366, 367, 368, 369, 370, 371, 372, 373, 374, 375, 376, 377, 378, 379, 380, 381, 382, 383, 384, 385, 386, 387, 388, 389, 390, 391, 392, 393, 394, 395, 396, 397, 398, 399, 400, 401, 402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 407, 408, 409, 410, 411, 412, 413, 414, 415, 416, 417, 418, 419, 420, 421, 422, 423, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, 429, 430, 431, 432, 433, 434, 435, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 443, 444, 445, 446, 447, 448, 449, 450, 451, 452, 453, 454, 455, 456, 457, 458, 459, 460, 461, 462, 463, 464, 465, 466, 467, 468, 469, 470, 471, 472, 473, 474, 475, 476, 477, 478, 479, 480, 481, 482, 483, 484, 485, 486, 487, 488, 489, 490, 491, 492, 493, 494, 495, 496, 497, 498, 499, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510, 511, 512, 513, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 521, 522, 523, 524, 525, 526, 527, 528, 529, 530, 531, 532, 533, 534, 535, 536, 537, 538, 539, 540, 541, 542, 543, 544, 545, 546, 547, 548, 549, 550, 551, 552, 553, 554, 555, 556, 557, 558, 559, 560, 561, 562, 563, 564, 565, 566, 567, 568, 569, 570, 571, 572, 573, 574, 575, 576, 577, 578, 579, 580, 581, 582, 583, 584, 585, 586, 587, 588, 589, 590, 591, 592, 593, 594, 595, 596, 597, 598, 599, 600, 601, 602, 603, 604, 605, 606, 607, 608, 609, 610, 611, 612, 613, 614, 615, 616, 617, 618, 619, 620, 621, 622, 623, 624, 625, 626, 627, 628, 629, 630, 631, 632, 633, 634, 635, 636, 637, 638, 639, 640, 641, 642, 643, 644, 645, 646, 647, 648, 649, 650, 651, 652, 653, 654, 655, 656, 657, 658, 659, 660, 661, 662, 663, 664, 665, 666, 667, 668, 669, 670, 671, 672, 673, 674, 675, 676, 677, 678, 679, 680, 681, 682, 683, 684, 685, 686, 687, 688, 689, 690, 691, 692, 693, 694, 695, 696, 697, 698, 699, 700, 701, 702, 703, 704, 705, 706, 707, 708, 709, 710, 711, 712, 713, 714, 715, 716, 717, 718, 719, 720, 721, 722, 723, 724, 725, 726, 727, 728, 729, 730, 731, 732, 733, 734, 735, 736, 737, 738, 739, 740, 741, 742, 743, 744, 745, 746, 747, 748, 749, 750, 751, 752, 753, 754, 755, 756, 757, 758, 759, 760, 761, 762, 763, 764, 765, 766, 767, 768, 769, 770, 771, 772, 773, 774, 775, 776, 777, 778, 779, 780, 781, 782, 783, 784, 785, 786, 787, 788, 789, 790, 791, 792, 793, 794, 795, 796, 797, 798, 799, 800, 801, 802, 803, 804, 805, 806, 807, 808, 809, 810, 811, 812, 813, 814, 815, 816, 817, 818, 819, 820, 821, 822, 823, 824, 825, 826, 827, 828, 829, 830, 831, 832, 833, 834, 835, 836, 837, 838, 8

Absent, Supervisor is Gallardo, L.

## Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Sections 58 and 59.1, San Francisco Hospital—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item

File No. 8557-2, Ordinance No. \_\_\_\_\_, Session 1999

*Passed for Second Reading by the following:*

Ayes: Supervisors: Arnold, Chr. St. Pierre, DeLeon, Feltz, G. Hernandez, J. Hernandez, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan. 9

Absent: Supervisors Gallagher, Lee 2

### Final Passage.

Appropriating \$17,000, Registrar, for Temporary Salaries and Overtime  
an Emergency Measure

File No. 8713, Ordinance No. 7201 (Series 0000)

(Temporary salaries	
Overtime	

*Finally Passed by the following vote*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dodd, Felt, M. H. Fisher, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan. 9

Absent Supervisors Gallagher, L. 100 100 2

**Appropriating \$20,000, Public Health, Child Hygiene, for Care and Treatment of Crippled Children; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 3714, Ordinance No. 7200 (Series of 1939).

(City to be reimbursed by the State.)

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Gallagher, Lewis—2.

**Appropriating \$13,544.40, Steinhart Aquarium, for Building Repairs and Safety Installations; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 3716, Ordinance No. 7202 (Series of 1939).

**Discussion.**

The Chief Administrative Officer informed the Board that the proposed measure came into being as a result of a request from the State that certain safety measures be taken to safeguard the public health, and that it would be unwise to delay the work until the next fiscal year.

Supervisor Mancuso expressed the opinion that the matter should be considered during the forthcoming budget deliberations.

Supervisor Mancuso asked the Chief Administrative Officer if he had considered charging a nominal admission fee. Mr. Brooks replied that he believed such a procedure might be made applicable to adults, but would not be proper if applied to children. However, he suggested that the Supervisor could request a report from him on the matter.

**Request for Report.**

Supervisor Mancuso accordingly requested that the Chief Administrative Officer be asked to render a report on the feasibility and advisability of charging adults a nominal admission fee to the Steinhart Aquarium and to such other institutions under his jurisdiction as are tax-supported.

No objection and the Clerk *was directed to comply*.

The roll was thereupon called and the foregoing measure was *finally passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Gallagher—1.

**Resumption of Consideration of File No. 8733—Motion Authorizing Rental of Bleachers for Civic Celebration to Be Held on March 16, 1952.**

The Controller informed the Board that the amount of \$350 would be transferred from surplus in the Board's Contractual Services account.

The Clerk informed Supervisor MacPhee that the surplus would be available due to savings being effected in printing costs.

The Chief Administrative Officer asserted that if funds are provided in the forthcoming budget, it was his intention to purchase metal bleachers, which would be stored in the Department of Public Works' yard on Army Street, and that each request for the use of the same would be considered strictly on its merits.

Motion to Adopt

There ~~upon~~ Supervisor Arnold moved, ~~and~~ Mr. M. J. Sullivan, that the foregoing be adopted.

Adopted by the Board, 12-10-0.

Ayes—Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, McLean, Sullivan.

Absent—Supervisors Gallagher, Lee.

Reference to Committee

Suspension of Rules—Lost

Supervisor Arnold presented the following resolution to the Finance Committee out of order:

Appropriating \$1,500 Fire Department, for Key ~~to~~ Employees on Sick Leave—Fire Boat's, an Emergency

File No. 715. Original No. 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195.

Discussion

Supervisor Christopher inquired of the Board as to the recommendation of the Finance Committee, and was informed that such committee was not competent to consider such a measure, having been taken in connection with the Fire Department, and that if he were again bypassed by the Board, he would renew his request that his committee be selected.

Supervisor Arnold stated that he was not in favor of Supervisor Gallagher's proposition, and that the foregoing measures were not adopted by the Board because of its urgency as stated in the resolution, and that in telephonic communication with the Board, it was considered expedient to refer the same to the Finance Committee.

Supervisor Christopher expressed his regret that meetings of Finance Committee could not be held over the telephone and therefore the subject was referred to the Finance Committee, and that the Board in proper fashion.

Supervisor Arnold stated that the measure should never be a committee matter, and that the membership should be selected by the Board.

Suspension of Rules

Thereupon Supervisor Arnold moved, and Mr. J. M. MacPhee, for the purpose of considering the foregoing resolution.

Supervisor MacPhee objected, stating that the subject was referred to the Finance Committee.

Privilege of the Floor

The privilege of the floor was extended to the Fire Department, and extended to the Board of the measure.

Query

Supervisor Mancuso inquired of the Board as to the recommendation of the Finance Committee, with respect to the number of employees on the date of a fire.

Mr. Peddicord read the provisions of Section 100, and advised that it would require nine men to be on duty at all times desired.

The President thereupon informed the Board that it would require eight votes to suspend the rules in order to give consideration, out of the regular order of business, to the measure, and nine votes to pass the measure.

*No further action taken.*

**Adopted.**

The following recommendations of Police Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors McMurray, Ferdon.

**Authorizing the Temporary Closing of Austin Street Between Polk and Larkin Streets, During Certain Hours, When the Redding School Is in Session.**

File No. 8611, Resolution No. 12048 (Series of 1939).

(8 to 9 a. m.; 12 noon to 1 p. m.; 2:30 to 5:30 p. m.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Gallagher—1.

**Adding Woodside Avenue into Laguna Honda Boulevard to List of Street Intersections from Which Left-Hand Turns Are Prohibited at All Times.**

File No. 8612, Resolution No. 12049 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Sullivan—4.

**Designating and Rescinding Designations of Certain "Stop" Intersections.**

File No. 8613, Resolution No. 12050 (Series of 1939).

(Designating:

Woodside Avenue and Laguna Honda Boulevard, south-east corner.

Rescinding designation of:

Woodside Avenue and Laguna Honda Boulevard, northeast corner;

Mission Street and South Van Ness Avenue, northeast and southwest corners;

Center Island on east side of intersection of South Van Ness Avenue and Mission Street.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Sullivan—4.

**Adding Vallejo Street, South Side, for a Distance of 90 Feet East of Battery Street, to List of Streets on Which Parking Is Prohibited Between 6 P. M. and 7 A. M.**

File No. 8634, Resolution No. 12051 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Sullivan—4.

**Amending Resolution No. 7394 (Series of 1939), Establishing Parking Meter Regulations in Parking Meter Zone No. 6, by Adding Therein Hyde Street from Pine Street to Sutter Street, and Bush Street from Larkin Street to Leavenworth Street.**

File No. 8643, Resolution No. 12052 (Series of 1939)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferguson, M. P. Mancuso, McMurray, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Gallagher, Lewis, Sullivan—3.

**Deleting Portions of Hyde and Bush Streets from List of Streets on Which Parking Is Restricted to Sixty Minutes, During Specified Hours, Sundays and Holidays Excepted.**

File No. 8659, Resolution No. 12053 (Series of 1939)

(7 a. m. to 6 p. m.:

Hyde Street, between Pine and Sutter Streets.)

Bush Street, south side, between Larkin and Leavenworth Streets.

9 a. m. to 6 p. m.:

Bush Street, north side, between Larkin and Leavenworth Streets.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferguson, M. P. Mancuso, McMurray, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Gallagher, Lewis, Sullivan—3.

**Approving Angle Parking on Portions of Broderick and Hyde Streets**

File No. 8661, Resolution No. 12055 (Series of 1939)

(Broderick Street, west side, between Jackson Street and Pacific Avenue;

Hyde Street, west side, between Sutter and Bush Streets.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferguson, M. P. Mancuso, McMurray, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Gallagher, Lewis, Sullivan—3.

**Deleting Portions of Harrison Street from, and Adding Portions of Harrison, Hyde and Bush Streets to, List of Streets on Which Parking Is Restricted to Two Hours During Specified Hours, Sundays and Holidays Excepted.**

File No. 8664, Resolution No. 12057 (Series of 1939)

(Delete—7 a. m. to 6 p. m.:

Harrison Street, south side, between Fifth and Sixth Streets.)

Add—7 a. m. to 6 p. m.:

Hyde Street, between Pine and Sutter Streets,

Bush Street, between Larkin and Leavenworth Street.)

Add—7 a. m. to 4 p. m.:

Harrison Street, south side, between Fifth and Sixth Streets.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferguson, M. P. Mancuso, McMurray, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Gallagher, Lewis, Sullivan—3.

**Adding Broderick Street, East Side, Between Jackson Street and Pacific Avenue, to List of Streets on Which Parking Is Prohibited Day or Night.**

File No. 8660, Resolution No. 12054 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Gallagher, Lewis, Sullivan—3.

**Adding Harrison Street, South Side, Between Fifth and Sixth Streets, to List of Streets on Which Stopping Is Prohibited Between 4 and 6 P. M., Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays Excepted.**

File No. 8663, Resolution No. 12056 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Gallagher, Lewis, Sullivan—4.

**Adding Portions of Desmond Street to List of Streets on Which Parking Is Restricted to Sixty Minutes Between 7 A. M. and 6 P. M., Sundays and Holidays Excepted.**

File No. 8682, Resolution No. 12058 (Series of 1939).

(Desmond Street, east side, for a distance of 70 feet south of Leland Avenue;

Desmond Street, west side, for a distance of 100 feet south of Leland Avenue.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Gallagher, Lewis, Sullivan—4.

**Amending Resolution No. 9929 (Series of 1939), Establishing Parking Meter Regulations in Parking Meter Zone No. 24, by Adding Thereto Portions of Desmond Street.**

File No. 8683, Resolution No. 12059 (Series of 1939).

(Desmond Street, east side, for a distance of 70 feet south of Leland Avenue;

Desmond Street, west side, for a distance of 100 feet south of Leland Avenue.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Gallagher, Lewis, Sullivan—4.

**Designating Certain Intersections as "Stop" Intersections.**

File No. 8685, Resolution No. 12060 (Series of 1939).

(Castro and Fourteenth Streets, northeast and northwest corners;

Northerly end of the Center Island on San Jose Avenue, south of Dolores Street.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Gallagher, Lewis—3.



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### Consideration Continued

Designating Streets on Which Stopping of Vehicles, with Exceptions, Is Prohibited at Specified Hours, Saturday and Holidays Excepted.

File No. 97-11-1 Received by \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_

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Market Street, 1000 ft. from the beach  
The Embarcadero

Mission Street, east side, between  
South Van Ness Ave. and

415-107 Street, South Beach, Miami Beach, Florida  
and The Embargo Company, Inc., Miami Beach, Florida

Water Street, South of the  
Streets:

Fourth Street, to the  
Streets:

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### Options

- 1) In obedience to a law
- 2) In obedience to an order
- 3) While passenger board
- 4) While passenger alight
- 5) Commence travel

## Discussion

Side 104 For example, we can be concluded by stating that we are not in the congested.

Supervisor McPhee asserted that the charges should be accorded complete immunity as passenger vehicles are "not" "operating" on "public roads." "Criminal vehicles" would be deleted. Motion seconded by S. 10 that if the foregoing exceptions to the privileges would be asked for, the commissioning the traffic picture.

### Privilege of the Floor

The privilege of the floor was extended to the merchants of the Chamber of Commerce, representing the Chambers of Commerce of the world, to the merchants to have the goods delivered to their house for delivery the next day.

## Motion to Defer Consideration

Supervisor Lewis noted that the position could be continued for a period of one year, 2003-2004, by Supervisor MacPhee.

Supervisor Lewis stated that he had not been asked of the Traffic Conference at the City Hall. He was invited to attend the next one scheduled for March 10. The Sheriff is conducting a personal investigation into the matter and has not completed it as yet.

Supervisor McMurray felt that all differences had been heard and that the measure should be adopted.

The roll was thereupon called and consideration of the foregoing measure was *continued for a period of one week*, by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—9.

No: Supervisor McMurray—1.

Absent: Supervisor Gallagher—1.

#### Consideration Continued.

Deleting Portions of Market and Mission Streets from, and Adding Portions of Said Streets to, List of Streets on Which Parking Is Restricted to Sixty Minutes at Specified Hours, Sundays and Holidays Excepted.

File No. 8711-2, Resolution No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(Delete—7 a. m. to 6 p. m.:

Mission Street, south side, between Main and Beale Streets;  
Mission Street, south side, between Sixth and Seventh  
Streets.

Delete—9 a. m. to 6 p. m.:

Market Street, south side, between Valencia and Tenth  
Streets:

Mission Street, south side, between The Embarcadero and  
Main Street:

Mission Street, east side, between South Van Ness Avenue  
and Cortland Avenue.

Add—7 a. m. to 4 p. m.:

Mission Street, south side, between Main and Beale Streets;  
Mission Street, south side, between Sixth and Seventh  
Streets:

Mission Street, south side, between Thirteenth and Six-  
teenth Streets.)

Supervisor Lewis moved, seconded by Supervisor MacPhee, that consideration of the foregoing measure be continued for one week.

No objection and motion *carried*.

*Consideration continued one week.*

#### Consideration Continued.

Adding Market Street, South Side, Between Fremont and Tenth Streets, to List of Streets on Which Parking Is Prohibited Between 7 A. M. and 4 P. M., Sundays and Holidays Excepted.

File No. 8711-3, Resolution No. . . . (Series of 1939).

Supervisor Lewis moved, seconded by Supervisor MacPhee, that consideration of the foregoing measure be continued for one week.

No objection and motion *carried*.

*Consideration continued one week.*

#### Consideration Continued.

Deleting Market Street, South Side, Between Fremont and Tenth Streets, from List of Streets on Which Parking Is Prohibited Between 7 A. M. and 6 P. M., Sundays and Holidays Excepted.

File No. 8711-4, Resolution No. . . . (Series of 1939).

Supervisor Lewis moved, seconded by Supervisor MacPhee, that consideration of the foregoing measure be continued for one week.

No objection and motion *carried*.

*Consideration continued one week.*

**Consideration Continued.**

**Deleting Portions of Mission and Sutter Streets from List of Streets on Which Stopping of Vehicles Is Prohibited at Specified Hours, Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays Excepted.**

File No. 8712, Resolution No. . (Series of 1939)

(7 a. m. to 9 a. m.):

Sutter Street, south side, between Market and Divisadero Streets.

4 p. m. to 6 p. m.):

Mission Street, south side, between First and Second Streets.)

Supervisor Lewis moved, seconded by Supervisor MacPhee, that consideration of the foregoing measure be continued for one week.

No objection and motion *carried*.

*Consideration continued one week.*

**Re-Reference to Committee.**

**Amending Section 1075 of the Police Code to Provide for the Issuance of Permits for the Operation of Taxicabs or Sedans to Holders of Permits for the Operation of Limousines from Stands in the Union Square Area, on Surrender of Such Permits; and Repealing Section 1118 Thereof, Providing for Permits for Stands for Limousines and Sightseeing Buses in the Union Square Area.**

File No. 8587, Ordinance No. . (Series of 1939).

Supervisor Christopher stated that certain people had not been accorded the privilege of being heard in committee, and thereupon moved, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, that the foregoing measure be re-referred to the Police Committee.

No objection and motion *carried*.

*Re-referred to Police Committee.*

**Passage for Second Reading.**

**Authorizing Establishment of a Crosswalk on Austin Street Between Larkin and Polk Streets.**

File No. 8610, Ordinance No. . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Gallagher—2.

**Reference to Committee.**

The following emergency measures, appearing on the Board's supplemental calendar, were taken up:

**Appropriating \$7,100, Youth Guidance Center—Juvenile Hall, from Maintenance of Minors Appropriation, for Purchase of Meat; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 8737, Ordinance No. . (Series of 1939)

Supervisor Christopher moved, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, that the foregoing measure be referred to the Finance Committee.

No objection and motion *carried*.

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

**Appropriating \$500, Department of Electricity—Fire Alarms Division, from General Fund Compensation Reserve, for Temporary Salaries; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 8742, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

Supervisor Christopher moved, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, that the foregoing measure be referred to the Finance Committee.

No objection and motion carried.

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

#### **Motion for Board Recess.**

Supervisor Arnold moved, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, that when the Board concluded its deliberations this day, it recess until the hour of 2:00 p. m. Thursday, March 6, 1952, at which time it will consider the subject of Salary Standardization.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Noes: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso—2.

Absent: Supervisor Gallagher—1.

#### **ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF MEASURES AND COMMUNICATIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.**

##### **Adopted.**

**In Memoriam—Mrs. Elizabeth C. Blosser.**

Jointly presented by Supervisors Christopher and Mancuso:

File No. 7824, Resolution No. 12039 (Series of 1939).

##### **Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Christopher moved adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor Mancuso.

*Unanimously adopted by rising vote.*

#### **Status of Proposed Legislation Separating Municipal Railway Control from the Public Utilities Commission.**

Supervisor Christopher inquired of Deputy City Attorney Walker Peddicord into the status of proposed legislation separating control of the Municipal Railway from the Public Utilities Commission. The Supervisor stated he understood that the City Attorney's office was preparing such a measure on the request of his Honor, the Mayor, but that it had been ordered tabled, and he desired to know just what the status of the matter was.

Mr. Peddicord advised that he was not familiar with the measure but that he would investigate and let the Supervisor know.

#### **Postponement of Meeting of Judiciary Committee.**

Supervisor Dobbs requested that the Clerk of the Judiciary Committee inform persons interested in matters scheduled to be heard on Thursday, March 6, that the hearing was being postponed for a period of one week, due to consideration of Salary Standardization.

No objection and so ordered.

## Reference to Committee.

**Declaring Policy in Favor of Constructing a Solid-Fill Southern Bay Crossing; Urging Action in Effectuation Thereof, and Requesting Mayor to Appoint a Citizens' Committee in Connection Therewith.**

Supervisor Lewis presented:

File No. 8752, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

## Suspension of Rules—Objection.

Supervisor Lewis moved the suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the foregoing measure.

Supervisor McMurray objected; whereupon the President referred the measure to the County, State and National Affairs Committee.

**Notification of Supervisor Lewis When Meeting Is Held on Traffic Matter Affecting Stevenson Street.**

Supervisor Lewis brought up the question involving the necessity of opening up Stevenson Street, between First and Second Streets, to two-way traffic, and requested that he be informed when the Police Committee is again considering File No. 8665, which proposes to delete Stevenson Street, eastbound, between First and Second Streets, from the list of one-way streets.

No objection and *so ordered*.

**Suggestion Concerning Financing of Solid-Fill Southern Bay Crossing.**

Supervisor MacPhee suggested that the County, State and National Affairs Committee investigate agencies, other than the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, from whom to borrow the funds with which to finance the construction of the proposed solid-fill southern Bay crossing, so that the lowest possible interest rate may be obtained.

## Adopted.

**Accepting Gift of \$1,800 from Big Brother Group, Youth Guidance Center, for Construction of Swimming Pool at Log Cabin Ranch School for Boys.**

Supervisor MacPhee presented:

File No. 8753, Resolution No. 12040 (Series of 1939).

## Motion to Adopt.

Supervisor MacPhee moved adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor Mancuso.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Fardon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Gallagher—1.

**Authorizing Contract With Paddock Engineering Company for Construction of Swimming Pool at Log Cabin Ranch School for Boys.**

Supervisor MacPhee presented:

File No. 8754, Resolution No. 12041 (Series of 1939).

## Motion to Adopt.

Supervisor MacPhee moved adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor Mancuso.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Fardon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Gallagher—1.

**Supervisor Christopher Excused.**

There being no objection, Supervisor Christopher was excused at 5:10 p. m.

**Adopted.****Memorializing California State Park Commission to Acquire Butano Forest as a Permanent State Park.**

Supervisor Mancuso presented:

File No. 8755, Resolution No. 12042 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Mancuso moved adoption of the foregoing measure: motion seconded by Supervisor Sullivan.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Gallagher, MacPhee—3.

**Request Concerning Feasibility of Leasing City-Owned Lands.**

Supervisor Mancuso requested that the Director of Property and the Chief Administrative Officer render a report to him as to the feasibility of leasing city-owned lands located at Twentieth and Third Streets, formerly used by the Department of Public Health as a District Health Center and now lying dormant, and as to whether the Department of Public Health intends to utilize said lands in the future.

No objection and *Clerk was directed to comply.*

**Request Concerning Moving of Potrero Police Station to Third Street and Newcomb Avenue.**

Supervisor Mancuso requested that a report be forthcoming from the Chief of Police as to the feasibility of moving the Potrero Police Station located at Twentieth and Third Streets, due to the development of the area, to Third Street and Newcomb Avenue.

No objection and *Clerk was directed to comply.*

**Supervisor Mancuso Excused from Board Attendance.**

Supervisor Mancuso requested that he be excused from attending the recessed meeting of the Board scheduled for Thursday, March 6, 2 p. m., because of previous commitment made to meet with the Federal Lands Committee of the County Supervisors' Association in Sacramento.

No objection and *Supervisor Mancuso excused.*

**Request of Supervisor McMurray That Interested Parties Be Notified of Hearing on Proposed Traffic Regulations for Stevenson Street.**

Supervisor McMurray requested that interested parties be notified when the Police Committee is meeting to consider proposed legislation deleting Stevenson Street, eastbound, between First and Second Streets, from list of one-way streets.

No objection and *so ordered.*

**Reference to Committee.****Requesting the Public Utilities Commission to Consider Numbering All Municipal Railway Lines.**

Supervisor Mead presented:

File No. 8756, Resolution No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Public Utilities Committee.*

## RECESS.

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 5:22 p. m., recessed, to meet again on Thursday, March 6, 1952, at the hour of 2:00 p. m., to consider the subject of Salary Standardization.

JOHN R. McGRATH, Clerk.

## THURSDAY, MARCH 6, 1952—2:00 P. M.

In meeting of Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Thursday, March 6, 1952, 2:00 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in recessed session.

## CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, MacPhee, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso—2.

Quorum present.

President Dewey Mead presiding.

Supervisor Lewis noted present at 5:20 p. m.

Supervisor Mancuso on authorized leave.

## Consideration of Salary Standardization.

The President stated that the Board was now ready to begin its study of the subject of salary standardization and called upon Supervisor Gallagher, Chairman of the Finance Committee, to proceed.

Supervisor Gallagher stated that there were some recommendations which were not included in the Finance Committee list of recommendations and expressed the desire of acting on such amendments. He thereupon moved, seconded by Supervisor Christopher, that the classification of B-26, Supervisor of Budget Statistics, be accorded a range of \$500-600.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso—2.

Supervisor Gallagher moved a range of \$500-600 for classification of B-56, Supervisor of Payrolls. Motion seconded by Supervisor Christopher and carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso—2.

Supervisor Gallagher moved a range of \$295-345 for classification D-60, Jailer. Motion seconded by Supervisor Arnold and carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso—2.

Supervisor Gallagher moved a range of \$400-480 for classification P-57, Assistant Director of Public Health Nursing.

The President of the Board inquired of Deputy City Attorney Walker Peddicord, in view of the recommendation of the Civil Service Commission calling for a range of \$420-500 per month, and the position taken by the Finance Committee in reducing the minimum and maximum by twenty dollars in the face of data which the Civil Service Commission must have had, what is the position of the Board in this matter?

Mr. Peddicord replied to the effect that, as he understood the situation, this particular classification did not go to the Civil Service Commission on the proposed amendment relating to those classifications earning \$4,800 per year or over but went down to them on the proposed minimum and maximum range shown in the second column of the Finance Committee recommendations; consequently the proposed minimum range of \$400 per month has not been before the Civil Service Commission for review and it would not be possible for the Board to amend downward to such figure.

Supervisor Gallagher disagreed with the findings of the Deputy City Attorney.

Supervisor Gallagher's motion was thereupon seconded by Supervisor Christopher and it *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Gallagher, MacPhee, Sullivan—6.

Noes: Supervisors Ferdon, McMurray, Mead—3.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso—2.

Supervisor Gallagher moved a range of \$460-540 for classification P-58, Director of Public Health Nursing.

Here Mr. Henderson challenged the authority of the Board to fix the range as proposed.

Supervisor Christopher emphatically made his position clear that he considered it about time that the Board of Supervisors took the firm stand that it alone had complete jurisdiction over all salaries.

Supervisor MacPhee inquired into the power of the Board with respect to upward or downward revision of salaries of \$4,800 a year and over.

Mr. Henderson stated that the proper way would be to send a proposed amendment to the Civil Service Commission with supporting data, for analysis and report, and then the Board would have jurisdiction within the range of the proposed amendment.

The Clerk of the Board, John R. McGrath, was called upon to give his version of the understanding reached between the Civil Service Commission, the Deputy City Attorney and the members of the Board as to the intent and meaning of the motion adopted by the Board at its meeting on February 15, 1952, transmitting certain compensation schedules to the Civil Service Commission for review, analysis and report.

Supervisor Arnold referred to the language contained in the last two lines of the motion adopted by the Board at its meeting on February 15, 1952, transmitting certain data to the Civil Service Commission for review, analysis and report, and reading as follows: ". . . the data warranting such amendments are the data contained in the Civil Service recommendations dated February 7, 1952," and stated that at the time the motion was adopted, it was his understanding that the Board would have control over all classifications from A to Z.



### Explanation of Prior Vote.

Supervisor Ferdon explained that he had voted against the motion adopted by the Board on February 15, 1952, mentioned hereinabove, and that his negative vote was based upon his interpretation of the charter provisions and the intent of the motion. While many of the Board members felt that the adoption of the motion gave the Board complete jurisdiction over all salaries, he did not feel that such was the case.

### Discussion.

Supervisor Christopher stated that it was his understanding that pursuant to the motion adopted by the Board on February 15, 1952 it would have control over all those positions paying \$4,600 a year, and more and he did not intend to have any department head tell him that he could not fix salaries the way he deemed best.

### Recess.

Supervisor Dobbs moved a 15-minute recess. Motion seconded by Supervisor MacPhee, and there being no objection, motion *carried*.

### Motion Read.

Upon reconvening, Supervisor Gallagher requested the Clerk to read the following motion:

I move to amend the proposed rates of pay for all classes subject to salary standardization under the procedure contained in Section 151 of the Charter, by fixing as to each class a rate of pay the minimum of which is the minimum currently paid in such class and the maximum of which is the highest requested in any protest filed in the Board of Supervisors; and in classes as to which there was no protest filed in the Board of Supervisors, the maximum rate herein proposed is the maximum rate of increase proposed by the Civil Service Commission; and the Civil Service Commission is hereby directed to report to the Board of Supervisors on the effect of such proposed amendments as provided in Section 151 of the Charter; the data warranting such amendments are the data contained in the Civil Service recommendations dated February 7, 1952, and that contained in or accompanying all protests filed in the office of the Board of Supervisors in relation to the pending salary standardization under the procedure provided by Section 151 of the Charter. To the extent of any inconsistency between this motion and prior motions, this motion shall prevail. This motion does not provide for any reduction in any presently existing schedule of compensation.

Supervisor Gallagher suggested that before action is taken with respect to the foregoing motion, clarification be had with respect to certain amendments recommended by the Finance Committee and adopted by the Board earlier in the meeting.

The President ruled that the amendment recommended by the Finance Committee, and proposing a range of \$460-540 for classification of P-58, Director of Public Health Nursing, was still before the Board.

Supervisor Gallagher recommended that the pending amendment proposed by the Finance Committee be adopted as well as several others which he had in mind, relating to the "R" classification.

The President suggested that all previous motions adopted by the Board relating to the recommendations of the Finance Committee be rescinded and then discussion could be had on the entire amendments.

At this point the President inquired of the Deputy City Attorney as to what the Board should do.

Mr. Peddicord declared that the only motions adopted by the Board are the ones relating to the recommendations of the Finance Committee. The Finance Committee could have altered its report themselves. The pending motion which the Clerk had just read goes much deeper than the Finance Committee report. The only prior action taken was to send certain proposed amendments down to the Civil Service Commission for report, which report is now before the Board, and it would seem that nothing would be gained if the previous motions are or are not rescinded.

#### Motion to Rescind.

Supervisor Gallagher moved, seconded by Supervisor Christopher, that the Board rescind its action with respect to previous motions made earlier in the meeting affecting the following classifications: B-26, B-56, D-60, P-57.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Mancuso—1.

#### Motion Adopted.

Supervisor Gallagher moved, seconded by Supervisor Christopher, that the motion heretofore read by the Clerk be adopted.

#### Request of Supervisor Christopher Relating to Jurisdiction of Board Over Salaries.

Supervisor Christopher asked Deputy City Attorney Walker Peddicord the following question:

Will the adoption of this motion retain jurisdiction in this Board of Supervisors to establish all salaries, in every Civil Service classification reported in Salary and Wage Survey dated February 7, 1952, between the minimum of the present salaries, and a maximum recommended by the Civil Service Commission where no protest has been made; or a maximum to the extent supported by data in any protests filed?

To the above query, Mr. Peddicord replied in the affirmative.

The roll was thereupon called and the motion heretofore made by Supervisor Gallagher was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Mancuso—1.

#### Motion to Adjourn.

Supervisor Gallagher moved, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, that the Board now adjourn to meet again in regular session on Monday, March 10, 1952, at 2 p. m.

#### Suggestion of Supervisor Christopher Concerning Preparation of Charter Amendment Clarifying Salary Standardization Procedure.

Supervisor Christopher suggested that the City Attorney's office collaborate with the Civil Service Commission for the purpose of preparing a Charter amendment, for submission to the Board, which would clarify existing ambiguities in the Charter's provisions relating to the standardization of salaries, and which would obviate the many difficulties in which the Supervisors find themselves year after year as to the intent, meaning and authority of the current Charter provisions.

**Substitute Motion—Lost.**

Supervisor Lewis moved, as a substitute, that the Board recess until the hour of 10:00 a. m., Friday, March 7, 1952, to reconsider the report from the Civil Service Commission.

At this point Supervisor Lewis asked Mr. Henderson if the report could be received by tomorrow, to which Mr. Henderson replied that such was impossible, as it was necessary to first bring the matter to the attention of the Civil Service Commission, meeting tomorrow afternoon. At the earliest, a very sketchy report could be rendered by Monday afternoon.

Motion *lost* for want of a second.

There being no objection, Supervisor Gallagher's motion to adjourn *carried*.

**ADJOURNMENT.**

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 5:45 p. m., adjourned.

JOHN R. McGRATH, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors March 24, 1952.

I, John R. McGrath, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, hereby certify that the foregoing are true and correct copies of the Journals of Proceedings of said Board of the dates hereon stated and approved as recited.

JOHN R. McGRATH,  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.



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MONDAY, MARCH 10, 1952—2:00 P. M.

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In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, March 10, 1952,  
2:00 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

## CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan 11.

Quorum present.

President Dewey Mead presiding.

## APPROVAL OF JOURNALS.

The Journals of Proceedings for February 18 and February 25 1952, were considered read and approved.

## Communications.

From the City Attorney, suggesting that the Board authorize intervention before the Federal Power Commission in support of application of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company for construction of facilities to augment its natural gas supply.

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

From the Redevelopment Agency, submitting report on tentative redevelopment plan for Diamond Heights; enclosing resolution approving said plan and report, and requesting that action be taken in connection therewith, looking to a public hearing and eventual adoption by the Board of the Tentative Plan.

*Referred to Public Buildings, Lands and City Planning Committee.*

From the Chief of Police, replying to request made by Supervisor Mancuso, relative to the suggested relocation of the Potrero Police Station.

*Copy given to Supervisor Mancuso; filed.*

From the Public Utilities Commission, annual report for the fiscal year 1950-51.

*Copy given to each member of Board; filed.*

From West Coast Radio and Electronics, protesting proposed legislation making Market Street, south side, between The Embarcadero and Valencia Street, a tow-away zone between 4 and 6 p. m.

*Legislation continued one week.*

**Legislation Considered Out of Order.****Suspension of Rules.**

Supervisor McMurray moved, seconded by Supervisor Gallagher, that the rules be suspended for the purpose of considering the following recommendation of Police Committee out of order.

No objection and motion *carried*.

Present: Supervisors McMurray, Ferdon.

**Designating Streets on Which Stopping of Vehicles, With Certain Exceptions, Is Prohibited at Specified Hours, Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays Excepted.**

File No. 8711-1, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

(4 p. m. to 6 p. m.):

Market Street, south side, between Valencia Street and The Embarcadero;

Mission Street, east side, between Sixteenth Street and South Van Ness Avenue;

Mission Street, south side, between South Van Ness Avenue and The Embarcadero;

Sutter Street, south side, between Jones and Market Streets;

Fourth Street, east side, between Howard and Market Streets;

Fourth Street, west side, between Mission and Howard Streets.

Exceptions:

- (1) In obedience to a traffic signal.
- (2) In obedience to order of police officer.
- (3) While passenger boarding, with baggage.
- (4) While passenger alighting, with baggage.
- (5) Commercial vehicles while loading or unloading merchandise.)

**Motion to Defer Consideration.**

Supervisor McMurray moved, seconded by Supervisor Christopher, that consideration of the foregoing measure be continued for a period of one week.

Motion *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—10.

No: Supervisor Mead—I.

**Suspension of Rules.**

Supervisor Gallagher moved seconded by Supervisor McMurray, that the rules be suspended for the purpose of considering the following measure from Finance Committee out of order.

No objection and motion *carried*.

Present: Supervisors MacPhee, Fazackerley.

**Appropriating \$28,850, Board of Supervisors—Municipal Government Survey Advisory Committee, for Contractual Services.**

File No. 3364, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Defer Consideration.**

Supervisor Gallagher moved, seconded by Supervisor McMurray, that consideration of the foregoing measure be continued for a period of one week.



**Substitute Motion—Withdrawn.**

Supervisor MacPhee moved, as a substitute, that the Board proceed with its study of the subject of salary standardization and at the conclusion of such study, proceed with the calendar. Motion seconded by Supervisor Christopher.

There being no objection, Supervisor MacPhee withdrew his substitute motion.

The roll was thereupon called on the pending motion to defer consideration of the foregoing measure and it carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Gallagher, Lewis, McMurray, Sullivan—6.

Noes: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, Mead—5.

**Presentation of Guest.**

The President of the Board introduced Dr. W. Reusch, legal adviser to the Senate of the City of Hamburg, Germany.

**Legislation Considered Out of Order.****Suspension of Rules.**

Supervisor Gallagher moved, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, that the rules be suspended for the purpose of considering the following from the Finance Committee, with recommendation "Do Pass" after amendment, out of order.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

Present: Supervisors Gallagher, Arnold, Christopher.

**Passage for Second Reading.****Salary Standardization Ordinance; Effective July 1, 1952.**

File No. 7846, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

An ordinance fixing and determining schedules of compensation to be paid municipal officers and employees and non-certificated employees of the San Francisco Unified School District, whose offices and positions are allocated to classifications specified herein and compensations for which are subject to the provisions of Section 151 and Section 151.1 of the Charter, establishing work schedules and conditions of employment and method of payment for various work schedules; providing that the said schedules of compensation shall be effective beginning July 1, 1952.

(Amendments proposed by the Finance Committee appear in mimeographed booklet entitled, "Recommendations of Finance Committee in connection with the Salary and Wage Survey 1952-53.")

March 6, 1952—Consideration continued to March 10, 1952

**Communication.**

The Clerk read a communication from the Civil Service Commission, dated March 7, 1952, reporting on proposed amendments to the rates of pay heretofore recommended by the Civil Service Commission.

**Discussion.**

Supervisor Mancuso asked Mr. William L. Henderson, Personnel Director and Secretary of the Civil Service Commission, as to the meaning of the phrase "internal relationship," and he was advised

that it meant the relationship between the rate paid for one class of employment and another class where the duties compare favorably.

Supervisor Christopher made it plain that he believed the Board should not placidly adopt the attitude of permitting Mr. Henderson to appear before the Board and by his actions convey the impression that he was authorized to issue directives with respect to the fixing of salaries, but rather it should proceed with the thought that it, alone, had the power of determining the ranges of salaries.

Deputy City Attorney Walker Peddicord suggested that the Board, from a legal standpoint, proceed in an orderly fashion, and that in the event a question should arise as to the legality of a certain range or as to whether an amendment had been proposed, such amendment should be forthwith transmitted to the Civil Service Commission for review, analysis and report to the Board, in compliance with the provisions of Section 151 of the Charter.

#### Questions and Answers Presented by Supervisor Gallagher and Ordered Made Part of the Record.

Supervisor Gallagher presented a statement incorporating therein certain questions and answers relating to the subject of salary standardization, and requested that it be made part of the record.

No objection and *so ordered*.

The statement is as follows:

#### OPINION

Q. What are the powers and duties of the Board of Supervisors under Section 151 of the Charter?

A. Section 151 of the Charter is the standardization ordinance, and it reads:

*"The Board of Supervisors shall have power and it shall be its duty to fix by ordinance from time to time, as in this section provided, all salaries, wages and compensations of every kind and nature, except pension or retirement allowances, for the positions, or places of employment, all officers and employees of all departments, offices, boards and commissions of the city and county in all cases where such compensations are paid by the city and county."*

This language clearly places the *power and duty* of setting salaries of city employees solely in the hands of the Board of Supervisors, the legislative body of the City and County of San Francisco.

The duties of the Civil Service Commission under this section are:

1. Subject to certain restrictions and regulations it shall prepare and submit recommendations for a schedule of compensations to the Board of Supervisors, together with a compilation of a summary of the data obtained and considered, with a comparison showing existing schedules.
2. Amendments to such schedules by the Board of Supervisors shall be transmitted to it for review and analysis, and it shall make a report thereon, together with a report as to what other changes, and the cost such proposed amendment would require to maintain an equitable relationship with other rates in such schedule.

On February 7, 1952, the Civil Service Commission transmitted such recommendations for schedules of compensations of salaries in accordance with this provision. On February 11, 1952, the Board of Supervisors referred this report to its Finance Committee for

study and recommendation. The Finance Committee held hearings on February 12th and 13th, and on February 15th submitted its recommendations as to approval of some rates, amendments to other rates, and rejection of still other rates of the proposed schedule of compensation to the Board of Supervisors. The Board of Supervisors on that date transmitted such amendments to the Civil Service Commission as provided by this section of the Charter.

On March 3, 1952, the Civil Service Commission reported its report to the Board of Supervisors. At this point we must consider what powers the Board of Supervisors now have, and we find as follows in Section 151:

"The Board of Supervisors may approve, amend or reject the schedule of compensations proposed by the Civil Service Commission; provided, that before making any amendment thereto the data considered by the Board of Supervisors as warranting such amendment shall be transmitted to the Civil Service Commission for review and analysis and the commission shall make a report thereon to the Board of Supervisors, together with a report as to what other changes, and the cost thereof such proposed amendment would require to maintain an equitable relationship with other rates in such schedule."

What is meant by "approve," "amend," or "reject"?

In the case of *People v. Hall*, 140 Cal. App. Supp. 745, at page 754, the court said:

"The word 'approve' means to sanction officially, to ratify or confirm."

In other words, to approve would mean to leave the rate recommended by the Civil Service Commission unchanged.

Webster's dictionary defines "amend," as "to alter," "to modify," "to reform," "to correct," "to restore," "to free from fault."

Such alteration could be upward or downward, at the discretion of the Board of Supervisors.

In the case of *Young v. Flickinger*, 75 Cal. App. 17, the court defined the word "reject" as a "failure to accept."

It can be seen that this section of the Charter gives the Board of Supervisors the power to accept without change the recommendation of the Civil Service Commission, to reject such recommendations, or to amend such recommendations, either upward or downward. It is clear that only amendments must be returned to the Civil Service Commission for "analysis, review, and report, etc." Rates that are approved, or rates that are rejected need not be returned to the Civil Service Commission.

We understand that the legality is being questioned as to the authority of the Board of Supervisors, at this stage, to amend the rate recommended for P57 Assistant Director of Public Health Nursing from a range of \$420-500, to a range of \$400-480. This, in effect, would be a reduction of \$20 per month, and no cost is involved. The Board of Supervisors has the report of the Civil Service Commission before it, which shows that but one position is involved, and there is but one related class involved, that of P58 Director of Public Health Nursing. It would be most unreasonable to suggest that this amendment, because it was not within the range sent to the Civil Service Commission for review and analysis, was beyond the authority of the Board of Supervisors to adopt. If this were true, the powers of the Board of Supervisors would be greatly curtailed, and it could never complete its duty of setting salaries within the time limits set in the Charter. The purpose of sending the amendments to the Civil Service Commission having been

accomplished, the report and cost before the Board of Supervisors, it now has complete power to act. Any other interpretation would be a relinquishment of powers to the Civil Service Commission which the Charter does not contemplate.

To assert that the amendment to the salary of P58 Director of Public Health Nursing is equally inconsistent with the terms of the Charter. The amendment involves a reduction of \$30 in one position, and no report on cost is necessary. The Civil Service Commission report, before the Board, shows that there are no related classification. There would be no purpose served by a further referral to the Civil Service Commission.

Section 151 of the Charter was first construed in the case of *City and County of San Francisco v. Harold J. Boyd*, 22 Cal. 2d 685.

The facts of this case are: After many hearings, the Board of Supervisors approved and adopted the rates of wages as recommended by the Civil Service Commission excepting only the rates proposed for bus operators. The Board, under authority of the Charter, amended the schedule proposed by the Civil Service Commission, and fixed the rates of pay at five cents per hour higher than the maximum rate of 92½ cents per hour shown on the schedule recommended by the Civil Service Commission. Suit was brought on the theory that the Board of Supervisors had exceeded its authority.

The Supreme Court said at page 690:

"The determination whether proposed rates of compensation are in accord or in harmony with the generally prevailing rates is within the discretion of the rate-making authority."

And at page 692 the court said:

"Moreover, the Charter section provides that 'The Board of Supervisors may approve, amend or reject the schedule of compensations proposed by the Civil Service Commission.' Thus it is clear that the rates of compensation are fixed by the Board of Supervisors and involve an exercise of the independent judgment of that body."

#### Conclusion

Under the authority of Section 151 of the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco, the Board of Supervisors have the power and duty to fix salaries of city employees subject to this section. The duties of the Civil Service Commission are to gather data, prepare and submit recommendations for a schedule of compensations for city employees coming within this section. The duties of the Civil Service Commission cease as to such schedule of compensations, after transmittal to the Board of Supervisors, except that *before amendment*, data considered by the Board of Supervisors shall be transmitted to it, for review, analysis and report, together with a report as to changes, and the cost such changes would require to maintain an equitable relationship with other rates in said schedule. This report in no manner binds the action of the Board of Supervisors, and upon its receipt, it may then proceed to approve, amend or reject the schedule of compensations proposed by the Civil Service Commission. In so doing the Board exercises its independent judgment, and whether or not such rates are in accord or in harmony with generally prevailing rates is within its discretion. Any other interpretation of this section of the Charter would be to abrogate the legislative powers granted.

#### Additional Recommendations of the Finance Committee.

Supervisor Gallagher, Chairman of the Finance Committee, stated that he was herewith presenting certain recommendations, supple-

menting those which are contained in the Finance Committee's report and which is now pending before the Board

	Classification	Civil Service Recommendation	Finance Committee Recommendation
B26	Supervisor of Budget Statistics	\$500-600	\$500-600
B56	Supervisor of Payrolls	500-600	500-600
B312	Senior Bookkeeping Machine Operator	300-360	310-370
D52	Jail Matron	280-330	285-335
D54	Head Jail Matron	330-370	335-375
D60	Jailer	290-340	295-345
P57	Assistant Director of Public Health Nursing	420-500	400-480
P58	Director of Public Health Nursing	500-570	460-540
R106(a)	Supervisor of Dramatics	360-430	360-430
R106(c)	Supervisor of Music	360-430	360-430
R106(d)	Supervisor of Swimming	360-430	360-430
T13	Assistant Superintendent, Juvenile Hall	330-400	350-420

Supervisor Gallagher moved that the foregoing amendments "do pass." Motion seconded by Supervisor Christopher.

#### Amendments.

Supervisor Lewis moved a ten-dollar increase for classification F604, Surveyor's Field Assistant, and a range of \$280-330 per month. Motion seconded by Supervisor Sullivan.

#### Discussion.

Supervisor Lewis stated he was basing his request for an increase on the fact that a new contract had recently been negotiated, stating that it has been very difficult to induce qualified persons to work for the city at the present rate of pay.

The Chief Administrative Officer corroborated Supervisor Lewis' statement in connection with difficulty being experienced in obtaining qualified applicants.

Mr. Henderson, representing the Civil Service Commission, stated he had checked the contract mentioned by Supervisor Lewis and that it did not cover the field sufficiently to warrant the suggested increase.

Mr. Daniel Del Carlo of the Building Trades Council stated that the range proposed by Supervisor Lewis contained the wage data sent out to all interested parties and is the recognized union scale for San Francisco.

The roll was thereupon called and the amendment proposed by Supervisor Lewis carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—6.

Noes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Gallagher, MacPhee—5.

Supervisor Lewis moved a range of \$300-350 for the classification of T157, Social Service Worker. Motion seconded by Supervisor Sullivan.

#### Discussion.

Supervisor Lewis quoted figures from existing contracts showing a range of \$297-351; the State of California pays up to \$376 per month and the Federal Government up to \$421 per month. The

positions are very important, involving as they do, the handling of millions of dollars.

Supervisor Gallagher asserted that the Finance Committee had considered the range for the position very carefully and was satisfied that its recommended range of \$280-330 was proper.

In answer to Supervisor Dobbs' query, Mr. Henderson replied that the duties of the State or Federal Social Service Worker were not comparable to those being performed by the city employees.

Mr. Henderson further advised that if the proposed increase is granted, there were several other classifications which should likewise be increased due to their relationship with the classification of Social Service Worker.

#### Substitute Motion.

Supervisor Lewis moved, as a substitute, that a range of \$290-340 be established for the classification of T157, Social Service Worker.

#### Five-Minute Recess.

Supervisor Sullivan moved, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, that a five-minute recess be had.

No objection and motion carried.

#### Substitute Lost

Upon reconvening, the roll was called on Supervisor Lewis' substitute motion and it lost by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Lewis, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—4.

Noes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, MacPhee, Mancuso—7.

#### Amendment on "Q" Classification—Carried.

Supervisor Gallagher moved, as a recommendation of the Finance Committee, a range of \$245-305 for the classification of Q65, Fingerprint Technician. Motion seconded by Supervisor Sullivan.

Supervisor Gallagher stated that there were persons on the list who declared that unless the proposed increase was granted, they would be compelled to seek employment with the State of California, thus creating an acute shortage of this type of employment.

Mr. Henderson asserted that there were more acute shortages existing in other classifications.

Supervisor Dobbs declared that the reason advanced by Supervisor Gallagher in support of the proposed increase, in that persons were threatening to bolt the list to seek employment with the State, should not be construed as proper data warranting the increase.

The roll was thereupon called and the amendment carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

No: Supervisor Dobbs—1.

#### Amendment on "E" Classification—Lost.

Supervisor Sullivan moved, seconded by Supervisor McMurray, that a range of \$339-390 per month be established for classification E122, Power House Operator.

Mr. John Pickle, representing the Electrical Workers' Union, stated that the California-Oregon Power Company was paying its men a rate of \$403 per month, and that Shasta Dam was paying a rate of \$408 per month. Mr. Pickle requested that the proposed increase

likewise apply to the following classifications: E120, Governor's Man; E124, Senior Power House Operator, and E128, Superintendent of Power House.

The roll was thereupon called and the foregoing amendment *lost* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—4.

Noes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee—7.

#### Amendment on Classification "J"—Lost.

Supervisor Sullivan moved a range of \$230-320 for position of J78 Stockman. Motion seconded by Supervisor McMurray.

The roll was thereupon called and the foregoing amendment *lost* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—4.

Noes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee—7.

#### Amendments on Classification "I"—Carried.

Supervisor Mancuso moved a range of \$205-235 for classification I 54, Waitress. Motion seconded by Supervisor Sullivan.

#### Substitute Motion—Withdrawn.

Supervisor Gallagher moved, as a substitute, that the proposed range of \$205-235 for I 54, Waitress, be reduced to a range of \$200-230 per month.

There being no objection, Supervisor Gallagher withdrew his substitute motion.

The roll was thereupon called and the amendment proposed by Supervisor Mancuso *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Noes: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

Supervisor Mancuso moved a range of \$205-235 for classification I 56, Waiter. Motion seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, and *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Noes: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

#### Amendment on Classification "D"—Carried.

Supervisor Mancuso moved a range of \$335-385 for classification D64, Captain of Watch. Motion seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, and *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

No: Supervisor Dobbs—1.

#### Amendment on Classification "J"—Withdrawn.

Supervisor Mancuso moved, seconded by Supervisor McMurray, that a range of \$270-310 be established for classification J56, Switch Repairer.

Mr. Frank Moitoza, Jr., representing the Federation of Municipal Employees, spoke on the amendment.

There being no objection, Supervisor Mancuso withdrew his amendment and in lieu thereof, proposed a range of \$270-305. Motion seconded by Supervisor McMurray.

There being no objection, Supervisor Mancuso withdrew his amendment.

**Amendment on Classification "T"—Lost.**

Supervisor Mancuso moved a range of \$340-410 for classification T30, Division Supervisor, Juvenile Hall.

Motion lost for want of a second.

**Amendment on Classification "A"—Lost.**

Supervisor Mancuso moved a range of \$450-520 for classification A412, Plumbing Inspector. Motion seconded by Supervisor Sullivan and lost by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—5.

Noes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, MacPhee—6.

**Amendment on "B" Classification—Carried.**

Supervisor Lewis moved a range of \$390-460 for classification B152, Courtroom Clerk.

Paul Conniffe, representing the Courtroom Clerks, spoke on behalf of the classification.

The roll was thereupon called and the foregoing amendment carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—6.

Noes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, MacPhee—5.

**Notice of Negative Vote.**

Supervisor Christopher announced that, in view of the manner in which action was proceeding, he intended to vote against the salary standardization ordinance.

**Amendment on Classification "I"—Lost.**

Supervisor McMurray moved a daily rate of \$1.25 per hour for classification I92, School Cafeteria Helper. Motion seconded by Supervisor Sullivan and lost by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—4.

Noes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee—7.

**Five-Minute Recess.**

Supervisor MacPhee moved, seconded by Supervisor Gallagher, that a five-minute recess be had.

No objection and motion carried.

**Amendment on "A" Classification—Carried.**

Upon reconvening, Supervisor Mancuso moved a range of \$440-500 for classification A106, Building Inspector. Motion seconded by Supervisor Arnold and carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.



**Amendment on "E" Classification—Carried.**

Supervisor Mancuso moved a range of \$440-500 for classification E4, Electrical Inspector. Motion seconded by Supervisor McMurray and carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

Supervisor Mancuso moved a range of \$440-500 for classification A412, Plumbing Inspector. Motion seconded by Supervisor McMurray and carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Rescission of Action.**

Supervisor Gallagher moved that the Board rescind its action whereby it had approved a range of \$390-460 for classification B152, Courtroom Clerk. Motion seconded by Supervisor MacPhee and carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray—8.

Noes: Supervisors Lewis, Mead, Sullivan—3.

**Amendment on "B" Classification—Carried.**

Supervisor Gallagher moved a range of \$230-280 for classification B454, Telephone Operator. Motion seconded by Supervisor Christopher and carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Gallagher, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray—7.

Noes: Supervisors Ferdon, Lewis, Mead, Sullivan—4.

**Rescission of Action—Lost.**

Supervisor Mancuso moved, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, that the Board rescind its action whereby it had established a range of \$230-280 for classification B454, Telephone Operator.

Motion lost by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Ferdon, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—5.

Noes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee—6.

**Amendment on "B" Classification—Lost.**

Supervisor Lewis moved a range of \$390-460 for classification B152, Courtroom Clerk. Motion seconded by Supervisor McMurray and lost by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Lewis, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—4.

Noes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, MacPhee, Mancuso—7.

**Amendment on "B" Classification—Carried.**

Supervisor Gallagher moved a range of \$270-330 for classification B458, Chief Telephone Operator. Motion seconded by Supervisor Christopher and carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Gallagher, MacPhee, Mancuso—6.

Noes: Supervisors Ferdon, Lewis, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—5.

**Amendment on "M" Classification—Carried.**

Supervisor Mancuso moved a range of \$440-500 for classification M158, Boiler Inspector. Motion seconded by Supervisor McMurray and carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Amendments on Classification "I"—Carried.**

Supervisor Mancuso moved, seconded by Supervisor McMurray, that a range of \$360-420 be established for classification I 178, Superintendent of Laundry, San Francisco Hospital.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

Supervisor Mead moved, seconded by Supervisor MacPhee, that a range of \$330-390 be established for classification I 174, Superintendent of Laundry, Laguna Honda Home.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Noes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs—2.

**Motion to Adopt Finance Committee Recommendations and Those Proposed by Board—Withdrawn.**

Supervisor Gallagher moved that the recommendations of the Finance Committee and those amendments approved by the Board be adopted. Motion seconded by Supervisor Mancuso.

There being no objection, the foregoing motion was withdrawn to permit Supervisor Dobbs to ask questions concerning classifications P57, Assistant Director of Public Health Nursing, and P58, Director of Public Health Nursing.

To a query propounded by Supervisor Dobbs, Mr. Henderson of the Civil Service Commission contended that the range recommended by his Commission for the two classifications mentioned hereinabove, should be approved.

**Amendments.**

Thereupon Supervisor Dobbs moved a range of \$420-500 for classification P57, Assistant Director of Public Health Nursing. Motion seconded by Supervisor Ferdon and carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Noes: Supervisors Arnold, MacPhee—2.

Supervisor Dobbs moved, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, that a range of \$500-570 be established for classification P58, Director of Public Health Nursing.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Noes: Supervisors Arnold, Gallagher, MacPhee—3.

**Legislation Considered Out of Order.**

At the suggestion of the President, Supervisor Mancuso moved,

seconded by Supervisor McMurray, that the following recommendation of Finance Committee be considered out of order.

No objection and motion *carried*.

### Consideration Continued

**Authorizing Transfer of \$600 Within Funds of Department of Public Works for Demolition and Removal of Building or Buildings Located at Lakeview and Plymouth Avenues, Condemned as a Nuisance.**

File No. 8588, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

Mr. William Wendland, an interested party in the foregoing measure, requested that a two-week postponement be granted in order to gain the necessary time within which to perfect his application for a building permit.

Supervisor Mancuso accordingly moved, seconded by Supervisor McMurray, that consideration of the foregoing measure be continued for a period of two weeks.

No objection and motion *carried*.

### Continuation of Consideration of Salary Standardization.

#### Amendment on Classification P122—Carried.

Supervisor Dobbs moved a range of \$500-570 for classification P122, Director of Institutional Nursing. Motion seconded by Supervisor Ferdon and *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Noes: Supervisors Arnold, Gallagher, MacPhee—3.

### Motion for Adoption of Recommendations of Finance Committee and Those Approved by Board.

Supervisor Gallagher moved, as a substitute for the amendments heretofore proposed by the Board of Supervisors to the schedule of compensations submitted by the Finance Committee, that the amendments proposed by the Finance Committee, together with the amendments proposed by said Board this day, be approved and adopted as amendments to said schedule of compensations.

Motion seconded by Supervisor Christopher and *adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

### Consideration of Administrative Provisions.

Supervisor Gallagher, Chairman of the Finance Committee, presented as a recommendation of the Committee, the administrative provisions of the Salary Standardization Ordinance, as amended.

### Motion to Recess.

Supervisor Lewis moved, seconded by Supervisor Dobbs, that the Board recess until the hour of 8:30 p. m.

Motion *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Noes: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray—4.

The Board recessed at 7:00 p. m.

The Board reconvened at 8:30 p. m.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee, McMurray—3.

Quorum present.

President Dewey Mead presiding.

Supervisor Lewis noted present at 9:10 p. m.

#### **Supervisors MacPhee and McMurray Excused.**

There being no objection, Supervisors MacPhee and McMurray were excused from Board attendance.

#### **Rescission of Action—Withdrawn.**

Supervisor Gallagher moved that the Board rescind its action, heretofore taken, continuing consideration of File No. 8588, authorizing transfer of \$600 within funds of the Department of Public Works for demolition and removal of building or buildings at Lakeview and Plymouth Avenues, condemned as a nuisance. Motion seconded by Supervisor Christopher.

There being no objection, motion *withdrawn*.

#### **Continuation of Consideration of Salary Standardization.**

Consideration of the administrative provisions of the Salary Standardization Ordinance was now taken up.

#### **Motion to Adopt Amendments to Administrative Provisions.**

Supervisor Gallagher moved, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, that the Finance Committee's proposed amendments to the administrative provisions of the Salary Standardization Ordinance be approved and adopted as amendments to said ordinance.

Motion *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee, McMurray—3.

#### **Motion to Pass Salary Standardization Ordinance for Second Reading.**

Supervisor Gallagher moved, seconded by Supervisor Christopher, that the Salary Standardization Ordinance, File No. 7846, be passed for second reading, as amended this day.

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee, McMurray—3.

#### **UNFINISHED BUSINESS.**

##### **Final Passage.**

The following recommendations of Finance Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Gallagher, Arnold, Christopher.

Amending Section 116, Part I, Municipal Code, to Authorize Purchase in the Open Market of Articles Which a Contractor Has Failed to Deliver in the Quantity or Manner Called for.

File No. 8666, Ordinance No. 7211 (Series of 1939).

(Excess price to be collected from contractor or sureties on his bond.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee, McMurray—3.

**Authorizing Compromise and Settlement of Claim of the City and County Against Devincenzi Brothers by the Acceptance of \$400.**

File No. 8671, Ordinance No. 7212 (Series of 1939).

(Personal injuries suffered by Theodore A. Pedersen, city engineer.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee, McMurray—3.

**Appropriating \$968, California Palace of the Legion of Honor, for Fuel, Illuminants and Lubricants.**

File No. 8680, Ordinance No. 7213 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee, McMurray—3.

### Consideration Continued.

The following recommendations of Police Committee, heretofore considered, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors McMurray, Ferdon.

(In each instance, affecting each of the following four measures, Supervisor Gallagher moved, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, that consideration thereof be continued for a period of one week. No objection and motion carried.)

**Deleting Portions of Market and Mission Streets from, and Adding Portions of Said Streets to, List of Streets on Which Parking Is Restricted to Sixty Minutes at Specified Hours, Sundays and Holidays Excepted.**

File No. 8711-2, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

(Delete—7 a. m. to 6 p. m.:

Mission Street, south side, between Main and Beale Streets,  
Mission Street, south side, between Sixth and Seventh  
Streets.

Delete—9 a. m. to 6 p. m.:

Market Street, south side, between Valencia and Tenth  
Streets;

Mission Street, south side, between The Embarcadero and  
Main Street;

Mission Street, east side, between South Van Ness Avenue  
and Cortland Avenue.

Add—7 a. m. to 4 p. m.:

Mission Street, south side, between Main and Beale Streets;  
Mission Street, south side, between Sixth and Seventh  
Streets;

Mission Street, south side, between Thirteenth and Six-  
teenth Streets.)

March 3, 1952—Consideration continued to March 10, 1952.

*Consideration continued one week.*

Adding Market Street, South Side, Between Fremont and Tenth Streets, to List of Streets on Which Parking Is Prohibited Between 7 A. M. and 4 P. M., Sundays and Holidays Excepted.

File No. 8711-3, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

March 3, 1952—Consideration continued to March 10, 1952.

*Consideration continued one week.*

Deleting Market Street, South Side, Between Fremont and Tenth Streets, from List of Streets on Which Parking Is Prohibited Between 7 A. M. and 6 P. M., Sundays and Holidays Excepted.

File No. 8711-4, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

March 3, 1952—Consideration continued to March 10, 1952.

*Consideration continued one week.*

Deleting Portions of Mission and Sutter Streets from List of Streets on Which Stopping of Vehicles Is Prohibited, at Specified Hours, Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays Excepted.

File No. 8712, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

(7 a. m. to 9 a. m.:

Sutter Street, south side, between Market and Divisadero Streets.

4 p. m. to 6 p. m.:

Mission Street, south side, between First and Second Streets.)

March 3, 1952—Consideration continued to March 10, 1952.

*Consideration continued one week.*

## NEW BUSINESS.

### Adopted.

The following recommendations of Finance Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Gallagher, Arnold, Christopher.

Approving Supplemental Recommendations, Public Welfare Department, Relative to Categorical Aids; Letters Dated March 4, 1952.

File No. 7821, Resolution No. 12070 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee, McMurray—3.

Authorizing Granting of Extension of Emergency Relief to Dependent Non-Residents for March and April; List Dated March 10, 1952.

File No. 7822, Resolution No. 12071 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee, McMurray—3.

Authorizing Release of Lien Against Property Recorded by the Public Welfare Department for Aid Extended to Cande and Francesca Parra.

File No. 7897, Resolution No. 12072 (Series of 1939).

(Full payment of \$121.56 made.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee, McMurray—3.

**Authorizing Purchase of Real Property from Marion Griffin for \$15,250,  
Required for Bartlett Street Parking Lot.**

File No. 8675, Resolution No. 12073 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Lot 38, Block 3616, located on westerly side of Bartlett Street, southerly from Twenty-first Street. Size, 25 feet by 125 feet. Two-story and basement dwelling, and three-story paint storage building.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee, McMurray—3.

**Authorizing Tax Collector to Sell, at Public Auction, Property Deeded to the State for Non-Payment of Delinquent Taxes.**

File No. 3721, Resolution No. 12074 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee, McMurray—3.

**Authorizing Attendance of the Manager of Utilities and the General Manager and Chief Engineer of the San Francisco Airport at the Convention of the Airport Operators' Council to Be Held in Los Angeles During Period March 20-22, 1952.**

File No. 8728, Resolution No. 12075 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee, McMurray—3.

**Approving Payment of Islais Creek Reclamation District Warrants.**

File No. 8732, Resolution No. 12081 (Series of 1939).

(No. 974—Collector of Internal Revenue	\$1,000
No. 975—Morris H. Levy	4,000)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee, McMurray—3.

**Authorizing Extension of Lease of Ground Floor Space at 1745 California Street, Required by the Purchasing Department for the Storage and Repair of Vehicles.**

File No. 8734, Resolution No. 12078 (Series of 1939).

(For period of one year from March 1, 1952, at rental of \$450 per month. Area: 13,000 square feet.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee, McMurray—3.

**Authorizing Purchase of Real Property from Herman L. Engemann et al. for \$38,000, Required for Bartlett Street Parking Lot.**

File No. 8735, Resolution No. 12079 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Located on Bartlett Street between Twenty-first and Twenty-second Streets. Lots 39 and 40, Block 3616. Size of Lot 39: 25 feet 1 inch by 125 feet. Lot 40: 48 feet 9 $\frac{1}{2}$  inches by 125 feet. Three buildings.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, McMurray—2.

**Authorizing Purchase of Real Property from Helen M. Waters for \$19,060, Required for Bartlett Street Parking Lot.**

File No. 8736, Resolution No. 12080 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Lot 42, Block 3616, located on west side of Bartlett Street, between Twenty-first and Twenty-second Streets. Size: 30 feet by 100 feet 6 $\frac{1}{4}$  inches. Two-story frame building.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, McMurray—2.

**Passage for Second Reading.**

**Appropriating \$1,000, Mayor, for Overtime Allowance.**

File No. 8724, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, McMurray—2.

**Appropriating \$1,388.08, Real Estate, Civic Auditorium, for Retroactive Wages, Holiday, Overtime and Premium Pay, Pursuant to Court Order.**

File No. 8725, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, McMurray—2.

**Amending Ordinance No. 4942 (Series of 1939), "Membership Ordinance," by Changing the Name of "American Association of Airport Executives (State)," to "California Association of Airport Executives," in the List of Organizations in Which the Airport Maintains Membership.**

File No. 8729, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, McMurray—2.



**Final Passage.**

**Appropriating \$1,500, Fire Department, for Replacement of Permanent Fire Boat Employees on Sick Leave; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 8715, Ordinance No. 7208 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, McMurray—2.

**Appropriating \$7,100, Youth Guidance Center, Juvenile Hall, for Purchase of Meat; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 8737, Ordinance No. 7209 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, McMurray—2.

**Appropriating \$500, Electricity, Fire Alarm Division, for Temporary Salaries; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 8742, Ordinance No. 7210 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, McMurray—2.

**Consideration Continued.**

The following recommendation of Public Utilities Committee was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Ferdon, Sullivan.

**Authorizing City Attorney to Represent the City and County of San Francisco in the Matter of Application Made by the Key System to the State Public Utilities Commission for Increased Rates.**

File No. 8765, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

Supervisor Lewis moved, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, that consideration of the foregoing measure be continued for a period of one week.

No objection and motion *carried*.

*Consideration continued one week.*

**Adopted.**

The following recommendations of Streets Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, McMurray, Sullivan.

**Declaring Intention to Change or Modify the Official Grades on Portions of Mansell and Dartmouth Streets.**

File No. 8730, Resolution No. 12076 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, McMurray—2.

Granting Revocable Permit to Adolph and Elizabeth Friedenthal to Construct a Wall in a Portion of the Sidewalk Area on the North Side of Lombard Street Westerly from Larkin Street.

File No. 8731, Resolution No. 12077 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, McMurray—2.

#### Passage for Second Reading.

Ordering the Improvement of Portions of Twenty-fourth Street Between Burnham and Fountain Streets and Extending City Aid in Approximate Amount of \$1,000.

File No. 8688, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, McMurray—2.

Conditionally Accepting the Roadway and Curbs of Marin Street Between Third and Illinois Streets.

File No. 8709, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Gas pipes not laid therein.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, McMurray—2.

Amending Ordinance No. 7164 (Series of 1939), Accepting Roadways and Curbs of Various Streets, by Eliminating from Section 1 Thereof the Words "Including the Crossing of Bowdoin and Hamilton Streets," and Substituting Therefor the Words, "Including the Crossing of Dwight and Hamilton Streets."

File No. 8482-1, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, McMurray—2.

Ordering the Improvement of Portions of Mangels Avenue Between Detroit and Congo Streets and Extending City Aid in Approximate Amount of \$4,300.

File No. 8624, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, McMurray—2.

#### Consideration Continued.

The following measure from Streets Committee, with recommendation that protests be overruled and assessment confirmed, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, McMurray, Sullivan.

# Hearing of Protests in Connection With Improvement of the Intersections of Rutledge Street at Peralta Avenue and Franconia Street and the Improvement of Portion of Franconia Street.

File No. 6627

(The Board of Supervisors at its meeting on Monday, February 18, 1952, heard protestants in connection with the foregoing improvement, and the matter was subsequently referred to Committee for further study and action. The Committee now recommends that the protests be overruled and assessment confirmed.)

Supervisor Lewis moved, seconded by Supervisor Christopher, that consideration of the foregoing measure be continued for a period of one week.

No objection and motion *carried*.

*Consideration continued one week.*

## Reference to Finance Committee.

The following emergency measure, appearing on the Board's supplemental calendar, was taken up:

**Appropriating \$2,507, Public Health, Emergency Hospitals, from the Emergency Reserve Fund, for Materials and Supplies, Foodstuffs, Canned Goods, and Heat, Light and Power; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 8757, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Materials and Supplies . . . . .)	\$1,873
Foodstuffs . . . . .	200
Canned Goods . . . . .	100
Heat, Light and Power . . . . .	334)

Supervisor Christopher moved, seconded by Supervisor Gallagher, that the foregoing measure be referred to the Finance Committee.

No objection and motion *carried*.

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

## OFF-CALENDAR LEGISLATION.

The following recommendation of his Honor the Mayor was presented by the Clerk:

**Adopted.**

**Leaves of Absence—Charles J. Foehn, Member of the Board of Education, March 8-15; Oscar Lewis, Member of the Art Commission, March 25-April 15, 1952, With Permission to Leave the State.**

File No. 7823, Resolution No. 12068 (Series of 1939).

## Motion to Adopt.

Supervisor Gallagher moved adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor Arnold.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—9.

**Absent:** Supervisors MacPhee, McMurray—2.

**ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF MEASURES AND  
COMMUNICATIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED  
UPON BY A COMMITTEE.**

**Adopted as Amended.**

**Declaring the "Spring Comes to Maiden Lane Festival" an Official  
Civic Celebration.**

Supervisor Arnold presented:

File No. 8788, Resolution No. 12069 (Series of 1939).

**Amendment.**

Supervisor Lewis moved the following amendments:

1. Change caption to read: Commending Sponsors of the "Spring Comes to Maiden Lane Festival." Motion seconded by Supervisor Arnold.

No objection and motion *carried*.

2. Delete the word "civic" appearing in second "Whereas." Motion seconded by Supervisor Arnold.

No objection and motion *carried*.

3. In the "Resolved" delete the words "declare the" and insert, in lieu thereof, the words "... commend the merchants for their aid in support of the"; in the third and fourth lines delete the following: "... an official annual civic celebration in said City and County." Motion seconded by Supervisor Arnold.

No objection and motion *carried*.

Thereupon the roll was called and the foregoing measure, as amended, was *adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Maneuso, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, McMurray—2.

**Reference to Committee.**

Supervisor Arnold moved that the Clerk of the Board be and he is hereby authorized to submit to the Controller a request for an intra-fund transfer of \$2,000 from Appropriation No. 101.298.00—Legislative Expenses, to Appropriation No. 101.272.00—Civic Celebrations, in order to provide funds for the civic celebration "Spring Comes to Maiden Lane," to be held during April, 1952.

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

**Motion Authorizing President to Appoint Two Members to Attend  
U. S. Conference of Mayors.**

Supervisor Gallagher moved, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, that the President of the Board be authorized to appoint two members to attend the 20th Anniversary Annual Conference of the United States Conference of Mayors to be held in New York City during period of May 15-17, 1952.

No objection and motion *carried*.

**Reference to Committee.**

**Authorizing Payment of Travel Allowances to Employees Assigned to  
Duty Outside the City, and Providing for Fixing of Rates Therefor.**

Supervisor Gallagher presented:

File No. 8786, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

**Motion Memorializing Senator John J. McClellan to Hold Early Hearings and Report Favorably on Senate Bill No. 2268.**

Supervisor Mancuso moved, seconded by Supervisor Christopher, that the Clerk of the Board direct a letter to Senator John J. McClellan, urging early and favorable consideration by his committee of Senate Bill No. 2268, providing payment of in lieu taxes on federally-owned lands.

No objection and motion *carried*.

**Motion Commending Clerk and Chief Assistant Clerk.**

Supervisor Mead, seconded by Supervisor Lewis, moved that the Board commend the Clerk of the Board and the Chief Assistant Clerk for their assistance in the Board's consideration of the Salary Standardization Ordinance.

No objection and motion *carried*.

**Motion Commending Finance Committee for Its Expeditious Preparation and Handling of the Salary Standardization Ordinance.**

Supervisor Mead moved that the Board commend the Finance Committee for its expeditious preparation and handling of the Salary Standardization Ordinance.

Supervisor Mancuso objected.

*No Board action taken.*

**ADJOURNMENT.**

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 10:00 p. m., adjourned.

JOHN R. McGRATH, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors March 31, 1952.

I, John R. McGrath, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the date hereon stated and approved as recited.

JOHN R. McGRATH,  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.









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# JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MONDAY, MARCH 17, 1952—2:00 P. M.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, March 17, 1952,  
2:00 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

## CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, MacPhee, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso—2.

Quorum present.

President Dewey Mead presiding.

Supervisor Lewis noted present at 2:12 p. m.

Supervisor Mancuso noted present at 2:17 p. m.

## Communications.

From Sam Spina, representing "It's May Day in Los Banos Festival," extending invitation to attend the annual fair during period May 1-4.

*Copy to each member of Board; filed.*

From State Division of Highways, memo to friends and associates of John H. Skeggs, reminding them of stag dinner party to be held on March 29, on the occasion of Mr. Skeggs' retirement from state service.

*Copy to each member of Board; filed.*

From Chief Administrative Officer, copies of Division of Highways' Fifth Annual Report dated January, 1952.

*Copy to each member of Board; filed.*

From Chief Administrative Officer, reporting on condition of sewage drainage system on Fourteenth Street between Folsom and Harrison Streets.

*Copy to Supervisor Gallagher; filed.*

From Public Utilities Commission, furnishing list of classes of persons granted free transportation on the Municipal Railway, together with approximate number in each class.

*Copy to Supervisor Mancuso; filed.*

From Santa Clara County, transmitting certified copy of resolution, memorializing the City and County of San Francisco to cooperate in the proposed acquisition of Butano Forest lands as a state park, by appropriating \$310,000 therefor.

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

From Manager of Utilities, copy of letter addressed to the Public Utilities Commission, attaching thereto proposed resolution, recom-

mending a schedule of rates designed to finance the cost of operating the Municipal Railway for the fiscal year 1952-53.

*Copy to each member of Board; ordered filed.*

From Executive Secretary to the Mayor, advising that the Mayor would take early action in either approving or disapproving the Salary Standardization Ordinance in event the Board should decide to amend same, at this time.

*Ordered filed.*

## UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

### Final Passage.

The following recommendations of Finance Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Gallagher, Arnold, Christopher.

**Appropriating \$9,961.48, Public Health, for Contractual Services, Maintenance and Repair of Buildings, and Materials and Supplies.**

File No. 8225, Ordinance No. 7215 (Series of 1939).

(Maintenance and Repair of Buildings—	
Administration	\$1,300.00
Contractual Services—Accounting	100.00
Materials and Supplies—Statistics	400.00
Maintenance and Repair of Automotive	
Equipment—Milk Inspection	800.00
Contractual Services—Communicable Diseases	230.00
Use of Employees' Cars—Communicable Diseases	400.00
Contractual Services—Venereal Disease Control	150.00
Materials and Supplies—Mental Hygiene	50.00
Materials and Supplies—Bacteriological	
Laboratory	500.00
Contractual Services—Child Hygiene	100.00
Materials and Supplies—Dental Bureau	200.00
Contractual Services—Food and Sanitary	
Inspection	1,700.00
Use of Employees' Cars—Food and Sanitary	
Inspection	1,700.00
Contractual Services—Public Health Nursing	250.00
Use of Employees's Cars—Public Health Nursing	1,081.48
Photographic Supplies—Tuberculosis Bureau	1,000.00

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, MacPhee, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso—2.

**Appropriating \$810, Public Welfare, for New Position of Social Service Worker.**

File No. 8677-1, Ordinance No. 7219 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, MacPhee, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso—2.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 66, Public Welfare Department—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 8677-2, Ordinance No. 7220 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, MacPhee, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso—2

**Authorizing Compromise and Settlement of Claim of Leo J. Meyberg Company Against the City and County by Authorizing the Relocation of Poles at Market and Valencia Streets.**

File No. 8679, Ordinance No. 7221 (Series of 1939).

(Cost estimated at sum of \$5,000.)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, MacPhee, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso—2

**Creating Twelve Positions of Assistant Clerk in the Board of Supervisors for the Purpose of Countersigning Various Bond Issues.**

File No. 8699, Ordinance No. 7222 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, MacPhee, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso—2

**Authorizing Lease of Certain Surplus San Francisco Airport Lands Located in San Mateo County for Agricultural Purposes.**

File No. 8710, Ordinance No. 7223 (Series of 1939).

(Approximately 633 acres, westerly of old Bayshore Highway, south of North Canal, east of Southern Pacific Railroad right of way, and north of Millbrae Avenue.)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, MacPhee, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso—2

**Appropriating \$1,140, San Francisco Hospital, for New Position of Senior Clerk; Abolishing Position of General Clerk-Stenographer.**

File No. 8557-1, Ordinance No. 7216 (Series of 1939).

(Senior Clerk	\$285-350
General Clerk-Stenographer	225-285)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, MacPhee, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso—2

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Sections 58 and 58.1, San Francisco Hospital—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 8557-2, Ordinance No. 7217 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, MacPhee, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso—2

**Consideration Temporarily Postponed.**

The following measure from Finance Committee, heretofore considered, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors MacPhee, Fazackerley.

**Appropriating \$28,850, Board of Supervisors—Municipal Government Survey Advisory Committee, for Contractual Services.**

File No. 8364, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(For purpose of continuing and completing survey under direction of Survey Advisory Committee, of all departments, offices and agencies of the City, with the exception of the Unified School District, in order to design a controlled record-keeping system, and to supervise installation of record center and train necessary personnel incident to organization and management of such central depository of records.)

March 10, 1952—Consideration continued to March 17, 1952.

There being no objection, consideration of the foregoing measure was *temporarily postponed*, pending appearance of full membership of Board.

**Adopted.**

The following recommendations of Police Committee, heretofore considered, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors McMurray, Ferdon.

**Designating Streets on Which Stopping of Vehicles With Certain Exceptions, Is Prohibited at Specified Hours, Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays Excepted.**

File No. 8711-1, Resolution No. 12090 (Series of 1939).

(4 p. m. to 6 p. m.):

Market Street, south side, between Valencia Street and The Embarcadero;

Mission Street, east side, between Sixteenth Street and South Van Ness Avenue;

Mission Street, south side, between South Van Ness Avenue and The Embarcadero;

Sutter Street, south side, between Jones and Market Streets;

Fourth Street, east side, between Howard and Market Streets;

Fourth Street, west side, between Mission and Howard Streets.

**Exceptions:**

- (1) In obedience to a traffic signal.
- (2) In obedience to order of police officer.
- (3) While passenger boarding, with baggage.
- (4) While passenger alighting, with baggage.
- (5) Commercial vehicles, while loading or unloading merchandise.

March 10, 1952—Consideration continued to March 17, 1952.

**Amendment.**

Supervisor Dobbs asserted that if the Board permitted commercial vehicles to park on streets on which tow-away provisions are in force, this privilege should likewise be extended to other tow-away streets, and he was certainly opposed to such a practice.

He accordingly moved, seconded by Supervisor Lewis, that Exemption No. 5, permitting commercial vehicles to park on such tow-away streets, be deleted from the measure.

Supervisor Christopher explained that, in his private capacity, he had checked into the matter and in the interest of mass transportation, felt that commercial vehicles should not be permitted to park. He stated he would therefore vote for the amendment and for the measure as amended.

#### Privilege of the Floor.

Upon motion duly made, seconded and carried, the privilege of the floor was extended to the following persons who spoke against the proposed measure permitting commercial vehicles to park in tow-away zones:

E. Moore, representing the California Automobile Association.

George S. Hill.

Jack Goldberger, San Francisco Labor Council.

Russell Bevans, Secretary-Treasurer, Draymen's Association.

Anthony Cancilla, Chauffeurs' Union.

Dan Sweeney, Secretary-Treasurer, Brotherhood of Teamsters, Local No. 85.

#### Explanations of Votes.

Supervisor McMurray stated that he was more interested in the little storekeeper trying to make a living than in providing traffic accommodations for those persons living outside of San Francisco. The measure should be given a trial, without the amendment, and then if it doesn't work, he would be the first to amend it.

Supervisor Mancuso stated he favored the measure in its present form. He believed that a trial period should be had, and if it appears to work an undue hardship, or if traffic conditions worsen, steps could then be taken to remedy the situation.

Supervisor Arnold declared that he would vote against the proposed amendment, contending that he believed it imperative to help business and not impede it.

Supervisor MacPhee stated he would vote for the amendment but against the measure.

Supervisor Gallagher averred that he did not believe that the tow-away system would be of much help in the downtown area, particularly between 4 and 6 p. m.; that it is not the commercial cars or taxicabs which are impeding the flow of traffic, but rather the buses are proving the major obstacles. He therefore stated he would vote against both the amendment and the measure.

#### Amendment—Lost.

The roll was thereupon called on Supervisor Dobbs' amendment and it lost by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee—4.

Noes: Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon, Gallagher, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—7.

#### Amendment—Lost.

Supervisor Mancuso moved that the No. 5 exception be amended by adding after the word "commercial," the word "trucking."

Motion lost for want of a second.

Thereupon the roll was called on the measure and it was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Noes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Gallagher, MacPhee—4.

**Deleting Portions of Market and Mission Streets from, and Adding Portions of Said Streets to, List of Streets on Which Parking Is Restricted to Sixty Minutes at Specified Hours, Sundays and Holidays Excepted.**

File No. 8711-2, Resolution No. 12091 (Series of 1939).

(Delete—7 a. m. to 6 p. m.:

Mission Street, south side, between Main and Beale Streets;  
Mission Street, south side, between Sixth and Seventh Streets.

Delete—9 a. m. to 6 p. m.:

Market Street, south side, between Valencia and Tenth Streets;  
Mission Street, south side, between The Embarcadero and Main Street;  
Mission Street, east side, between South Van Ness Avenue and Cortland Avenue.

Add—7 a. m. to 4 p. m.:

Mission Street, south side, between Main and Beale Streets;  
Mission Street, south side, between Sixth and Seventh Streets;  
Mission Street, south side, between Thirteenth and Sixteenth Streets.)

March 10, 1952—Consideration continued to March 17, 1952.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Noes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Gallagher, MacPhee—4.

**Adding Market Street, South Side, Between Fremont and Tenth Streets, to List of Streets on Which Parking Is Prohibited Between 7 A. M. and 4 P. M., Sundays and Holidays Excepted.**

File No. 8711-3, Resolution No. 12092 (Series of 1939).

March 10, 1952—Consideration continued to March 17, 1952.

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Noes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Gallagher, MacPhee—4.

**Deleting Market Street, South Side, Between Fremont and Tenth Streets, from List of Streets on Which Parking Is Prohibited Between 7 A. M. and 6 P. M., Sundays and Holidays Excepted.**

File No. 8711-4, Resolution No. 12093 (Series of 1939).

March 10, 1952—Consideration continued to March 17, 1952.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Noes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Gallagher, MacPhee—4.

**Deleting Portions of Mission and Sutter Streets from List of Streets on Which Stopping of Vehicles Is Prohibited at Specified Hours, Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays Excepted.**

File No. 8712, Resolution No. 12094 (Series of 1939).

(7 a. m. to 9 a. m.:

Sutter Street, south side, between Market and Divisadero Streets.



4 p. m. to 6 p. m.:

Mission Street, south side, between First and Second Streets.)

March 10, 1952—Consideration continued to March 17, 1952.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Ferdon, Gallagher, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Noes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, MacPhee—3.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

#### Final Passage.

**Authorizing Establishment of a Crosswalk on Austin Street Between Larkin and Polk Streets.**

File No. 8610, Ordinance No. 7218 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, MacPhee, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso—2.

#### Adopted.

The following recommendation of Public Utilities Committee, heretofore considered, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Ferdon, Sullivan.

**Authorizing City Attorney to Represent the City and County of San Francisco in the Matter of Application Made by the Key System to the State Public Utilities Commission for Increased Rates.**

File No. 8765, Resolution No. 12096 (Series of 1939).

March 10, 1952—Consideration continued to March 17, 1952.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

#### Final Passage.

The following recommendation of Judiciary Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon.

**Authorizing Controller to Make Payroll Deductions for Payment of Group Insurance Premiums.**

File No. 8504, Ordinance No. 7214 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

#### Protests Overruled and Assessment Confirmed.

The following measure from Streets Committee with recommendation that protest be overruled and assessment confirmed, heretofore considered, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, McMurray, Sullivan.

**Hearing of Protests in Connection With Improvement of the inter-sections of Rutledge Street at Peralta Avenue and Franconia Street and the Improvement of Portion of Franconia Street.**

File No. 6627

(The Board of Supervisors at its meeting on Monday, February 18, 1952, heard protestants in connection with the foregoing improvement, and the matter was subsequently referred to Committee for further study and action. The Committee now recommends that the protests be overruled and assessment confirmed.)

March 10, 1952—Consideration continued to March 17, 1952.

Supervisor Arnold moved, seconded by Supervisor McMurray, that the foregoing protests be overruled and assessment confirmed.

No objection and motion carried.

(NOTE: The following italicized passages have been ordered expunged. See subsequent motion.)

***Discussion Relative to Position of City and County of San Francisco Regarding San Francisco Terminus of Second Bay Crossing.***

There being no objection, Supervisor Lewis dwelt at length on the subject of a second bay crossing and stated that the special committee, established by the Board by its Resolution No. 6484 (Series of 1939), adopted on April 28, 1947, composed of the Mayor, the Chief Administrative Officer, the Controller, the Assessor, the City Attorney and the Chairman of the County, State and National Affairs Committee of the Board of Supervisors, had met and that the preponderance of thinking leaned toward the selection of Army Street as the San Francisco terminus. Supervisor Lewis asserted that it was imperative that the City make up its mind officially as to location this afternoon so that our Legislative Representative, Don Cleary, could forthwith inform our legislative delegation in Sacramento of such official action.

Supervisor Christopher declared that he had spoken to members of the San Francisco delegation at Sacramento and found they were displeased over the fact that they had not been consulted with respect to determining the approach terminus in San Francisco. He stated further that the idea of bringing transcontinental trains into San Francisco was being frowned upon by the railroads, and vowed that his vote on the matter would be somewhat predicated on trains being brought into the city. It was incumbent upon the Mayor to bring our Senators, Assemblymen and Supervisors together for the purpose of arriving at a concrete policy. Unless something of this nature is done, we will be floundering back and forth.

Supervisor MacPhee stated that he also had spoken to members of the State Legislature who felt they had been left out of the discussion and therefore do not know what the city's policy is with respect to the approach terminus. Supervisor MacPhee agreed that the suggestion made by Supervisor Christopher that a meeting be held of all interested parties was very timely.

Supervisor Gallagher expressed the opinion that definite action should be taken at this time.

Donald Cleary, the City's Legislative Representative at Sacramento, explained that pending legislation at Sacramento relative to bay crossing approaches was being handled by Assemblyman Dolwig and Senator Collier and this was due to the fact that at the conclusion of the 1951 session, the foregoing members were assigned the task.

*Motion—Lost.*

Supervisor MacPhee moved that Don Cleary, Legislative Representative, be instructed to invite the members of San Francisco's delegation at Sacramento to meet with the Mayor, the members of the Board of Supervisors, the Chief Administrative Officer and the Director of Public Works, later on in the week for the purpose of determining the city's policy with respect to a San Francisco terminus of the second bay crossing.

Motion lost for want of a second.

*Introduction of Measure.*

Supervisor Christopher moved the suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the following measure. Motion seconded by Supervisor MacPhee.

**Urging Meeting of San Francisco Officials and Legislative Representative for the Purpose of Formulating Policy Concerning Location of and Approaches to an Additional Crossing of San Francisco Bay.**

File No. 8803, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

*Discussion (Continued).*

Supervisor Mancuso maintained that if the Board held its ground, there would be a possibility that the provisions relating to the \$13,000,000 rollback to the northern counties, might be deleted. The funds, the Supervisor declared, were being used as a political football and that it properly belonged to the people who paid the tolls and not to the northern counties.

Supervisor Gallagher stated that there was more to the picture than appeared on the surface and called upon the Chief Administrative Officer for comment.

The Chief Administrative Officer explained that a meeting had been held recently, Assemblyman Dolwig, Senator O'Gara, Assemblymen Collins, Maloney and others being present. At that time, Assemblyman Dolwig informed the gathering that he had spoken to the East Bay people and that they had decided upon Bay Farm Island as the eastern terminus for the bridge. San Francisco must make up its mind where it wants its bridgehead located. San Francisco's Master Plan, the Joint Army-Navy Board Report both called for a bridgehead in the vicinity of Army Street. If the Board of Supervisors feels that another location other than Army Street is more appropriate, the Master Plan can be changed. Senator Breed has introduced another bill on the subject and unless action is taken soon, San Francisco will not be considered at this session of the Legislature with respect to a terminus for a southern bay crossing.

Supervisor Mancuso asked the Chief Administrative Officer if he thought action should be taken today, to which he replied that there was a very good chance that the bills introduced by Assemblyman Dolwig and Senator Collier would pass. The bill carries provision for a rollback which Mr. Brooks stated he did not favor.

Supervisor Mancuso asked Mr. Cleary if it was possible to pass a bill at the present session of the Legislature which would reflect a definite stand by the city, to which Mr. Cleary replied that he had no position in the matter, although all available data pointed to the selection of Army Street as the San Francisco terminus.

Supervisor Mancuso asked the Chair if, in the event Supervisor Christopher's resolution is voted upon, is Supervisor Lewis' committee report properly before the Board?

The Chair ruled that the matter would be before the Board.

*Motion to Suspend the Rules—Lost.*

The roll was thereupon called and Supervisor Christopher's motion to suspend the rules lost by the following vote:

*Ayes:* Supervisors Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead—7.

*Noes:* Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Gallagher, Sullivan—4.

The Chair thereupon referred the measure to the County, State and National Affairs Committee.

The Chair now ruled that Supervisor Lewis' verbal report was before the Board.

*Discussion.*

Supervisor Lewis stated that he was proceeding pursuant to the provisions of Resolution No. 6484 (Series of 1939), wherein the special committee established by the measure was authorized to recommend policy with respect to any measure pending before the Legislature affecting the welfare of the city, and that unless the Board, by resolution, adopted a policy different from that recommended by the special committee, the policy of said special committee shall be that of the City and County of San Francisco, and the Legislative Representative and the members of the San Francisco delegation shall be apprized of said committee action.

*Motion.*

Supervisor MacPhee moved, seconded by Supervisor Christopher, that the Mayor be requested to call a meeting later on in the week and to discuss the pending subject with members of the Board of Supervisors, members of San Francisco's delegation to the Legislature, with the Chief Administrative Officer, Director of the Department of Public Works and our Legislative Representative, for the purpose of determining the city's stand with respect to its second bay crossing terminus.

*Substitute Motion.*

Supervisor Mancuso moved, as a substitute, that the Board of Supervisors go on record as approving the recommendation of the special legislative committee established by Resolution No. 6484 (Series of 1939), and that our representatives at Sacramento be authorized to carry out the recommendation of said special legislative committee. Motion seconded by Supervisor Gallagher.

*Point of Order.*

Supervisor MacPhee rose to a point of order, contending that the substitute motion is out of order.

The President ruled the point of order well taken.

At this point, Supervisor Lewis recited a portion of Resolution No. 6484 (Series of 1939) wherein the Legislative Representative is authorized to act on the recommendation of the special committee unless the Board of Supervisors adopted a resolution to the contrary.

*Previous Question.*

Supervisor MacPhee moved the previous question, whereupon the President ruled the substitute motion is properly before the Board.

*Point of Order.*

Supervisor Christopher rose to a point of order, contending that the recommendation of the special legislative committee must be in the form of a resolution and there is no such resolution at present before the Board. Supervisor Christopher contended further that to adopt Supervisor Mancuso's substitute motion would, in effect, adopt Supervisor Lewis' report.

*Substitute Motion Withdrawn.*

There being no objection, Supervisor Mancuso withdrew his substitute motion.

*Motion Lost.*

Thereupon the roll was called on Supervisor MacPhee's motion with the resultant vote:

Ayes: Supervisor's Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

No: Supervisor Mancuso—1.

*Ruling of President.*

The President ruled that the foregoing motion required unanimous approval for adoption and since it received a dissenting vote, it did not carry. The President, however, frankly admitted that he was not certain of his ground.

*Reason for Negative Vote.*

Supervisor Mancuso explained that his negative vote was predicated on the fact that a measure purporting to convey identical intention of the motion just defeated had been referred to committee, and that in the meantime he disliked taking action that might lead to adoption of a bill introduced by Senator Breed.

At this point, Don Cleary, Legislative Representative, asked for instructions, to which the President replied that he had no alternative but to rule that the only instructions that could be issued for the Legislative Representative was to accept the recommendations of the special legislative committee.

*Motion—Withdrawn.*

Supervisor Gallagher moved that Supervisor Lewis be authorized to go to Sacramento to represent the Board in connection with pending bills on the second bay crossing. Motion seconded by Supervisor Mancuso.

Supervisor MacPhee stated that he would vote against the motion.

Supervisor McMurray asserted that he would vote against any proposition about which he was not familiar.

There being no objection, Supervisor Gallagher withdrew his motion.

*Record Expunged.*

Supervisor Gallagher moved, seconded by Supervisor McMurray, that the record be expunged insofar as previous discussion on a terminus for a second bay crossing was concerned.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

*Motion to Refer Report to Committee.*

Supervisor Arnold moved that the proposed recommendation of the Legislative Committee, of which Supervisor Lewis is a member, be referred to the County, State and National Affairs Committee, to meet on March 18, with the members of the special legislative committee, and that a recommendation be forthcoming from such joint hearing to be acted upon by the Board at a recessed meeting to be held on Wednesday, March 19, 1952, at 2 p. m.

Motion lost for want of a second.

**Motion to Recess.**

Supervisor Sullivan moved, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, that the Board recess until 10 a. m., Saturday, March 22, 1952.

**Substitute Motion.**

Supervisor MacPhee moved, as a substitute, that the Mayor be requested to call a meeting during the week and invite thereto the members of the Board of Supervisors, the Chief Administrative Officer, the Director of the Department of Public Works, our Legislative Representatives and members of San Francisco's delegation to the Legislature, for the purpose of establishing a definite policy in regard to the city's second bay crossing terminus. Motion seconded by Supervisor Gallagher and *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Presentation of Guests.**

There being no objection, Supervisor Mancuso introduced four high school students, winners in recent oratorical contest conducted by the Northern California District of the National Forensic League. They were: Dick Kislitzin, Cynthia Stearns and Leland Levy, all from Lowell High School, and Lawrence Lujan from St. Ignatius High School.

**Adopted.****Suspension of Rules.**

Supervisor Mancuso moved the suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the following measure out of order. Motion seconded by Supervisor MacPhee, and there being no objection motion *carried*.

**Commending Winners of Oratorical Contests Conducted by the Northern California District of the National Forensic League.**

File No. 8803, Resolution No. 12101 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Mancuso moved adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor MacPhee.

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Motion to Rescind Board Action Dealing With Salary Standardization.**

There being no objection, Supervisor Gallagher informed the Board that it had come to his attention that through inadvertence, the position of E12, Line Inspector, should have been given a ten-dollar raise in the recent hearing on salary standardization due to the fact that the classification of Inspector had been given such a raise. Further, Supervisor Gallagher stated he was in receipt of a communication from Max Funke, Executive Secretary to the Mayor, wherein the Mayor had promised to take action on the question of whether to sign the salary standardization measure before the April 1 deadline, should the Board decide to rescind action at this time.

Thereupon Supervisor Gallagher moved, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, that the Board rescind its action whereby it had, on March 10, 1952, passed the Salary Standardization Ordinance, designated as File No. 7846, to second reading.

Supervisor Mancuso asked whether such action, if approved by the Board, would jeopardize the measure and thus endanger the raises

for those employees for whom they were authorized, and Supervisor Gallagher stated that he had been assured by the Mayor's office that there would be no such danger.

#### Motion Withdrawn.

Supervisor McMurray suggested that consideration of the foregoing matter be taken up under Roll Call.

There being no objection, Supervisor Gallagher withdrew his motion.

#### Resumption of Consideration of File No. 8364 Relating to an Appropriation of \$28,850, Board of Supervisors, Municipal Government Survey Advisory Committee, for Contractual Services.

Supervisor Gallagher explained at length his objections to the approval of the above mentioned appropriation.

#### Motion to Insert Communication in Journal.

Supervisor Gallagher requested that his letter, dated March 3, 1952, with attachments, addressed to the Board of Supervisors, in which his objections to the above mentioned appropriation are outlined, be made part of the record.

No objection and motion *carried*.

#### Communication.

March 3, 1952.

To the Honorable  
The Board of Supervisors  
City Hall  
San Francisco  
Gentlemen:

*Subject:* Appropriation of \$28,850 to Continue Survey by National Records Management Council.

You are asked to appropriate the sum of \$28,850, to continue the survey by the National Records Management Council. Of this amount, \$3,500 is asked for training of personnel assigned to a records center and the balance of \$25,350 is for additional departmental surveys.

Let it be emphasized at the outset that there is no great urgency in connection with the proposal for this appropriation because the staff of the National Records Management Council is not now in San Francisco or presently available for the work contemplated, assuming that it were to be authorized.

On the other hand, in view of the fact that \$16,610.55 has already been expended upon this type of work, the results of which are, to say the least, controversial, it is prudent and in the public interest that, in connection with the initial project, all of the facts be divulged in order that you may pass intelligently upon the necessity and wisdom of providing further public funds for this type of endeavor.

Based upon past performance, as reflected in charges submitted by the National Records Management Council for work under the contract now in dispute, the sum of \$25,350 would be expended as follows:

		Salary	*Living Expense	Travel Expense
President and Director	26 da. @	\$100—\$ 2,600	\$ 280	\$ 981.47
Resident Director	89 da. @	80— 7,168	1,904	1,479.80
Sr. Staff Member	88 da. @	60— 5,292	2,352	1,477.70
Staff Member	19 da. @	60— 1,176		
		<hr/> \$16,236	<hr/> \$4,536	<hr/> \$3,938.97

\*Includes Saturdays, Sundays and holidays.

Please note that combined living and travel expense, for those who would be engaged in this work, totaling \$8,474.97, exceeds 50 per cent of the amount for actual per diem salaries.

Let us review this matter and isolate the real objective of the surveys for which this Board has already appropriated \$51,813.

#### OBJECT OF SURVEYS—BUDGET AND TAX REDUCTION

Resolution No. 10392 (Series of 1939), presented by Supervisor Christopher, provides as follows:

(Emphasis throughout, is added.)

"Whereas, The cost of City Government has risen in the past several years to an all-time high, compelling a tax rate of \$6.29 for the ensuing fiscal year; and

"Whereas, *It is imperative that in the interest of the City's progress, all unnecessary and overlapping expenditures be eliminated*, and that a rigid program of sound economy be initiated; now, therefore, be it

"Resolved, That this Board of Supervisors shall conduct a thorough survey of all City departments, based on the principals of the 'Hoover Commission,' and shall retain such counsel or experts as may be necessary to adequately determine the superfluous expenditures now being incurred, *with the purpose in mind of eliminating such expenditures from the budget and thus alleviating the tax load of the citizens of San Francisco*. The Commission to be appointed shall be selected by the Finance Committee subject to confirmation by the Board of Supervisors, the Mayor, and the Chief Administrative Officer."

(The foregoing resolution was adopted by the Board of Supervisors on October 2, 1950, and approved by the Mayor on October 12, 1950.)

On November 28, 1950, there was approved, Resolution No. 10574, as follows:

#### "CONFIRMING APPOINTMENTS TO MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT SURVEY COMMISSION.

Resolution No. 10574

(Series of 1939)

"Whereas, This Board of Supervisors by its Resolution No. 10392 (Series of 1939), adopted on October 9, 1950, called for survey of all departments of local government *with the objective of eliminating unnecessary expenses and thereby reducing taxes*; and

"Whereas, Pursuant to the provisions of said resolution the members of a Municipal Government Survey Commission have been selected by the Finance Committee and have been confirmed by the Mayor, and the Chief Administrative Officer, said members being named as follows: N. Loyall McLaren, Chairman, Paul A. Bissinger, Francis J. Carr, Mrs. Lester L. Carter, Arthur J. Dolan, Jr., John W. Elwood, George W. Johns, Francis V. Keesling, Sr., Philip O'Rourke, Peter Weinberger, and J. Arthur Younger; now, therefore, be it

"Resolved, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco does hereby confirm the appointments to the Municipal Government Survey Advisory Commission shown hereinabove."

(The foregoing resolution was adopted by the Board of Supervisors on November 27, 1950, and approved by the Mayor on November 28, 1950.)



After the Municipal Government Survey Advisory Committee had been appointed and was functioning and at the time that its budget was before this Board for consideration, in 1951, the Advisory Committee addressed a letter to this Board, in which it is said in part:

"It is imperative that our Committee initiate a survey as quickly as possible if we are to assist the Board of Supervisors in attaining the desirable objective of adequately *determining superfluous expenditures with the purpose in mind of eliminating such expenditures from the 1952-53 budget* and thus alleviating the tax load of the citizens of San Francisco."

IT IS VERY PLAIN THAT THE MAIN OBJECTIVE OF THESE SURVEYS WAS TO REDUCE THE BUDGETS OF THE VARIOUS DEPARTMENTS AND TO REFLECT SUCH SAVINGS IN THE TAX RATE AND THIS COMMENCING WITH THE BUDGET FOR 1952-53

### RESULT OF SURVEY OF NATIONAL RECORDS MANAGEMENT COUNCIL

Appendix I "Summary of San Francisco's Accomplishments in Records Management," shows the following:

Approved Project	Estimated Annual Savings
1. "Birth Controls" on Creating Records.	
<i>Improved Reports</i>	
a. Department of Public Health develops new shortened work reporting procedure. Substitutes semi-monthly report of summary data for preparation and processing of daily reports	\$23,348
b. Department of Public Works eliminates "Notice of Building Permit Issuance" by developing a more effective, but cheaper, control procedure	4,055
c. Chief Administrative Office eliminated daily mileage report for City owned cars as a mandatory requirement	17,150
<i>Improved Forms</i>	
a. Department of Public Health eliminates 91 forms and revises 21 more out of 284 forms	1,025
b. Department of Public Works (Central Permit Bureau) consolidates 5 building operations permits into 1	1,200
<i>Streamlined Correspondence</i>	
a. Department of Public Welfare uses correspondence study to develop 5 standard letters, 3 form letters, and 7 "pattern" letters	1,871
2. Improved Controls on Use and Maintenance of Records.	
a. Department of Public Works develops more effective procedure to control job costs, making possible tighter supervision and increased productivity from work crews	102,270
b. Department of Public Welfare reduces dictation and typing time by 10 per cent on all investigations and annual reinvestigations—an extension of good quality control practices	847
c. County Clerk substitutes use of low-cost storage boxes in lieu of expensive file equipment for inactive records retained to meet legal requirements	3,600
d. Civil Service Commission eliminates tabulating punched card operation as no longer required	1,500

## 3. Systematic Controls on Records Keeping

## a. Approval of Systematic Records Schedules

## (1) Board of Education (Division of Accounts)

Sale of Waste Paper .....	80
Release of File Equipment .....	2,198

## (2) Department of Public Works

## (Central Permit Bureau)

Sale of Waste Paper .....	58
Release of File Equipment .....	478

## (3) Department of Water Works

Sale of Waste Paper (23 tons) .....	345
Release of File Equipment .....	2,610
Release of City Building .....	19,500

## b. Effective Disposal of Specialized Groups of Records

## (1) City Attorney (Case Records)

Sale of Waste Paper (1.1 tons) .....	16
Released File Equipment .....	459

## (2) County Clerk

Sale of Waste Paper (3.2 tons) .....	48
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## (3) Department of Public Welfare

## (Case Records disposal authorized by State statute on September 22, 1951)

Sale of Waste Paper (14 tons) .....	210
Release of File Equipment .....	6,816

## (4) Municipal Railway

Sale of Waste Paper (29 tons) .....	435
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In a letter addressed to me on February 1, 1952, Mr. McLaren says: "Appendix I of the the National Records Management Council Report for San Francisco summarizes actual and potential accomplishments in City Records Management and lists estimated *first year savings totaling \$190,119, if the projects are implemented by the proper authorities in the City government.* The projects enumerated and savings indicated have the concurrence of responsible people in the departments or agencies concerned."

Later in the same letter, Mr. McLaren says: "It is obvious that the savings as a result of released man-hours *will be reflected in the 1952-53 budget* by cutting overtime costs and reducing unit job-costs."

In letters addressed to the following officers, I asked these questions and received those responses indicated below:

1. "As soon as possible, will you please inform me whether or not the National Records Management Council designed a controlled record keeping system for your office or department or for any office or department under your jurisdiction; and if so will you please send to me a copy of such design and a copy of such manual or other instructions incident to such design as was furnished you by the National Records Management Council."
2. "As a result of such work as was recently done in your department or departments under your jurisdiction, by the National Records Management Council, will there be reflected in your departmental budget or the budget of any department under your jurisdiction, a reduction in the budget request of such department for the fiscal year 1952-53."

	Design of Controlled Record Keeping System	Saving in 1952-53 Budget
Chief Administrative Officer	No response	No response
City Attorney	No	No savings
Civil Service	Don't know	\$100
Controller	No	No savings
Finance and Records (County Clerk)	No	\$4,800*
Health Department	No	No savings
Mayor	No	No savings
Municipal Railway	No	No savings
School District	No	No savings
Supervisors	No	No savings
Water Department	No	\$200
Welfare Department	No	No savings
Works Department	No	No savings

\*NOTE: It is not clear that the savings represented by Mr. Kline for Finance and Records (County Clerk) can be attributed to the National Records Management Council.

In his letter to Mr. Brooks, dated February 11, 1952, Mr. Kline says:

"Mr. Leahy at that time complimented the Department of Finance and Records on the 'good housekeeping' that was being done and *after the Council's contract was entered into, the Council did not make a study of record keeping in any office of Finance and Records.*"

In item 4, page 2, of the same letter, Mr. Kline says:

"As a result of my familiarity with the work the Council was doing in other departments, and as a result also of personal inspection of records centers of the Standard Oil Company of California and the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company, on which inspection tours I was taken by a representative of the Council, I had the County Clerk put into effect a program of destroying certain old probate records that were occupying considerable space in the basement of the City Hall, and using that space for the storage in Records Center Cardboard Cartons of records theretofore maintained in steel filing cabinets in the County Clerk's office. That program is being carried out and as a result the County Clerk's office has been able this year to get along without the purchase of new steel filing cabinets and we are requesting in next year's budget, only \$1,200 for filing cabinets. Formerly the County Clerk's office required \$3,000 to \$4,000 for new steel filing cabinets per year."

IT WILL BE SEEN THAT THERE IS A VERY DEFINITE DIFFERENCE OF OPINION AS TO WHAT WAS ACCOMPLISHED UNDER THIS SURVEY AS WELL AS TO WHAT SAVINGS, IF ANY, WILL RESULT UNDER SUCH CIRCUMSTANCES. AND UNTIL THESE DIFFERENCES ARE RECONCILED, THIS BOARD CANNOT CONSCIENTIOUSLY APPROPRIATE FURTHER FUNDS FOR THIS TYPE OF ENDEAVOR.

It should be emphasized here again, that this survey was instituted to reflect *savings in the budget* and the tax rate. If the claims of the Advisory Committee, concerning savings, are true and if such savings are not accomplished by the departments involved, then those departments, by utilizing services for purposes other than what this Board designates, are usurping this Board's budget making powers.

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If the Public Welfare Department had 60 persons engaged in work relating to Old Age Pensions and their jurisdiction over that function were to be abrogated, certainly Mr. Born would not or could not be heard to say that he would keep all of those employees and distribute them to work in other divisions of his department, which, in his opinion were understaffed.

Although not concurred in by the departments surveyed under the contract, it is the present contention of the National Records Management Council that its work under the first contract referred to the control of accumulation of records in a department or office by setting up schedules for the period of their retention and ultimate disposition. This involves an inventory of all records in a particular department or office, an appraisal, securing required clearance and a scheduling for disposition. In this connection, the Council claims that patterns have been established as a result of their work and as you know, we have enacted legislation "Establishing a Records Management Program: Defining the Objectives, Scope and Administration of the Program; Authorizing the Donation of Books and Documents to the San Francisco Public Library and the California Historical Society and Repealing Ordinance No. 9141 New Series."

ALL OF THE INFORMATION RESULTING IN THESE DEVELOPMENTS COULD HAVE BEEN OBTAINED FOR NOTHING FROM THE STANDARD OIL COMPANY, THE TELEPHONE COMPANY OR SOME OTHER GOVERNMENTAL JURISDICTION.

How it is that one gets to be a department head without knowing what records he has under his jurisdiction and when they may be transferred or destroyed is a matter of utter astonishment to me. And why such department heads need outside "expert" impetus, at a cost of \$43,350, to perform the incidents of ordinary business routine is an equally intriguing poser.

That it was the intention of the Charter Installation Committee, as far back as 1931, that department heads should be cognizant of their responsibilities and duties in this connection, I direct your attention to Memorandum Reports Nos. 19 and 26, attached.

It is my conviction that when central storage facilities are available (and it seems they should have been long since) the city's officers and department heads will experience no difficulty, without "expert" advice, in determining which of their records may be transferred there for retention and ultimate destruction.

Your attention is directed to my letter to the Controller under date of February 25, 1952, and his response thereto, copies of which are attached, with particular reference to the statement of Mr. Ross concerning the conditions under which his office would accomplish the work for which this appropriation is proposed to be made.

Mr. Duckel, the Director of Public Works, has referred to the savings claimed by the National Records Management Council as "theoretical."

LET THEORETICAL SAVINGS BE ACCOMPLISHED WITH THEORETICAL APPROPRIATIONS.

I urge you to vote this measure down.

Respectfully,

DAN GALLAGHER  
Chairman, Finance Committee

## MAYOR'S COMMITTEE ON CHARTER INSTALLATION

San Francisco, California

October 1, 1931

Memorandum Report No. 19

## DESTRUCTION OF DEPARTMENT RECORDS

The Mayor's Committee on Charter Installation recommends to the Mayor that he circularize all departments, asking for a report from each as to the type of department record now required to be kept and stored but which experience has shown there is little or no necessity for preserving for long periods of time—this information as a basis for proposed legislation authorizing, under proper safeguards, the destruction of unnecessary records.

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In discussion of various accounting, timeroll and other departmental records, it has been brought out that under existing law, storage and preservation of these is required for long periods, although no use whatsoever is served by such preservation. Prior to drafting proposed legislation on the subject, this Committee feels it should have information that might be supplied by various departments on this subject.

Respectfully submitted,

MAYOR'S COMMITTEE ON CHARTER INSTALLATION  
(Signed) W. H. Nanry, Secretary

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## MAYOR'S COMMITTEE ON CHARTER INSTALLATION

San Francisco, California

October 8, 1931

Memorandum Report No. 26

## DESTRUCTION OF DEPARTMENTAL RECORDS

The Mayor has requested that this Committee, in connection with the work assigned to it, to circularize all departments asking for a report from each as to the types of departmental records now required to be kept and stored, but which experience has shown there is little or no necessity for preserving for long periods of time. This information is required as a basis for proposed legislation authorizing, under proper safeguards, the destruction of unnecessary records after their current use and preservation.

In the discussion of various accounting matters, it has been brought out that under existing law, storage and preservation of accounting, timeroll, time-card and other departmental records is required for long periods, although no use whatsoever is served by such preservation.

It has also been brought out in this Committee's studies of office space requirements under the new charter, that a constantly growing percentage of valuable office space is being taken up by files of departmental records, papers and the like.

Prior to drafting proposed legislation on the subject, this Committee feels that it should have information that might be supplied by the various departments on this subject.

The Mayor, in requesting us to communicate directly with all

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departments in this matter, wishes us to state that he will appreciate the full cooperation of each department.

Respectfully submitted,

MAYOR'S COMMITTEE ON CHARTER INSTALLATION  
(Signed) W. H. Nanry, Secretary

CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO

Office of CONTROLLER

March 3, 1952

Mr. Dan Gallagher  
Chairman, Finance Committee  
Board of Supervisors

Dear Sir:

This will acknowledge receipt of your inquiry of February 25, regarding the completion of the records program of the several departments of the City.

We have a staff man, Mr. Waterhouse, who is fully competent to furnish the supervision of this work, provided the respective departments furnish the required personnel.

This office would require temporary employment to carry on in Mr. Waterhouse's place.

Yours very truly,

s Harry D. Ross  
HARRY D. ROSS

February 25, 1952

Mr. Harry D. Ross  
Controller  
109 City Hall  
San Francisco, Calif.

Dear Mr. Ross:

The Board of Supervisors will again consider, on March 3, 1952, File No. 8364, a measure proposing the appropriation of \$28,850 for the purpose of continuing and completing the survey under the direction of the Municipal Government Survey Advisory Committee of all departments, offices and agencies of the City (with the exception of the Unified School District) in order to design a controlled record keeping system for same and to supervise the installation of a record center and train the necessary personnel incident to the organization and management of such central depository of records.

The breakdown of the requested \$28,850 is as follows:

For training personnel assigned by Chief	
Administrative Officer to record center	\$ 3,500
For additional departmental surveys—city-wide	
except Unified School District	25,350

Total amount requested	\$28,850
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Attached hereto, you will find pamphlet entitled "A Records Management Installation in the City and County of San Francisco," together with a copy of Ordinance No. 7070 (Series of 1939): "An Ordinance Establishing a Records Management Program; Defining the Objectives, Scope and Administration of the Program; Authorizing the Donation of Books and Documents to the San Francisco Public Library and the California Historical Society; Repealing Ordinance No. 9141 N.S., etc."

NATIONAL RECORDS MANAGEMENT COUNCIL,  
(First Contract)

MONDAY, MARCH 17, 1952

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Classification	Personal Services		Living Expenses		Travel Expense	Printing Report	Total
	No Days	Rate	No Days	Rate	Total		
<b>PAID VOUCHERS:</b>							
President and Director	18	\$100	10	\$20	\$ 200.00	\$ 349.55	\$ 2,349.55
Resident Director	62	80	68	20	1,360.00	1,057.00	7,377.00
Senior Staff Member	61	60	84	20	1,680.00	704.00	6,044.00
Staff Member	14	60					
Total Paid Vouchers					\$3,240.00	\$2,110.55	\$16,610.55
<b>UNPAID VOUCHERS:</b>							
President and Director	2	\$100	4	\$20	\$ 80.00	\$ 351.50	\$ 631.50
Resident Director	2	80					160.00
Senior Staff Member	2	60	4	20	80.00	351.50	551.50
Totals					\$ 160.00	\$ 703.00	\$ 1,343.00
<b>Total Unpaid Vouchers</b>							
						\$46.45	46.45
<b>TOTAL CONTRACT</b>							
					\$3,400.00	\$2,813.55	\$ 1,389.45
						\$46.45	\$18,000.00

In an opinion of the City Attorney, numbered 511, dated February 18, 1952, it is said on page 2, presumably after a discussion of the subject with representatives of the National Records Management Council:

"Controller record keeping is a phrase originating with the Consulting Firm. It refers to the control of the accumulation of records in a department or office by setting up schedules for the period of their retention and ultimate disposition. Briefly the system involves an inventory of all records in a particular department or office, an appraisal, securing required clearance and a scheduling for disposition. These steps are outlined on page 7 of the report and detailed in Appendices II and III of the report. It is the contention of the Consulting Firm that they have installed the foregoing system in the Water Department and the Civil Service Commission where it is alleged complete inventories, appraisals and schedules have been established. They further contend that partial schedules have been established in other departments and offices mentioned in the report and that from these partial surveys the system can be readily adapted by the department or office to all of their records by use of the formula set forth in the report." . . .

With the objectives of the work as now represented; with patterns established and other basic information available and procedures established as referred to in the report and in Ordinance No. 7070 (Series of 1939) and with the same departmental cooperation afforded the National Records Management Council:

1. Under your direction, can representatives of your department continue the work commenced by the National Records Management Council?
2. To what extent can you complete the objectives of the National Records Management Council in this endeavor, as now represented?
3. For so much of the work referred to, if any, as can be accomplished by your department, how much money will be required?

It will be appreciated if I may have your reply to this letter sometime prior to March 3, 1952.

Yours truly,

DAN GALLAGHER  
Chairman, Finance Committee

#### Discussion.

Supervisor Mancuso stated that he was well pleased with the work performed by the National Records Management Council and that approval of the appropriation of \$28,350 would eventually result in substantial savings to the city.

Supervisor Lewis stated that he was satisfied with the work performed by the Council and that he was convinced that if the department heads carry out the recommendations made, substantial savings will be effected. He intended to vote for the appropriation and felt that it was the responsibility of each department head to cooperate fully.

Supervisor Lewis then proceeded to mention that he favored setting up a separate department through the medium of a Charter amendment, whose function it shall be to see that recommendations such as those proposed by the Management Council were put into effect by those departments which had been surveyed.



**Privilege of the Floor.**

The privilege of the floor was accorded N. Loyall McLaren, Chairman of the Government Survey Advisory Committee, who stated that if the requested appropriation had been approved several months ago when it was first presented, he felt certain that substantial savings would be effected in the 1952-53 budget.

**Roll Call.**

The roll was thereupon called and the foregoing measure was passed *for second reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—8

Noes: Supervisors Arnold, Gallagher, McMurray—3

**NEW BUSINESS.****Adopted.**

The following recommendations of Finance Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Gallagher, Christopher

**Approving Supplemental Recommendations, Public Welfare Department, Relative to Categorical Aids; Letters Dated March 11, 1952.**

File No. 7821, Resolution No. 12082 (Series of 1939)

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Arnold—1.

**Authorizing Granting of Extension of Emergency Relief to Dependent Non-Residents for March and April; List Dated March 17, 1952.**

File No. 7822, Resolution No. 12083 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Authorizing Cancellation of Taxes, Assessments, Penalties and Tax Sales on City-Owned Property.**

File No. 8761, Resolution No. 12095 (Series of 1939).

(Lot 16, Block 3572.)

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Authorizing Compromise and Settlement of Claim of Lawrence F. Shipman Against the City and County by the Payment of \$250.**

File No. 8766, Resolution No. 12097 (Series of 1939).

(For injuries sustained by reason of alleged dangerous and defective swing in Golden Gate Park.)

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Authorizing Lease of Portion of Building Required for the Excelsior District Branch Library.**

File No. 8768, Resolution No. 12098 (Series of 1939).

(Lease of ground floor space at 4465 Mission Street, from Louis and Tosca Donati, for period of one year from April 1, 1952, at rental of \$175 per month.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

*Re-referred to Committee.*

**Declaring the "Spring Comes to Maiden Lane Festival" to Be Held in April, 1952, an Official Civic Celebration.**

File No. 8787-1, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

*Motion to Defer Consideration.*

Supervisor Gallagher moved that consideration of the foregoing measure be continued for a period of one week. Motion seconded by Supervisor Mancuso.

*Substitute Motion.*

Supervisor MacPhee moved, as a substitute, that the measure be re-referred to committee. Motion seconded by Supervisor Mancuso.

He stated he was in sympathy with the project, but he did not believe city funds should be used for the purpose of subsidizing such an affair nor any other of similar nature. Rather he expressed the opinion that any funds required for the undertaking should be procured through private subscription.

There being no objection, substitute motion *carried* and measure *re-referred to Finance Committee.*

*Re-referred to Committee.*

**Motion for Intra-Fund Transfer of \$2,000 for "Spring Comes to Maiden Lane Festival."**

It is moved that the Clerk of the Board be and he is hereby authorized to submit to the Controller a request for an intra-fund transfer of \$2,000 from Appropriation No. 101.298.00—Legislative Expenses, to Appropriation No. 101.272.00—Civic Celebrations, in order to provide funds for the civic celebration, "Spring Comes to Maiden Lane," to be held during April, 1952.

File No. 8787

Supervisor MacPhee moved, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, that the foregoing measure be re-referred to Finance Committee.

No objection and motion *carried.*

*Re-referred to Finance Committee.*

*Adopted.*

**Motion for Intra-Fund Transfer of \$1,000 for Overtime Allowance—Board of Supervisors.**

It is moved that the Clerk of the Board be and he is hereby authorized to submit to the Controller a request for an intra-fund transfer of \$1,000 from Appropriation No. 101.298.00—Legislative Expenses, to Appropriation No. 101.111.00—Allowance for Overtime, in order to provide funds for the balance of the current fiscal year.

File No. 8764

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Passage for Second Reading.****Appropriating \$650, County Clerk, for Overtime Allowance.**

File No. 8723, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Appropriating \$67.60, Municipal Railway, for Vacation Pay Pursuant to Provisions of Charter Section 151.5, Effective July 1, 1950.**

File No. 8744, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Vacation pay due Irl R. Hefkin, Auto Body and Fender Worker.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Appropriating \$2,250, Public Library, for Purchase of Land Required for Extension of Branch Library Program.**

File No. 8745, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Reimbursements for rents received from 45 Hyde Street, and credited to Library Department's Capital Improvement Fund.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Appropriating \$858.27, Public Health, for Retroactive Salaries and Retirement Allowances, Laguna Honda Home and San Francisco Hospital, Pursuant to Court Order.**

File No. 8746, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Appropriating \$15,000, Public Works, from Unappropriated Balance of Special Road Improvement Fund, for City Aid Required in Street Improvements.**

File No. 8717, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939)

Esmeralda Avenue between Bernal Heights Boulevard and Peralta Avenue	\$2,600
Phelps Street between Galvez and Jerrold Avenues	4,000
Powhatlan Avenue and Peralta Avenue intersections	1,500
Anticipated requests	4,900
Engineering	2,000

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Appropriating \$6,000, Hetch Hetchy, from 1949 Cherry Valley Dam Bond Fund, for Purchase and Installation of Radio Telephone Equipment.**

File No. 8748, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Appropriating \$5,000, Hetch Hetchy, for Maintenance and Repair of Automotive Equipment.**

File No. 8749, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Appropriating \$435, Fire Department, for Holiday Overtime, Pump Station Employees.**

File No. 8750, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Appropriating \$6,148.69, Public Works, from 1947 Street Improvement Bond Fund for Extras in Excess of 10 Per Cent of Contract With Chas. L. Harney, Inc., for Sewer Reconstruction and Track Removal in Jackson Street, Between Drumm and Battery Streets.**

File No. 8763, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Appropriating \$98.25, Real Estate, for Increased Cost of City Hall Directory Service.**

File No. 8760, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Amending Various Sections of the Annual Salary Ordinance, to Reflect Cost of Living Adjustments Authorized Pursuant to Section 151.3 of the Charter, for Certain Classifications in Metal Trades Group.**

File No. 8762, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(Sections 37.01, 53.3, 53.4, 70(e), 72.5 and 74.3.)

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Approving Agreement Between the Recreation and Park Commission and The Guardsmen, in Connection With Sports Car Road Race to Be Held in Golden Gate Park on Saturday, May 31, 1952.**

File No. 8769, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(Proceeds to be used to finance summer vacations for under privileged children.)

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Final Passage.**

**Appropriating \$2,507, Public Health, Emergency Hospitals, from Emergency Reserve Fund, for Materials and Supplies, Foodstuffs, Canned Goods, Heat, Light and Power; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 8757, Ordinance No. 7224 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

#### Passage for Second Reading as Amended.

The following from Finance Committee with recommendation "do pass" after amendment, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Gallagher, Christopher.

Appropriating \$150,000, Parking Authority (\$100,000 from Surplus Existing in Appropriation No. 184.558.01, Development of Enlarged St. Mary's Park Area as Site for Public Garage—1947 Off-Street Parking Bond Fund, and \$50,000 from Unappropriated Balance of 1947 Off-Street Parking Bond Fund), for Preparation of Plans and Specifications Required in Connection With the Construction of the St. Mary's Square Garage.

File No. 8657, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(Proposed amendment is as follows:

Reduce appropriation from \$150,000 to \$22,500, from surplus existing in Appropriation No. 184.558.01.)

#### Amendment.

Supervisor Gallagher moved, seconded by Supervisor Christopher, that the foregoing amendment be adopted.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

The roll was thereupon called and the measure, as amended, was passed for second reading by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

#### Passage for Second Reading.

The following recommendation of Police Committee was taken up:

Present: Supervisors McMurray, Ferdon, Gallagher.

Authorizing a Speed Limit of 35 Miles Per Hour for Vehicular Traffic on Lincoln Way Between Third Avenue and the Great Highway.

File No. 8793, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

#### Reference to Finance Committee.

The following emergency measure, appearing on the Board's supplemental calendar, was taken up:

Appropriating \$157,625, Public Health, Laguna Honda Home, from the Surplus Existing in the Emergency Reserve Fund (Appropriation No. 102.900.00), for Allowance of Overtime and Contractual; an Emergency Measure.

Allowance for Overtime.	\$ 225
Materials and Supplies	35,000
Foodstuffs	62,500
Laguna Honda Home Meat Shop	46,000
Dry Goods and Wearing Apparel	4,460
Canned Goods and Dried Fruits	9,440

File No. 8794, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

Supervisor Gallagher moved, seconded by Supervisor Christopher, that the foregoing measure be referred to the Finance Committee.

No objection and motion *carried*.

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

### OFF-CALENDAR LEGISLATION.

#### Motion to Rescind Action on Salary Standardization Ordinance.

Supervisor Gallagher moved, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, that the Board rescind its action whereby it had passed for second reading File No. 7846, commonly known as the Salary Standardization Ordinance.

Supervisor Gallagher explained that his intention to rescind was motivated by the fact that the classification of E2, Line Inspector, had not, through inadvertence been given a ten-dollar raise which had been accorded to the classification of Inspector. Further, he desired to approve the recommendation of the Civil Service Commission for a \$25 increase in the range of classification of G59.I, Supervisor of Wage Schedules and Classifications, which position is currently being held by Mrs. Katherine Dolen.

Supervisor Mancuso again wanted to be assured that the Board's rescission of its previous action would not jeopardize the increases approved for other city employees. Deputy City Attorney Walker Peddicord, in analyzing the contents of the letter received from Max Funke, Executive Secretary to the Mayor, assured Supervisor Mancuso that if the Board decided to rescind its action and vote on the recommendations of Supervisor Gallagher, it could do so without jeopardy to other employees involved.

Supervisor Christopher took exception to the manner in which Supervisor Gallagher attempted to rescind Board action on the salary standardization ordinance, feeling that he, as a member of the Finance Committee, should have been apprized earlier of such intention.

Supervisor Gallagher stated he was not presenting the matter as a recommendation of the Finance Committee but as an individual Supervisor.

The President ruled the matter properly before the Board as it was the prerogative of any member to present any measure he so desired.

Supervisor Arnold asked Deputy City Attorney Walker Peddicord if rescission would reopen the entire subject of salary standardization, and if such a possibility existed, he would vote against the motion offered by Supervisor Gallagher.

Mr. Peddicord ruled that if the Board voted for rescission, the matter would then be in the status as it was prior to being passed for second reading.

#### Privilege of the Floor.

There being no objection, the privilege of the floor was accorded to Mr. Charles Foehn, representing the Electrical Union, who spoke in support of the proposed ten-dollar increase for classification E2, Line Inspector.

Supervisor Christopher stated that he had no objection to opening up the salary standardization question if it would take care of the E2, Line Inspector classification which was omitted unintentionally, but if other classifications are involved, he would be compelled to sit all night and consider many other classifications which he believed could be given additional increases.

Supervisor Christopher contended that reopening the salary question would establish a bad precedent which should be avoided, if at all possible.

Supervisor Mancuso declared that he intended to vote for rescission and likewise vote for an increase for the position held by Mrs. Dolan.

Supervisor MacPhee stated he had been on the Board for ten years and never had the Board, during that period of time, voted to reopen the salary standardization question once it had been passed for second reading.

#### **Motion Lost.**

Thereupon the roll was called on Supervisor Gallagher's motion and it lost by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Gallagher, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—5.

Noes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee—6.

#### **Motion to Rescind Previous Action Taken in Connection With Meeting Proposed for Purpose of Determining Policy Relating to San Francisco Terminus of Second Bay Crossing.**

Supervisor Gallagher moved, seconded by Supervisor Lewis, that the Board rescind its action taken earlier in the meeting dealing with the matter of holding a meeting with the Mayor, members of the Board of Supervisors, members of the San Francisco delegation at the Legislature, and other city officials as well as with the Legislative Representative for the purpose of determining policy with respect to San Francisco's terminus for the second bay crossing.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—6.

Noes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McMurray—5.

#### **Motion to Recess.**

Supervisor Gallagher moved that when the Board concluded its deliberations this day, it recess to meet again on Thursday, March 20, 1952, at the hour of 2:00 p. m. Motion seconded by Supervisor Sullivan.

Supervisor Lewis requested that the hour be changed to 4:00 p. m. No objection and Supervisor Gallagher moved that the hour of 4:00 p. m. be considered as part of his motion instead of 2:00 p. m.

No objection and the motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

#### **Adopted.**

The following recommendation of the Public Buildings, Lands and City Planning Committee was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Mancuso, Dobbs, Lewis.

#### **Giving Notice of Date, Time and Place of Public Hearing by the Board of Supervisors for Consideration and Action on Tentative Plan for Redevelopment of Diamond Heights Project Area.**

File No. 8775, Resolution No. 12099 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Adopted.**

The following recommendation of his Honor the Mayor was presented by the Clerk:

**Leaves of Absence**—Bert W. Levit, Member of the Board of Education, March 25-April 5; Dr. Watt A. Long, Associate Superintendent of Schools, April 14-23, 1952, Both With Permission to Leave the State. File No. 7823, Resolution No. 12084 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Gallagher moved adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor Christopher.

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF MEASURES AND COMMUNICATIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.**

**Request of Supervisor Christopher for Report on Second Bay Crossing.**

Supervisor Christopher requested of Supervisor Lewis that he furnish him with a report of the results of the meeting held by the special Legislative Committee, established pursuant to the provisions of Resolution No. 6484 (Series of 1939), on the subject of determining San Francisco's terminus for the second bay crossing.

Supervisor Lewis stated he would furnish such a report.

**Adopted.**

**Urging Allocation of Federal Shipbuilding Work to Pacific Coast Shipyards.**

Supervisor Christopher presented:

File No. 8802, Resolution No. 12100 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Christopher moved adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor Lewis.

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Adopted.**

**In Memoriam—Mrs. Prentis Cobb Hale.**

Jointly presented by all members of the Board:

File No. 7824, Resolution No. 12087 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Christopher moved, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, that the foregoing measure be adopted.

*Unanimously adopted by rising vote.*

**Request of Supervisor Dobbs Relative to Preparation of Legislation Permitting Commercial Vehicles to Park on Tow-Away Streets Aside from Those Streets Shown in File No. 8711-1.**

Supervisor Dobbs requested that the Clerk prepare legislation which will permit parking of commercial vehicles on tow-away



streets, aside from those streets shown in File No. 8711-1, between certain specified hours.

*The Clerk was directed to comply*

**Adopted.**

(Supervisor Gallagher presented the following measures and in each case, he moved its adoption. Motion seconded by Supervisor McMurray.)

**In Memoriam—Joseph C. Basile.**

File No. 7824, Resolution No. 12085 (Series of 1939).

*Unanimously adopted by rising vote.*

**In Memoriam—Mrs. Anna Dolwig.**

File No. 7824, Resolution No. 12086 (Series of 1939).

*Unanimously adopted by rising vote.*

**In Memoriam—Edward F. Jones.**

File No. 7824, Resolution No. 12088 (Series of 1939).

*Unanimously adopted by rising vote.*

**In Memoriam—Mrs. Robena King O'Brien.**

Supervisor Lewis presented:

File No. 7824, Resolution No. 12087 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Lewis moved adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor MacPhee.

*Unanimously adopted by rising vote.*

**RECESS.**

There being no further business, the Board at the hour of 8:05 p. m., recessed to meet again on Thursday, March 20, 1952, at 4:00 p. m., to give consideration to the final passage of the Salary Standardization Ordinance.

JOHN R. McGRATH, Clerk.

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**THURSDAY, MARCH 20, 1952—4:00 P. M.**

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In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Thursday, March 20, 1952, 4 p. m.

The Board met in recessed session.

**CALLING THE ROLL.**

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan—2.

Quorum present.

President Mead presiding.

Supervisor Arnold noted present at 4:15 p. m.

Supervisor Sullivan excused due to illness (see motion below).

Supervisor MacPhee excused from attendance at 4:50 p. m.

**Supervisor Sullivan Excused from Attendance.**

The President informed the Board that Supervisor Sullivan had requested that he be excused from attendance due to illness.

Supervisor Gallagher, seconded by Supervisor McMurray, moved that Supervisor Sullivan be excused from attendance.

No objection and motion *carried*.

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS.****Final Passage.**

The following recommendation of Finance Committee, heretofore considered, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Gallagher, Arnold, Christopher.

**Salary Standardization Ordinance; Effective July 1, 1952.**

File No. 7846, Ordinance No. 7225 (Series of 1939).

An ordinance fixing and determining schedules of compensations to be paid municipal officers and employees and non-certificated employees of the San Francisco Unified School District, whose offices and positions are allocated to classifications specified herein and compensations for which are subject to the provisions of Section 151 and Section 151.1 of the Charter, establishing work schedules and conditions of employment and method of payment for various work schedules; providing that the said schedules of compensation shall be effective beginning July 1, 1952.

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan—2.

**Second Bay Crossing.**

Supervisor Lewis requested that the members of the Special Legislative Committee be sent for to discuss the proposed legislation now pending in Sacramento relative to the additional bay crossing.

No objection and request *granted*.

**Adopted.****In Memoriam—Daniel C. Murphy.**

Presented jointly by all members:

File No. 7824, Resolution No. 12102 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Gallagher, seconded by Supervisor MacPhee, moved adoption.

*Adopted by rising vote* as follows:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan—2.

**Reference to Committee.**

**Charter Amendment—Sections 32 and 150, Relating to Fees Received by Sheriff for Delivery of Prisoners to State Prisons and Insane Persons to State Asylums.**

Supervisor Christopher presented:

File No. 8823

*Referred to Judiciary Committee.*

**Filed.**

Supervisor MacPhee presented a communication from the President of Mills College expressing gratitude to the Board of Supervisors for the congratulatory resolution on the occasion of the Centennial of Mills College.

*Ordered filed.*

Supervisor MacPhee presented a communication from the Hospital and Institutional Workers' Union, Local 250, expressing thanks in connection with the recent Salary Standardization Hearings.

*Ordered filed.*

**Statement of Supervisor Gallagher Relative to Action by Next Sheriff in Connection With Fees Received from the State.**

Supervisor Gallagher stated that if he were fortunate enough to be appointed as the next Sheriff he would follow the same procedure as established by Sheriff Murphy and all fees would be returned to the Treasury.

**Request of Supervisor MacPhee to Be Excused.**

Supervisor MacPhee requested that he be excused from attendance at 4:50 p. m.

No objection and request *granted*.

**Ordered Filed.**

Supervisor Mancuso presented a communication from Rudolph W. Van Norden, Consulting Engineer, relative to the type and location of the Second Bay Crossing.

*Ordered filed.*

**Poll Relative Attendance at Meeting of California State Park Commission.**

The Clerk polled the members to determine who would attend the meeting of the California State Park Commission, Friday, March 21st, State Building, San Francisco, 10:00 a. m. Supervisor Gallagher indicated that he would be in attendance.

**Second Bay Crossing.**

Supervisor Lewis explained that the Dolwig bill had received the recommendation of the committee in the House and had been sent to the floor of the Assembly. That the Collier bill would be heard in the Senate Committee on Monday night.

Supervisor Lewis further stated that the Dolwig bill contained the objectionable feature that maintenance would be paid from tolls while the Collier bill provided that maintenance should be paid from state highway funds. He said that he was of the opinion that the Board should support the Collier bill and oppose the Dolwig bill.

**Privilege of the Floor.**

Supervisor Lewis moved the privilege of the floor for Mr. George Cameron.

No objection and motion *carried*.

Prior to Mr. Cameron's speaking, Supervisor Mancuso, seconded by Supervisor Gallagher, moved that Supervisor Lewis and the President of the Board be authorized to attend the meeting in Sacramento on Monday night on behalf of San Francisco in support of the Collier bill and take whatever action necessary to protect the interests of the City; provided that funds are available.

Supervisor Gallagher suggested that the Supervisors should be permitted to take such technical men as they deem necessary.

Supervisor Mancuso accepted the suggestion and it was considered as being incorporated in the motion.

Supervisor MacPhee, seconded by Supervisor Dobbs, moved temporary postponement of the motion pending hearing from Mr. Cameron.

No objection and motion *carried*.

Mr. Cameron remarked that it was his opinion that any additional crossing should be constructed at Candlestick Point for the following reasons: Less expensive, more accessible to vehicular traffic since two freeways will be constructed in this area, faster flow of traffic on the crossing itself and the unwillingness of the Navy to permit construction that would hinder free access to Hunter's Point.

Supervisor Gallagher moved the privilege of the floor for Mr. George Johns.

No objection and motion *carried*.

Mr. Johns explained the feelings of the Labor Council that any additional crossing should be constructed at Candlestick Point because it was of vital importance that trains be brought into San Francisco, and the difference in cost of construction as compared to a Hunters Point site. He further stated that the Council was willing to compromise on the site location if it would be south of Hunters Point, and that the Board should leave the selection of the site to the Joint Army and Navy Board.

Supervisor Lewis in reply to a query of Supervisor Gallagher relative to site selection stated that both the Dolwig and Collier bills provide that the site selection should be left to the determination of the Joint Army and Navy Board.

Supervisor Gallagher remarked that he believed that the Board should go on record similar to what has tried to be accomplished in both the Dolwig and Collier bills.

Supervisor Lewis explained that the recommendations of the Special Legislative Committee were the recommendations of the City unless the Board changes them. That the reason the committee considered only the Dolwig bill was because the Collier bill was not in print.

Supervisor Lewis then presented the following recommendations of the Special Legislative Committee:

The committee approved the Dolwig bill with the following reservations and recommendations to Mr. Cleary, San Francisco Legislative Representative:

1. The committee was opposed to the roll-back of \$13,000,000 but were advised that it would be impossible to secure legislation for another crossing over San Francisco Bay unless this \$13,000,000 was returned to the northern counties in District No. 1. The committee recommended that Mr. Cleary attempt to compromise by reducing the figure of \$13,000,000.

2. That an amendment to the bill should provide that this roll-back should apply in the future to all vehicular crossings over navigable waters, and also to the expense of maintaining and operating express freeways as compared to ordinary state roads throughout the entire State of California.

3. That the bill should not specify any particular type of crossing but that the type of crossing should be left to the approval of the authorized Army and Navy officials.

4. That the bill should be further amended to provide that in the future, only insurance and operation costs of the crossing be paid out of tolls, and that maintenance continue to be paid from the State Gas Tax funds. If this amendment is not made, the new crossing will have tolls forever and a day. It was the thought of the committee that vehicular crossings should be toll free as soon as possible the same as other state highways and freeways. It was further agreed that if this amendment could not be secured then Mr. Cleary should report this fact to the committee and it should then be decided in the light of that circumstance whether San Francisco desired to support the Dolwig legislation.

Supervisor Mancuso, seconded by Supervisor Gallagher, moved that Supervisor Lewis, as Chairman of the County, State and National Affairs Committee and as a member of the Special Legislative Committee, and Supervisor Mead, as President of the Board, be authorized to proceed to Sacramento on Monday, March 24, 1952, and to represent this Board in support of the Dolwig and Collier bills relating to a Second Bay Crossing with such amendments as can be obtained to reflect the recommendations of the Special Legislative Committee; and further, that the Special Legislative Committee be authorized to designate, to accompany Supervisors Mead and Lewis to Sacramento, such technical assistants from among municipal officers and personnel as the committee deems necessary to assist in such endeavor; provided funds are available for the purpose.

Supervisor Christopher inquired as to whether or not it would hurt the chances of the City if the Board were to specify a land-filled crossing.

Supervisor Lewis answered that it would be better to get the bill passed and then petition the Army and Navy Board to again consider the question of type of crossing.

The roll was called and the motion was *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Gallagher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, Sullivan—2.

### ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 5:40 p. m., adjourned.

JOHN R. McGRATH, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors April 7, 1952.

I, John R. McGrath, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, hereby certify that the foregoing are true and correct copies of the Journals of Proceedings of said Board of the dates hereon stated and approved as recited.

JOHN R. McGRATH,  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.









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# JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MONDAY, MARCH 24, 1952—2:00 P. M.

In meeting of Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, March 24, 1952, 2.00 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

## CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, McMurray, Sullivan—3.

Quorum present.

President Dewey Mead presiding.

Supervisors Lewis and McMurray noted present at 2:05 p. m.

Supervisor Sullivan noted present at 2:08 p. m.

## APPROVAL OF JOURNAL.

The Journal of Proceedings for March 3-6, 1952, was considered read and approved.

## Communications.

From Supervisor Dan Gallagher, submitting his resignation as a member of the Board, effective March 22, 1952.

*Ordered filed.*

From Senator John L. McClellan, Chairman, Committee on Government Operations, advising of probable extensive hearings in committee with reference to Senate Bill No. 2263, dealing with the subject of in lieu payments of taxes on federally owned lands.

*Copy given to Supervisor Mancuso; ordered filed.*

From the County Supervisors' Association of California, notice of meeting of board of directors, to be held on April 18, 1952, 10 a. m., Sacramento Hotel, Sacramento, California.

*Copy to each member of Board; ordered filed.*

From San Mateo County Board of Supervisors, copy of official resolution, memorializing the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco to appropriate \$310,000, as the city's share toward the acquisition of 1680 acres of Butano Forest lands proposed to be dedicated as a state park.

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

## SPECIAL ORDER—2:00 P. M.

Referred to Real Estate Department.

Hearing of Protests—Vacation of Portions of Harkness Avenue and Bowdoin Streets.

Board of Supervisors to hear protests, if any, of all persons interested in, or objecting to the proposed vacation of portions of Harkness

Avenue and Bowdoin Street, pursuant to the provisions of Resolution No. 12021 (Series of 1939).

File No. 8571

There appearing no protestants, the foregoing measure was *referred to the Real Estate Department for further action.*

### SPECIAL ORDER—2:00 P. M.

#### Reference to Streets Committee.

Hearing of Protests—Improvement of Portion of Shafter Avenue, Including the Intersection of Shafter Avenue and Elmira Street.

Board of Supervisors to hear protests, if any, of all persons interested in the following described work done or in the assessment, diagram or warrant for pay of the cost of the same, or in any property affected thereby: Improvement of Shafter Avenue between Industrial Street and a line approximately 145 feet southeast, including the intersection of Shafter Avenue and Elmira Street, by the construction of paving, etc., by The Fay Improvement Company, as described in Declaration of Intention, Order No. 35647, of March 21, 1951, of the Department of Public Works.

File No. 7501

#### Protest Received.

The Clerk informed the Board that he had received a protest from Stanley W. and Isabelle D. Taylor. Accordingly, Supervisor Arnold moved, seconded by Supervisor Christopher, that the foregoing matter be referred to the Streets Committee.

No objection and motion *carried.*

*Referred to Streets Committee.*

### UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

#### Adopted.

The following recommendations of Finance Committee, heretofore considered or Passed for Second Reading, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Gallagher, Arnold, Christopher.

Authorizing Transfer of \$600 Within Funds of Department of Public Works for Demolition and Removal of Building or Buildings at Lakeview and Plymouth Avenues, Condemned as a Nuisance.

File No. 8588, Resolution No. 12110 (Series of 1939).

March 10, 1952—Consideration continued to March 24, 1952.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, McMurray, Sullivan—3.

#### Final Passage.

Appropriating \$1,000, Mayor, for Overtime Allowance.

File No. 8724, Ordinance No. 7230 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—10.

Absent: Supervisor Sullivan—1.

Appropriating \$1,388.08, Real Estate, Civic Auditorium, for Retroactive Wages, Holiday, Overtime and Premium Pay, Pursuant to Court Order.

File No. 8725, Ordinance No. 7231 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—10.

Absent: Supervisor Sullivan—1.

Amending Ordinance No. 4942 (Series of 1939), "Membership Ordinance," by Changing the Name of "American Association of Airport Executives (State)," to "California Association of Airport Executives," in the List of Organizations in Which the Airport Maintains Membership.

File No. 8729, Ordinance No. 7232 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—10.

Absent: Supervisor Sullivan—1.

#### Final Passage.

The following recommendations of Streets Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, McMurray, Sullivan.

Ordering the Improvement of Portions of Twenty-fourth Street Between Burnham and Fountain Streets and Extending City Aid in Approximate Amount of \$1,000.

File No. 8688, Ordinance No. 7228 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

Conditionally Accepting the Roadway and Curbs of Marin Street Between Third and Illinois Streets.

File No. 8709, Ordinance No. 7229 (Series of 1939).

(Gas pipes not laid therein.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

Amending Ordinance No. 7164 (Series of 1939), Accepting Roadways and Curbs of Various Streets, by Eliminating from Section 1 Thereof the Words "Including the Crossing of Bowdoin and Hamilton Streets," and Substituting Therefor the Words, "Including the Crossing of Dwight and Hamilton Streets."

File No. 8482-1, Ordinance No. 7226 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

Ordering the Improvement of Portions of Mangels Avenue Between Detroit and Congo Streets and Extending City Aid in Approximate Amount of \$4,300.

File No. 8624, Ordinance No. 7227 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

### Presentation of Newly Appointed Supervisor.

The President of the Board called upon Supervisor Arnold to present the newly-appointed member of the Board of Supervisors, the Honorable Francis McCarty.

Supervisor Arnold: The Mayor is to be congratulated in selecting Francis McCarty because I know he possesses all of the attributes, character and intelligence to serve the people faithfully and well. I am pleased to welcome Francis McCarty as a new member of the Board.

Supervisor McCarty: It is with a great deal of pleasure that I join with you today and I am confident that my attempts to fulfill the duties of this office will have the full cooperation of all of the members of the Board. I am fortunate in knowing all of you before I came here and I know that I can look to any one of you to give me aid and advice whenever I am in need. I am, of course, deeply grateful to the Mayor for being permitted to serve on this honorable Board. I hope with all the sincerity I possess to justify the confidence he has placed in me. I come on the Board with no commitments of any kind or character. My only hope will be to do the best job I can for the people of the City and County of San Francisco.

President Mead: I might say that I am quite happy to have you with us. I am sure you will find the work interesting. I am likewise so positive that it will take an exceptional amount of your time. We expect all of the members of the Board to devote a lot of their time to city government because they accepted that responsibility.

I have lost, as President, and you have lost as a colleague, one of the Board's most outstanding members, a man who has devoted a great deal of his time to the city and away from his private business. I am terribly sorry to have suffered the loss of this gentleman; however, I am exceptionally happy, as I know all of the members are, to note the appointment of the gentleman who needs no introduction, as Sheriff. It just couldn't happen to a finer fellow. I am deeply pleased and I am sure all of my colleagues are.

Dan Gallagher: Mr. President and members of the Board, I sincerely appreciate the kind remarks of your President. It was one of the best tributes I have ever received during my public life. I feel somewhat like the young student who is graduating from school and has been made valedictorian of his class. Today, to a degree, after hearing from the President, I have a feeling of butterflies in my stomach. In my humble capacity of Supervisor, it has been my pleasure to serve with the most outstanding men of the community, and I hope that I will have the honor and privilege of retaining their friendship. I am happy that the Mayor saw fit to appoint me as Sheriff. To him, I am deeply grateful. It is an honor to enjoy the friendship of all of the members of the Board, and to Francis McCarty. I wish him the best of success and I know that he will do a good job. Thank you very, very much.

The President called upon Supervisor MacPhee to respond.

Supervisor MacPhee: Mr. President, I consider it a privilege to respond. Dan Gallagher and I were colleagues ever since we ran for office together. My intention originally to have the position of Sheriff consolidated with the County Clerk's office and Police Department was discussed before Gallagher was appointed, and this is being said to clarify the atmosphere. I have worked with Dan for the past ten years. I am convinced he will bring to the Sheriff's office the same analysis of legislative policy, and in the same manner in which he has fought for economy in city government. He is a worthy successor to capable Dan Murphy. I am convinced that Dan Gallagher, in leaving this Board, has left behind him an excellent record

of service to the community. On behalf of all of the members, I wish him good luck, Godspeed and may God bless him.

The President then informed the Board that for the time being he was making only partial appointments to committees, and proceeded to appoint Supervisor Arnold as Chairman of the Finance Committee; and Supervisor McCarty as a member thereof, and that selections on other committees would be made at a later date.

#### **Consideration of Subject of Second Bay Crossing Terminus. Suspension of Rules.**

Supervisor Lewis moved, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, that the rules be suspended for the purpose of considering the subject of a second bay crossing terminus, out of order.

No objection and motion *carried*.

Supervisor Lewis stated that the Special Legislative Committee, appointed pursuant to the provisions of Resolution No. 6484 (Series of 1939), met in the office of the Chief Administrative Officer this morning and brought forth the following recommendations:

1. The committee was opposed to the provision in the proposed measure which would place an obligation against tolls in the sum of \$13,411,875, representing monies expended from highway funds for the maintenance, operation and insurance of the bridge. If, however, the passage of the measure is contingent upon such an inclusion, then Mr. Cleary is to seek a compromise which will reduce the amount. Mr. Cleary is to report such compromise to the committee for its further consideration.

2. The committee was opposed to maintenance of the bridges in the future being a charge against tolls. Mr. Cleary is to try to have this deleted from the proposed measure, but if this is not possible then Mr. Cleary is to seek an amendment which will provide that the amount to be paid from tolls will be only the cost of maintenance in excess of the highest highway maintenance cost per mile; provided, however, that whatever provision in this connection remains in the measure, such provision be made applicable to all toll roads, highways, freeways, expressways, bridges, etc., throughout the state.

3. The committee recommends that Section 30653 be amended to provide for a low level crossing.

4. The committee recommends that the second paragraph of Section 30653 relating to alternate crossings be eliminated.

#### **Discussion.**

Supervisor Lewis stated that it was the majority feeling of the committee that in view of recommendations contained in the city's Master Plan and in the Joint Army-Navy Board report, Army Street location was the logical one. It was felt that if the alternate location plan was adopted, and should the Army Street site be rejected, the choice of selections would be left in the hands of the Toll Bridge Authority and this might work to the disadvantage of the city and county.

Supervisor Lewis stated that the City Attorney voted for the alternate plan, feeling that if the Army Street site were rejected it might be necessary for the city to go back to the Legislature with a brand new bill, which might encounter difficulty of passage. The majority of the committee felt, however, that this would not be the case.

#### **Privilege of the Floor.**

The privilege of the floor was extended to Dion R. Holm, City Attorney, who explained why he voted for the alternate site plan.

### Motion.

Supervisor Mancuso moved, seconded by Supervisor Arnold, that the motion which he had heretofore made in the recessed meeting of the Board on Thursday, March 20, 1952, and reading as follows:

"Supervisor Mancuso, seconded by Supervisor Gallagher, moved that Supervisor Lewis, as Chairman of the County, State and National Affairs Committee and as a member of the Special Legislative Committee, and Supervisor Mead, as President of the Board, be authorized to proceed to Sacramento on Monday, March 24, 1952, and to represent this Board in support of the Dolwig and Collier bills relating to a second bay crossing, with such amendments as can be obtained, to reflect the recommendations of the Special Legislative Committee; and further, that the Special Legislative Committee be authorized to designate, to accompany Supervisors Mead and Lewis to Sacramento, such technical assistants from among municipal officers and personnel, as the Committee deems necessary to assist in such endeavor, provided funds are available for the purpose."

### Recommendations of Special Legislative Committee.

The recommendations of the Special Legislative Committee mentioned in the foregoing motion are as follows:

"The Committee approved the Dolwig Bill with the following reservations and recommendations to Mr. Cleary, San Francisco Legislative Representative:

1. The Committee was opposed to the roll-back of \$13,000,000 but were advised that it would be impossible to secure legislation for another crossing over San Francisco Bay unless this \$13,000,000 was returned to the northern counties in District No. 1. The Committee recommended that Mr. Cleary attempt to compromise by reducing the figure of \$13,000,000.
2. That an amendment to the bill should provide that this roll-back should apply in the future to all vehicular crossings over navigable waters, and also to the expense of maintaining and operating express freeways as compared to ordinary state roads throughout the entire State of California.
3. That the bill should not specify any particular type of crossing but that the type of crossing should be left to the approval of the authorized Army and Navy officials.
4. That the bill should be further amended to provide that in the future, only insurance and operation costs of the crossing be paid out of tolls, and that maintenance continue to be paid from the state gas tax funds. If this amendment is not made, the new crossing will have tolls forever and a day. It was the thought of the Committee that vehicular crossings should be toll free as soon as possible the same as other state highways and freeways. It was further agreed that if this amendment could not be secured, then Mr. Cleary should report this fact to the Committee and it should then be decided in the light of that circumstance whether San Francisco desired to support the Dolwig legislation."

be further supplemented by the recommendations contained in the report of the Special Legislative Committee, rendered March 24, 1952, and reading as follows:



"Recommendation of Legislative Committee  
Board of Supervisors' Resolution No. 6484  
Senate Bill No. 9

- "1. The committee was opposed to the provision in the proposed measure which would place an obligation against tolls in the sum of \$13,411.875, representing monies expended from highway funds for the maintenance, operation and insurance of the bridge. If, however, the passage of the measure is contingent upon such an inclusion, then Mr. Cleary is to seek a compromise which will reduce the amount. Mr. Cleary is to report such compromise to the committee for its further consideration.
- "2. The committee was opposed to maintenance of the bridges in the future being a charge against tolls. Mr. Cleary is to try to have this deleted from the proposed measure, but if this is not possible then Mr. Cleary is to seek an amendment which will provide that the amount to be paid from tolls will be only the cost of maintenance in excess of the highest highway maintenance cost per mile, provided however, that whatever provision in this connection remains in the measure such provision be made applicable to all toll roads, highways, freeways, expressways, bridges, etc., throughout the state.
- "3. The committee recommends that Section 30653 be amended to provide for a low level crossing.
- "4. The committee recommends that the second paragraph of Section 30653 relating to alternate crossings be eliminated."

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

Supervisor Lewis expressed the opinion that the foregoing amendments should not be presented at the state legislative committee hearing tonight, but that the Board should rely upon the experience of Legislative Representative Don Cleary as to the method of procedure.

Supervisor Ferdon asserted that both Supervisors Lewis and Mead should reach their own decisions instead of relying solely upon those recommended by Don Cleary.

The President assured the Board members that he and Supervisor Lewis will attempt to use good judgment.

### NEW BUSINESS.

Adopted.

The following recommendations of Finance Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Gallagher, Arnold.

**Authorizing Extension of Granting of Emergency Relief to Dependent Non-Residents for March and April; List Dated March 24, 1952.**

File No. 7822, Resolution No. 12103 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Authorizing Refund of Duplicate and Erroneous Payments of Taxes for the Fiscal Years 1950-51 and 1951-52.**

File No. 7827, Resolution No. 12107 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Authorizing Release of Lien Recorded by the Department of Public Health for Care and Treatment Furnished Sophie Schultz.**

File No. 7896, Resolution No. 12108 (Series of 1939).

(Full payment of \$2,000 made.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Authorizing Release of Lien Recorded by the Public Welfare Department for Aid Extended to Robert and Elizabeth Campbell.**

File No. 7897, Resolution No. 12109 (Series of 1939).

(Full payment of \$1,823.63 made.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Re-reference to Committee.**

**Authorizing Purchase of Real Property from J. A. Herzog, Inc., for \$39,500, Required for Bartlett Street Parking Lot.**

File No. 8687, Resolution No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Rear portion of Lot 24, Block 3616, west of the westerly line of Bartlett Street, south of southerly line of Twenty-first Street. One-story reinforced concrete building.)

**Motion to Re-refer to Committee.**

Supervisor Arnold moved, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, that the foregoing measure be re-referred to committee in view of the opinion expressed by the Real Estate Department that the recommended sum of \$39,500 is somewhat excessive.

No objection and motion carried.

*Re-referred to Finance Committee.*

**Adopted.**

**Authorizing Purchase of Real Property from Carl Fritschen et ux. for \$15,700, Required for the San Jose Avenue-Guerrero Street Widening.**

File No. 8776, Resolution No. 12111 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Lots 9-D and 9-E, Block 6659, located at intersection of Dolores Street and San Jose Avenue. Size: 118 feet 8<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> inches by 128 feet 5<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> inches by 47 feet 5 inches. Gasoline station to be removed by grantors.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Authorizing Purchase of Real Property from Thomas J. Mueller et ux.  
for \$1,200, Required for School Project No. 29.**

File No. 8777, Resolution No. 12112 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Located on northeasterly side of Bowdoin Street, northwesterly of Harkness Avenue. Lots 21, 22, Block 6163. Size: 25 feet by 81.86 feet and 25 feet by 100.78 feet. Vacant.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Authorizing Purchase of Real Property from William Lem for \$15,500,  
Required for School Project No. 25.**

File No. 8778, Resolution No. 12113 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Lot 7, Block 211, located on northerly side of Clay Street, westerly of Stockton Street. Sizes: 68 feet 9 inches by 58 feet  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch. Vacant.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Authorizing Purchase of Real Property from the Protestant Episcopal  
Archbishop of California for \$51,500, Required for School Project  
No. 25.**

File No. 8779, Resolution No. 12114 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Lot 13, Block 211, located on the northerly side of Clay Street, west of Collier Street. Size: Approximately 137 feet 6 inches by 66 feet 9 inches. Two-story brick building.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Authorizing Purchase of Real Property from Dudley William et ux.  
for \$2,500, Required for School Project No. 14.**

File No. 8780, Resolution No. 12115 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Lot 24, Block 2336, located on east side of Fourteenth Avenue, south of Rivera Street. Size: 25 feet by 120 feet. Vacant.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Authorizing Purchase of Pipe Line Easement from the Anglo California  
National Bank of San Francisco for \$10, Required for Bay Division  
Pipe Line No. 3.**

File No. 8781, Resolution No. 12116 (Series of 1939).

(Consists of 0.037 acre being a portion of Lot 3, Block 29, in "Oak Knoll Manor," Redwood City.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

Amending Resolution No. 11466 (Series of 1939) Entitled "Authorizing Director of Public Health, Assistant Director of Public Health and Superintendent of San Francisco Hospital, to Sign Orders and Documents for Narcotics and Alcohol for Institutional Use During Year Commencing July 1, 1951," by Substituting the Name of Dr. Ellis D. Sox, M.D., for Dr. J. C. Geiger, M.D., as Director of the Department of Public Health.

File No. 3792, Resolution No. 1277, Series of 1939

Adopted by the following vote.

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christenner, Dees, Ferguson, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarthy, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

#### Passage for Second Reading

Authorizing Exchange of Certain Lands and Right-of-Way Easements Between the Public Utilities Commission and the Pacific Gas and Electric Company, Estimated to Be of Equal Value, to Permit Construction of the Bayshore Freeway and to Enlarge Operations at the San Francisco Airport.

File No. 456, Ordinance No. 1000, Series of 1939

Passed for Second Reading by the following vote.

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christenner, Dees, Ferguson, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarthy, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

Appropriating \$129,050, Municipal Railway, from Surplus in Unallocated Balance of the 1947 Municipal Railway Rehabilitation Bond Fund, for Expenditure and Certification of Contracts in Connection With the Rehabilitation of the Municipal Railway.

File No. 4759, Ordinance No. 1000, Series of 1939

Emergency Generator for Radio System	\$ 300
Inter Mission Substation	10,750
Sutter Street Lines 1, 3 and 4	3,600
Sutter Street Lines 1, 3 and 4 Office Engineering	250
Sutter Street Lines 1, 3 and 4 Field Engineering	150
Conversion of Stockton Street—Fourth Street Line	20,000
Conversion of Stockton Street—Fourth Street Line, Office Engineering	1,500
Conversion of Stockton Street—Fourth Street Line, Field Engineering	1,000
One-Way Street Trolley Plan for No. 5 and No. 2 Lines	74,000
One-Way Street Trolley Plan for No. 5 and No. 2 Lines, Office Engineering	4,000
One-Way Street Trolley Plan for No. 5 and No. 2 Lines, Field Engineering	2,500
Track Reconstruction—Van Ness Avenue and Geary Street	10,000
Track Reconstruction—Van Ness Avenue and Geary Street, Office Engineering	600
Track Reconstruction—Van Ness Avenue and Geary Street, Field Engineering	400

\$129,050

Projects are either in conformity with or do not affect the Master Plan.

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Fardon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11

**Appropriating \$1,210, Department of Public Works, Bureau of Building Inspection for Contractual Services, Maintenance and Repair of Automotive Equipment, Fuel, Illuminants and Lubricants.**

File No. 8770 Ordinance No. \_\_\_\_\_ Series of 1939

Repair to automotive equipment	\$900
Contractual services. Out late telephone expense for inspectors without auto, maintenance and repairs to office equipment and postage stamps	160
Gasoline and oil for operating autos	150

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Fardon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11

#### Consideration Continued

**Appropriating \$1,600 Superior Court, for Fees for Medical Examiners of Mentally Ill Persons.**

File No. 8771 Ordinance No. \_\_\_\_\_ Series of 1939

#### Motion to Deter Consideration

Supervisor Fardon expressed a desire to ask certain questions in connection with the subject measure, whereupon Supervisor MacPhee moved, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, that consideration be adjourned for a period of one week and that Joseph Cummins, Clerk of the Superior Court, be requested to appear before the Board at its next regular meeting scheduled for Monday, March 21, and bring with him such records as he may have relating to the payment of fees during a period of the last five years.

Supervisor Arnold read an excerpt from the Welfare and Institutions Code providing for mandatory examinations of mentally ill persons and for the appropriation of funds therefor.

#### Suggestion for State Legislation—No Action Taken

Supervisor Fardon suggested that the Finance Committee consider recommending enactment of legislation by the State providing that fees paid by the city to doctors for the examination of mentally ill persons be repaid by person or persons responsible for their care.

*No Board action taken.*

There being no objection, Supervisor MacPhee's motion to deter consideration carried.

*Consideration continued on a later date.*

#### Passage for Second Reading

**Appropriating \$200 Agricultural Commission for Overtime Allowance**

File No. 8772 Ordinance No. \_\_\_\_\_ Series of 1939

Inspection of fresh fruits and vegetables loaded or or discharged from ships or Saturdays and Sundays

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Fardon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11

**Consideration Continued.**

**Appropriating \$999.76, Police Department, for Retroactive Compensation of Patrolmen Reappointed to the Police Department.**

File No. 8773, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(For period 1948-1951.)

Supervisor Arnold moved, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, that consideration of the foregoing measure be continued for a period of one week.

No objection and motion *carried*.

*Consideration continued one week.*

**Passage for Second Reading.**

**Appropriating \$689.24, San Francisco Airport, for Overtime and Holiday Allowance.**

File No. 8774, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Mancuso—1.

**Appropriating \$1,125, Retirement System, for New Positions of One Calculating Machine Operator (Key Drive) and One General Clerk-Stenographer; Abolishing One Position of Senior Clerk-Stenographer.**

File No. 8782-1, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(Calculating Machine Operator (Key Drive) . . . . .	\$225-285
General Clerk-Stenographer . . . . .	225-285
Senior Clerk-Stenographer . . . . .	285-350)

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Mancuso—1.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 85, Retirement System—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 8782-2, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Appropriating \$10,536.41, Municipal Railway, for Retroactive Wages and Pensions Pursuant to Court Order.**

File No. 8783, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Re-reference to Committee.**

**Authorizing Payment of Travel Allowances to Employees Assigned to Duty Outside the City, and Providing for Fixing of Rates Therefor.**

File No. 8786, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(Rates to be recommended by department heads, Chief Administrative Officer, board or commission and approved by Board of Supervisors.)

**Motion to Re-refer.**

Supervisor Arnold moved, seconded by Supervisor Christopher, that the foregoing measure be re-referred to Finance Committee.

**Suggestion by Supervisor Mancuso.**

Supervisor Mancuso questioned the advisability of enacting the foregoing measure in view of the adoption of the Charter amendment at the November, 1951, election which provides for residence outside of the city and county of those persons whose duties are located outside the city's limits, and suggested that the Finance Committee investigate further with the thought in mind of possibly obviating the necessity of enacting the subject measure.

*Re-referred to Finance Committee.*

**Final Passage.**

**Appropriating \$157,625, Laguna Honda Home, from Emergency Reserve Fund, for Overtime, Materials and Supplies, Foodstuffs, Meat, Dry-goods and Wearing Apparel, Canned Goods and Dried Fruits; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 8794, Ordinance No. 7233 (Series of 1939).

(Allowance for Overtime . . . . .)	\$ 225
Materials and Supplies . . . . .	35,000
Foodstuffs . . . . .	62,500
Laguna Honda Home Meat Shop . . . . .	46,000
Dry Goods and Wearing Apparel . . . . .	4,460
Canned Goods and Dried Fruits . . . . .	9,440)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Passage for Second Reading as Amended.**

The following measure from Finance Committee, with recommendation "do pass" after amendment, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Gallagher, Arnold.

**Appropriating \$99,792.80, Disaster Corps, for Contractual Services, Supplies, Equipment and Services of Other Departments, Required for the Operation of the San Francisco Disaster Council and Corps.**

File No. 8722, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Proposed amendments are as follows:

Reduce \$12,005, allocated for "Rescue and First Aid Materials and Supplies" to . . . . .	\$4,955
Reduce \$500 allocated for "Transportation Materials and Supplies" to . . . . .	200
Reduce \$6,740, allocated for "Transportation Dry Goods" to . . . . .	1,630
Reduce \$150 allocated for "Auxiliary Police Reserve Contractual Services" to . . . . .	65
Reduce \$402.80 allocated for "Auxiliary Police Reserve, Materials and Supplies" to . . . . .	77
Reduce \$2,904 allocated for "Auxiliary Police Reserve, Equipment" to . . . . .	1,282
Reduce \$500 allocated for "Auxiliary Police Reserve Maintenance and Repair of Automotive Equipment" to . . . . .	120
Reduce \$17,600 allocated for "Auxiliary Police Reserve, Dry Goods" to . . . . .	6,120
Correct title to reflect change in appropriation from \$99,792.80 to \$73,440.)	

Supervisor Arnold moved the adoption of the foregoing amendments as a whole. Motion seconded by Supervisor Sullivan.

Motion *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

Thereupon the roll was called and the foregoing measure, as amended, was *passed for second reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

#### Reference to Finance Committee.

The following emergency measures, appearing on the Board's supplemental calendar, were taken up:

(In the consideration of each of the following measures, Supervisor Christopher moved, seconded by Supervisor Arnold, that same be referred to the Finance Committee. No objection and motion *carried*.)

**Appropriating \$82,600, Public Health, from Department of Public Health, Central Office, Contractual Services and the Mayor's Emergency Reserve Fund, for Crippled Children's Program; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 8806, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

**Appropriating \$3,713.06, Department of Electricity, Plant Division for Materials and Supplies; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 8807, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Funds are required to cover the cost of the widening of Woodside Avenue.)

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

**Appropriating \$24,650, Youth Guidance Center, for Materials and Supplies, Holiday Pay, Foodstuffs, Heat, Light and Power; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 8808, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Materials and Supplies, Youth Guidance Prob.	\$ 1,350
Holiday Pay—Juvenile Hall	1,400
Foodstuffs—Juvenile Hall	13,000
Heat, Light and Power—Juvenile Hall	8,900)

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

#### ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF MEASURES AND COMMUNICATIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

**Request for Preparation of Resolution Commending and Congratulating Former Supervisor Dan Gallagher Upon His Appointment as Sheriff.**

Supervisor Arnold requested that the Clerk of the Board prepare a resolution for adoption of the Board at its next regular meeting, commending former Supervisor Dan Gallagher for his service as a member of the Board, and congratulating him upon his appointment as Sheriff.

No objection and Clerk *was directed to comply*.



Reference to Committee.

**Appropriating \$10,624,046.81, Board of Education, for Expenditures and Certification of Contracts and Related Expenses in Connection With Projects Under the 1948 School Bond Fund.**

Supervisor Arnold presented:

File No. 8831, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

**Adopted.**

**In Memoriam—P. Paul Vlautin, Sr.**

Jointly presented by Supervisors Arnold and Sullivan:

File No. 7824, Resolution No. 12106 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Arnold moved the adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor Sullivan.

*Unanimously adopted by rising vote.*

Reference to Committee.

**Requesting Judiciary Committee to Consider Feasibility of Enacting Legislation Prohibiting the Solicitation or Collection of Funds by Officers if Funds Are to Be Used for Political Purposes.**

Supervisor Christopher presented:

File No. 8829, Resolution No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Judiciary Committee.*

**Adopted.**

**In Memoriam—Leo Gordon.**

Supervisor Christopher presented:

File No. 7824, Resolution No. 12105 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Christopher moved adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor MacPhee.

*Unanimously adopted by rising vote.*

Reference to Police Committee.

**Amending Resolution No. 8380 (Series of 1939), by Amending Paragraph Defining the Meaning of the Word "Stop," so That the Term Shall Not Apply to Commercial Vehicles While Loading or Unloading Merchandise.**

Supervisor Dobbs presented:

File No. 8823, Resolution No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Police Committee.*

**Statement by Supervisor MacPhee Relating to Abolishing Office of Sheriff.**

Supervisor MacPhee stated that years ago he suggested the consolidation of the duties performed by the Registrar with those performed by the Recorder. This was accomplished with savings to the taxpayers; however, it may be that the Charter Revision Committee may not consider it feasible to have the duties of Sheriff performed by the County Clerk's office and the Police Department.

Reference to Judiciary Committee.

**Prescribing the Information to Be Furnished Whenever the Public Utilities Commission Shall Submit to the Board a Proposal to Fix, Change or Adjust Utility Rates, Charges or Fares, and Prescribing Procedure to Be Followed.**

Supervisor MacPhee presented:

File No. 8832, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Judiciary Committee.*

**Communication from Laborers' Union Regarding Right of Departments to Request City Attorney's Office to Appeal Cases.**

Supervisor Mancuso presented a communication from General Laborers' Union, Local No. 261, asking certain questions in connection with the right of department heads to request the City Attorney to appeal from judgments against said departments, unless directed so to do by the Board of Supervisors.

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

**Suggesting Reduction in Children's Fares and Elimination of Free Passes.**

Supervisor Mancuso requested that the Clerk direct a communication to the Manager of Utilities, suggesting that favorable consideration be given looking to reduction in the children's fares and for the elimination of all free passes.

*Clerk was directed to comply.*

**Communication Relating to Water Fluoridation.**

Supervisor Mancuso presented a communication from Mrs. Hugo Franzen, in which she quoted certain sections from the Health and Safety Code relating to the placing of fluorides in water.

Supervisor Mancuso thereupon asked that the City Attorney be directed to render an opinion as to the obligation of the city with respect to the provisions of Sections 20703, 20751 and 26286.5 of the Health and Safety Code, as it relates to the fluoridation of water, and whether the foregoing sections affect, in any way, the fluoridation program now being undertaken by the Water Department.

*Clerk directed to comply.*

**Adopted.**

**Requesting the Mayor to Appoint a Citizens' Committee for the Reception of Queen Juliana and Prince Bernhard of The Netherlands.**

Supervisor Sullivan presented:

File No. 8830, Resolution No. 12118 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Sullivan moved adoption of the foregoing measure: motion seconded by Supervisor McMurray.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Adopted.**

The following recommendation of his Honor the Mayor was presented by the Clerk:

Leave of Absence—Guido J. Musto, President of the War Memorial Trustees.

File No. 7823, Resolution No. 12104 (Series of 1939).

(For period March 23-June 15, 1952, with permission to leave the state.)

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Arnold moved adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor Christopher.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**ADJOURNMENT.**

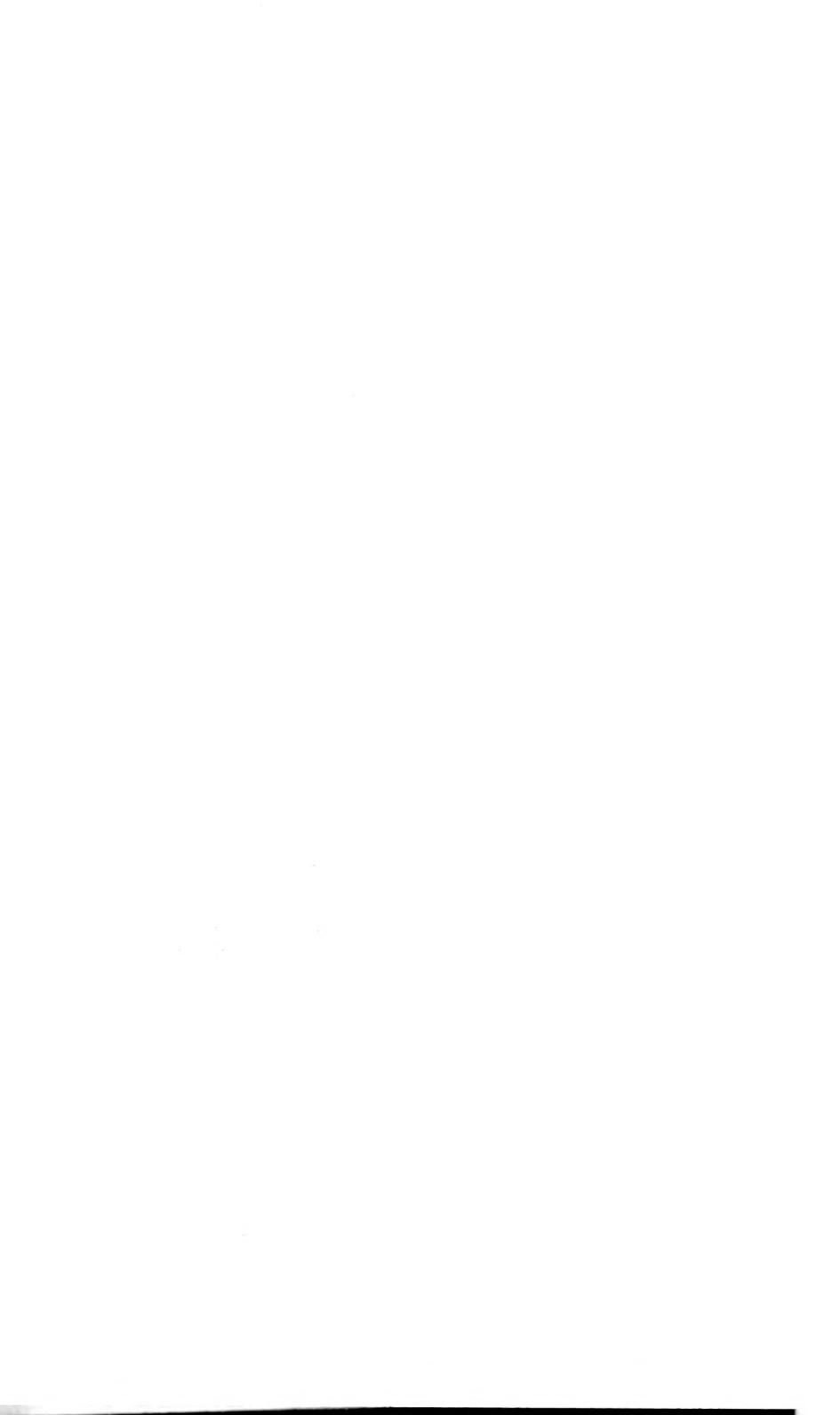
There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 4:20 p. m., adjourned.

JOHN R. McGRATH, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors April 14, 1952.

I, John R. McGrath, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the date hereon stated and approved as recited.

JOHN R. McGRATH,  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.



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MONDAY, MARCH 31, 1952—2:00 P. M.

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In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, March 31, 1952,  
2:00 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

## CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, McMurray—4.

Quorum present.

President Dewey Mead presiding.

Supervisor Dobbs excused from attendance (see below).

Supervisor Lewis noted present at 2:35 p. m.

Supervisor MacPhee noted present at 2:15 p. m.

Supervisor McMurray noted present at 2:17 p. m.

## Supervisor Dobbs Excused from Attendance.

Supervisor Ferdon moved, seconded by Supervisor MacPhee, that Supervisor Dobbs be excused from Board attendance due to illness.

No objection and motion carried.

## APPROVAL OF JOURNAL.

The Journal of Proceedings for Monday, March 10, 1952, was considered read and approved.

## Communications.

From the Department of City Planning, recommending an amendment to Section 117.1 of the Charter, pertaining to the time within which the Commission must act on zoning applications.

*Amendment adopted; ordered filed.*

From the Manager of Utilities, copy of letter addressed to Mrs. William Silvestri, dealing with her request for change in transportation service in the Sunset District.

*Copy given to Supervisor Christopher; ordered filed.*

From the Chief Administrative Officer, advising that there appears to be no objection to releasing for public sale city-owned property located at Twentieth and Third Streets.

*Copy to Supervisor Mancuso; ordered filed.*

From the San Francisco Junior Chamber of Commerce, expressing policy favoring tow-away system applicable to any and all types of vehicles.

*Referred to Police Committee.*

From the San Francisco Labor Council, attaching copy of adopted resolution reminding San Francisco's delegation at Sacramento of its position with respect to a second bay crossing in that it be of a form and nature that can carry transcontinental trains into the city.

*Referred to County, State and National Affairs Committee.*

#### **Announcement of Membership of Committees.**

The President announced the membership of the following Board committees:

*Commercial and Industrial Development:* Supervisors Christopher (Chairman), MacPhee, Mancuso.

*County, State and National Affairs Committee:* Supervisors Lewis (Chairman), Mancuso, Sullivan.

*Education, Parks and Recreation:* Supervisors MacPhee (Chairman), Dobbs, McMurray.

*Finance, Revenue and Taxation:* Supervisors Arnold (Chairman), Christopher, McCarty.

*Judiciary, Legislative and Civil Service:* Supervisors Dobbs (Chairman), Ferdon, Lewis.

*Police:* Supervisors McMurray (Chairman), Arnold, Ferdon.

*Public Buildings, Lands and City Planning:* Supervisors Mancuso (Chairman), Dobbs, Lewis.

*Public Health and Welfare:* Supervisors Sullivan (Chairman), Dobbs, McCarty.

*Public Utilities:* Supervisors McCarty (Chairman), Christopher, Sullivan.

*Streets and Highways:* Supervisors Ferdon (Chairman), McMurray, Sullivan.

*Rules:* Supervisors Mead (Chairman), Arnold, MacPhee.

#### **UNFINISHED BUSINESS.**

##### **Passage for Second Reading.**

The following recommendations of Finance Committee, heretofore considered, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Gallagher, Arnold.

**Appropriating \$7,600, Superior Court, for Fees for Medical Examiners of Mentally Ill Persons.**

File No. 8771, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

March 24, 1952—Consideration continued to March 31, 1952.

##### **Privilege of the Floor.**

The privilege of the floor was extended to Joseph Cummins, Clerk of the Superior Court, who was questioned by several Supervisors.

Mr. Cummins quoted statistics with respect to amounts expended by the city for the examination of mentally ill persons over a period of five years.

Supervisor MacPhee suggested that it would be well for the Board, at budget time, to consider placing the doctors on a contract basis instead of appropriating various amounts at different times.

##### **Reference to Committee.**

Supervisor Ferdon suggested that legislation should be introduced in Sacramento calling for an amendment to the Welfare and Institutions Code, which would require those persons responsible for the



care of mentally ill persons to pay for the cost of the initial medical examination.

The President referred the suggestion to the County, State and National Affairs Committee.

#### Roll Call.

The roll was thereupon called and the foregoing measure was *passed for second reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

#### Suspension of Rules.

Supervisor Mancuso moved the suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the following measure out of order. Motion seconded by Supervisor MacPhee and there being no objection, *motion carried*.

#### Adopted.

Determining and Declaring That Public Interest and Necessity Demand the Acquisition, Construction and Completion by the City and County of San Francisco of the Following Municipal Improvement, To-Wit: The Acquisition of Lands and the Improvement Thereof by the Construction of Firehouses Thereon and the Reconstruction of Existing Firehouses, and All Other Works, Properties or Structures Necessary or Convenient for the Construction and Reconstruction of Firehouses, All Within the City and County of San Francisco, and That the Estimated Cost of Said Municipal Improvement Is and Will Be too Great to Be Paid Out of the Ordinary Annual Income and Revenue of Said City and County.

File No. 8862, Resolution No. 12119 (Series of 1939).

#### Motion to Adopt.

Supervisor Mancuso moved the adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor Christopher.

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

#### UNFINISHED BUSINESS (Continued).

##### Passage for Second Reading.

Appropriating \$999.76, Police Department, for Retroactive Compensation of Patrolmen Reappointed to the Police Department.

File No. 8773, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(For period 1948-1951.)

March 24, 1952—Consideration continued to March 31, 1952.

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, McMurray—3.

#### Final Passage.

The following recommendations of Finance Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, were taken up:

Present. Supervisors Gallagher, Christopher.

**Appropriating \$650, County Clerk, for Overtime Allowance.**

File No. 8723, Ordinance No. 7236 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, McMurray—3.

**Appropriating \$67.60, Municipal Railway, for Vacation Pay Pursuant to Provisions of Charter Section 151.5, Effective July 1, 1950.**

File No. 8744, Ordinance No. 7237 (Series of 1939).

(Vacation pay due Irl R. Hefkin, Auto Body and Fender Worker.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**Appropriating \$2,250, Public Library, for Purchase of Land Required for Extension of Branch Library Program.**

File No. 8745, Ordinance No. 7238 (Series of 1939).

(Reimbursements for rents received from 45 Hyde Street, and credited to Library Department's Capital Improvement Fund.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**Appropriating \$858.27, Public Health, for Retroactive Salaries and Retirement Allowances, Laguna Honda Home and San Francisco Hospital, Pursuant to Court Order.**

File No. 8746, Ordinance No. 7239 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**Appropriating \$15,000, Public Works, from Unappropriated Balance of Special Road Improvement Fund, for City Aid Required in Street Improvements.**

File No. 8747, Ordinance No. 7240 (Series of 1939).

(Esmeralda Avenue between Bernal Heights

Boulevard and Peralta Avenue . . . . . \$2,600

Phelps Street between Galvez and Jerrold Avenues . . . . . 4,000

Powhattan Avenue and Peralta Avenue intersections . . . . . 1,500

Anticipated requests . . . . . 4,900

Engineering . . . . . 2,000)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**Appropriating \$6,000, Hetch Hetchy, from 1949 Cherry Valley Dam Bond Fund, for Purchase and Installation of Radio Telephone Equipment.**

File No. 8748, Ordinance No. 7241 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**Appropriating \$5,000, Hetch Hetchy, for Maintenance and Repair of Automotive Equipment.**

File No. 8749, Ordinance No. 7242 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**Appropriating \$435, Fire Department, for Holiday Overtime, Pump Station Employees.**

File No. 8750, Ordinance No. 7243 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**Appropriating \$6,148.69, Public Works, from 1947 Street Improvement Bond Fund, for Extras in Excess of 10 Per Cent of Contract With Chas. L. Harney, Inc., for Sewer Reconstruction and Track Removal in Jackson Street, Between Drumm and Battery Streets.**

File No. 8763, Ordinance No. 7246 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**Appropriating \$98.25, Real Estate, for Increased Cost of City Hall Directory Service.**

File No. 8760, Ordinance No. 7244 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**Amending Various Sections of the Annual Salary Ordinance to Reflect Cost of Living Adjustments Authorized Pursuant to Section 151.3 of the Charter, for Certain Classifications in Metal Trades Group.**

File No. 8762, Ordinance No. 7245 (Series of 1939).

(Sections 37.01, 53.3, 53.4, 70(e), 72.5 and 74.3.)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**Approving Agreement Between the Recreation and Park Commission and The Guardsmen, in Connection With Sports Car Road Race to Be Held in Golden Gate Park on Saturday, May 31, 1952.**

File No. 8769, Ordinance No. 7247 (Series of 1939).

(Proceeds to be used to finance summer vacations for under-privileged children.)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**Appropriating \$22,500, Parking Authority, from Surplus Existing in Appropriation No. 184,558.01, Development of Enlarged St. Mary's Park Area as Site for Public Garage—1947 Off-Street Parking Bond Fund, for Preparation of Plans and Specifications Required in Connection With the Construction of the St. Mary's Square Garage.**

File No. 8657, Ordinance No. 7235 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**Final Passage.**

The following measure from Finance Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors MacPhee, Frazierley.

**Appropriating \$28,850, Board of Supervisors—Municipal Government Survey Advisory Committee, for Contractual Services.**

File No. 8364, Ordinance No. 7234 (Series of 1939).

(For purpose of continuing and completing survey under direction of Survey Advisory Committee, of all departments, offices and agencies of the City, with the exception of the Unified School District, in order to design a controlled record-keeping system, and to supervise installation of record center and train necessary personnel incident to organization and management of such central depository of records.)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**Final Passage.**

The following recommendation of Police Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors McMurray, Ferdon, Gallagher.

**Authorizing a Speed Limit of 35 Miles Per Hour for Vehicular Traffic on Lincoln Way Between Third Avenue and the Great Highway.**

File No. 3793, Ordinance No. 7248 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**NEW BUSINESS.****Adopted.**

The following recommendations of Finance Committee were taken up:

Present. Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

**Confirming Sale of Surplus Water Department Land Located in Vallejo's Mill Tract, to Merced Rosales et ux. for \$2,150.**

File No. 6820-27, Resolution No. 12120 (Series of 1939).

(Containing 0.505 acre.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**Approving Supplemental Recommendations, Public Welfare Department, Relative to Categorical Aids; Letters Dated March 25, 1952.**

File No. 7821, Resolution No. 12121 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**Authorizing Extension of Granting of Emergency Relief to Dependent Non-Residents for March and April; List Dated March 31, 1952.**

File No. 7822, Resolution No. 12122 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**Authorizing Extension of Granting of Emergency Relief to Dependent Non-Residents for April and May; List Dated March 31, 1952.**

File No. 7822, Resolution No. 12123 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**Authorizing Refund of Duplicate and Erroneous Payments of Taxes for the Fiscal Years 1950-51 and 1951-52.**

File No. 7827, Resolution No. 12125 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**Authorizing Purchase of Real Property from J. A. Herzog, Inc., for \$39,500, Required for Bartlett Street Parking Lot.**

File No. 8687, Resolution No. 12126 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Rear portion of Lot 24, Block 3616, located west of the westerly line of Bartlett Street, south of Twenty-fourth Street. One-story building.)

March 24, 1952—Re-referred to Finance Committee.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**Authorizing Purchase of Real Property Located in Alameda County from Manuel T. Azevedo et ux. for \$250, Required for Bay Division Pipe Line No. 3.**

File No. 8799, Resolution No. 12127 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**Authorizing Attendance of One Member of Civil Service Commission and Members of the Staff at the Western Regional Conference of the Civil Service Assembly of the United States and Canada, to Be Held in San Jose During Period April 3-5, 1952.**

File No. 8801, Resolution No. 12128 (Series of 1939).

(Staff members to attend on commute basis.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**Authorizing Adjustment of Inventory to Reflect Theft of Distance Measuring Wheel from the Bureau of Heat, Light and Power, Public Utilities Department.**

File No. 8811, Resolution No. 12129 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**Authorizing Purchase of Real Property from Herbert J. Williamson et ux. for \$900, Required for School Project No. 29.**

File No. 8815, Resolution No. 12130 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Located on Delta Street, north of Harkness Avenue. Lots 16 and 17, Block 6163. Size: 25 feet by 100 feet. Vacant lots.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**Authorizing Purchase of Real Property from John P. Omizzolo for \$950 and from the Western Title Insurance and Guaranty Company for \$3,700, Required for School Project No. 59.**

File No. 8816, Resolution No. 12131 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Lots 13-17, Block 7075; Lot 27, Block 7074. Located on Arch Street, north of Sargent Street. Size of each lot: 25 feet by 100 feet. Vacant land.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**Authorizing Purchase of Real Property from Emmet W. Loftus for \$6,000 and from Albert J. Rose for \$1,500, Required for School Project No. 14.**

File No. 8824, Resolution No. 12132 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Lots 13, 14, Block 2336, located at intersection of Santiago Street and Funston Avenue. Size: 57 feet 6 inches by 100 feet and 50 feet by 100 feet. Vacant land. Lot 6, Block 2337-A, located on Twelfth Avenue and Santiago Street. Size: 50 feet by 100 feet.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

#### Passage for Second Reading.

**Amending Ordinance No. 6966 (Series of 1939) as Amended, Relating to the Improvement of Portions of Campbell Avenue Between Elliott and Delta Streets, by Increasing Amount of City Aid from \$3,200 to \$3,300.**

File No. 8048-2, Ordinance No. . . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**Appropriating \$10,624,046.81, Board of Education, for Expenditures and Certification of Contracts and Related Expenses in Connection With Projects Under the 1948 School Bond Fund.**

File No. 8831, Ordinance No. . . . . (Series of 1939).

(Contingencies and Administrative Costs . . . . .)	\$ 195,546.81
Home School Units . . . . .	192,000.00
Remodeling (Rehabilitation and Modernization) . . . . .	2,000,000.00
Construction Contracts . . . . .	5,781,500.00
Architectural Services and Plans . . . . .	265,000.00
Equipment . . . . .	2,190,000.00

(In conformity with Master Plan.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

#### Final Passage.

**Appropriating \$82,600, Public Health, for Care and Treatment of Children Under the Crippled Children's Program; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 8806, Ordinance No. 7249 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**Appropriating \$3,713.06, Electricity, for Materials and Supplies Required by the Plant Division; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 8807, Ordinance No. 7250 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**Appropriating \$24,650, Youth Guidance Center, for Materials and Supplies, Holiday Pay, Foodstuffs, Heat, Light and Power; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 8808, Ordinance No. 7251 (Series of 1939).

(Materials and Supplies . . . . .)	\$ 1,350
Holidays—Juvenile Hall . . . . .	1,400
Foodstuffs—Juvenile Hall . . . . .	13,000
Heat, Light and Power—Juvenile Hall . . . . .	8,900)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**Ordered Submitted as Amended.**

The following recommendations of Judiciary Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Dobbs and Ferdon.

**Charter Amendment—Sections 117 and 117.1 Relating to Zone Changes, by Providing That the Board of Supervisors May Postpone Its Decisions on Appeals from Rulings of the City Planning Commission Until Such Time as the Full Membership of the Board Is Present.**

File No. 8444

**Amendments.**

Supervisor MacPhee moved the following amendments; motion seconded by Supervisor McMurray:

That in Section 117, after the words “. . . but not later than, the full membership of the Board is present . . .” add the following: “provided, further, that the latest date to which said hearing and decision may be postponed on such account shall not be more than ninety (90) days from the date of filing of such protest.”

That in Section 117.1, after the words “. . . shall be deemed to be approved by the Board,” add the following: “provided, further, that the latest date to which said hearing and decision may be postponed on such account shall not be more than ninety (90) days from the date of filing of such protest.”

The foregoing amendments *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs—2.

Thereupon the roll was called and the foregoing Charter amendment, as amended, was *ordered submitted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs—2.



**Charter Amendment—Adding Sections 35.5.1 and 36.2 Relating to the Standardization of Compensation of Members of the Police and Fire Departments.**

File No. 8691

**Presentation of Procedural Amendments.**

Supervisor Ferdon informed the Board that the following procedural amendments had been approved by his committee and awaited Board ratification:

1. Change "Sec. 35.5.1" to "Section 35.5.1."

2. Change "Sec. 36.2" to "Section 36.2."

3. In Section 35.5.1 (at top of page 4 of joint proposal) add to the paragraph commencing "For all purposes of the retirement system, the first adjustment of rates, etc." the following language, after changing the period to a comma, to-wit: "and the annual compensations set forth in section 35.5 shall be the rates of compensation for said retirement purposes for the period from the beginning of the fiscal year 1952-1953 through said month."

4. In Section 36.2 (at bottom of page 6 of the joint proposal) add to the paragraph commencing "for all purposes of the retirement system, the first adjustment of rates, etc." the following language, after changing the period to a comma, to-wit: "and the annual compensations set forth in section 36 shall be the rates of compensation for said retirement purposes for the period from the beginning of the fiscal year 1952-1953 through said month."

Thereupon Supervisor Ferdon moved adoption of the foregoing amendments; motion seconded by Supervisor Sullivan.

**Communication.**

Supervisor Ferdon read a communication addressed to Supervisor Dobbs from Lloyd Graybiel, Chairman of the Charter Revision Committee, containing a summary of the oral presentation made before the meeting of the Judiciary Committee on Thursday, March 27th, prescribing the method of fixing salaries of members of the Police and Fire Departments.

**Point Raised.**

Supervisor McCarty singled out a passage from the letter read by Supervisor Ferdon and reading as follows: "The survey will give the Board information as to going rates of pay for these services, but in no event shall the Board set salaries for fourth year of service policemen or firemen higher than the highest rate paid men in these respective services in any of said cities."

It was the contention of Supervisor McCarty that if the Charter amendment were drawn so that it would not set salaries for fourth-year men at a rate higher than the highest rate paid men in *any* of said cities, then the Board might be restricted to the lowest salary as among such cities.

Supervisor Ferdon expressed the opinion that it was the intention of the Judiciary Committee to have the city pay the highest rate being paid by any of the cities having a population of 100,000 or more.

Supervisor Ferdon suggested that a letter be addressed to Mr. Graybiel asking for his understanding in the matter and whether his thinking and that of the Charter Revision Committee coincided with the views of the Judiciary Committee.

The Clerk, accordingly was instructed to communicate with Mr. Graybiel.

**Statement by Supervisor Arnold.**

Supervisor Arnold stated that he was not in accord with the views expressed by Mr. Graybiel with respect to method of compensating policemen and firemen.

**Communication Filed.**

There being no objection, the communication from Mr. Graybiel was ordered filed.

**Amendments Adopted.**

The roll was thereupon called on Supervisor Ferdon's procedural amendments and they *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Dobbs—1.

The roll was then called on the foregoing Charter amendment, as amended, and it was *ordered submitted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Dobbs—1.

**Filed.**

The following measures from the Judiciary Committee, with recommendation that the Board order the measures filed, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon.

**Charter Amendment—Adding Section 35.5.1 Relating to the Standardization of Compensation of Members of the Police Department.**

File No. 8692

Supervisor Ferdon moved, seconded by Supervisor Arnold, that the foregoing Charter amendment be filed.

No objection and motion *carried*.

**Filed.****Charter Amendment—Adding Section 36.2 Relating to the Standardization of Compensation of Members of the Fire Department.**

File No. 8693

Supervisor Ferdon moved, seconded by Supervisor Arnold, that the foregoing Charter amendment be filed.

No objection and motion *carried*.

**Reference to Finance Committee.**

The following emergency measure, appearing on the Board's supplemental calendar, was taken up:

**Appropriating \$17,600, Public Health, Hassler Health Home, from General Fund Compensation Reserve, Hassler Health Home, Photographic Supplies, and Mayor's Emergency Reserve Fund, for Payment of Overtime, Temporary Salaries and Contractual; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 8835, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

Overtime .....	\$ 500
Temporary Salaries .....	800
Contractual Services .....	3,600
Materials and Supplies.....	2,500
Foodstuffs .....	8,000
Maintenance and Repair of Auto Equipment .....	400
Telephone and Telegraph .....	300
Canned Foods—Dried Fruits .....	1,000
Light, Heat and Power.....	500

**Motion to Refer to Committee.**

Supervisor Christopher moved reference of the foregoing measure to Finance Committee. Motion seconded by Supervisor Arnold.

No objection and motion carried.

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

**OFF-CALENDAR LEGISLATION.**

The following recommendation of his Honor the Mayor was presented by the Clerk:

**Adopted.**

**Leaves of Absence**—Joseph L. Alioto, President of the Board of Education, March 20-30; Dr. Herbert C. Clish, Superintendent of Schools, April 2-12; John G. Levison, Vice-President of the Board of Education, March 26-30; Bert W. Levit, Member of Board of Education, April 25-May 3; Fred W. Parr, Member of the Recreation and Park Commission, for a Ten-Day Period Commencing March 30, 1952, All With Permission to Leave the State.

File No. 7823, Resolution No. 12124 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Arnold moved adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor Christopher.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Dobbs—1.

**ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF MEASURES AND COMMUNICATIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.****Adopted.****Testimonial to Former Supervisor Dan Gallagher.**

Jointly presented by all members of the Board:

File No. 8856, Resolution No. 12133 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Arnold moved the adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor Sullivan.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Dobbs—1.

**Investigation into Possibility of Disposing of Surplus City Property.**

Supervisor Christopher requested that the Director of Property contact those departments owning surplus property as indicated in the survey report by Christopher Rivers, Jr., compiled under the sponsorship of the Municipal Government Survey Advisory Committee, for the purpose of ascertaining what disposition is proposed to be made of them and that a report of his findings be made at an early date.

*The Clerk was directed to comply.*

**Judiciary Committee Requested to Procure Legislation from City Attorney Establishing Transit Authority.**

Supervisor Christopher expressed the opinion that the Municipal Railway should be completely divorced from the jurisdiction of the Public Utilities Commission and should be placed under the control of a one-man czar, a man who has had wide experience in transit matters.

He accordingly requested that the Judiciary Committee request the City Attorney to prepare and submit a Charter amendment at the earliest opportunity, looking to the separation of the Municipal Railway from the jurisdiction of the Public Utilities Commission and to the establishment of a one-man Transit Authority.

*Referred to the Judiciary Committee.*

**Reference to Committee.**

**Adding Portions of Market, Mission, Sutter and Fourth Streets to List of Streets on Which Stopping Is Prohibited at Specified Hours, Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays Excepted, and Rescinding Resolution No. 12090 (Series of 1939).**

Supervisor Ferdon presented on behalf of Supervisor Dobbs:

File No. 8847, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Police Committee.*

**Adopted.**

**Wishing Success to the San Francisco Seals Baseball Team.**

Supervisor Ferdon presented on behalf of Supervisor Dobbs:

File No. 8857, Resolution No. 12134 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Ferdon moved adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor Sullivan.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Dobbs—1.

**Adopted.**

**Expressing Official Welcome to Miss Maureen Dolan, Daughter of Robert J. Dolan, Chief Assistant Clerk, Board of Supervisors.**

Supervisor Ferdon presented:

File No. 8859, Resolution No. 12136 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Ferdon moved adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor Christopher.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Dobbs—1.

**Adopted.**

**Requesting Mayor to Proclaim June 29, 1952, as "San Francisco Founding Day," and Week of June 23, 1952, as "San Francisco Founding Week" and to Appoint a Citizens' Committee to Prepare for the Proper Observance Thereof.**

Supervisor Ferdon presented:

File No. 8858, Resolution No. 12135 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Ferdon moved adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor Sullivan.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10

Absent: Supervisor Dobbs—1.

**Study of Feasibility of Constructing Lombard Street Tunnel.**

Supervisor Lewis requested that the proper committee of the Board study the Master Plan for the purpose of determining the feasibility and advisability of constructing the Lombard Street Tunnel as recommended therein, and to report on the matter at an early date.

*Referred to the Public Buildings, Lands and City Planning Committee.*

**Adopted.**

**Requesting That Maiden Lane, Between Stockton and Kearny Streets, Be Temporarily Closed to Vehicular Traffic During "Spring Comes to Maiden Lane Festival."**

Supervisor MacPhee presented:

File No. 8860, Resolution No. 12137 (Series of 1939).

(11 a. m. to 4 p. m., April 3, 4 and 5; 7 p. m. and 9 p. m., April 3 and 4.)

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor MacPhee moved adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor Sullivan.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Dobbs—1.

**Communication.**

Supervisor Mancuso requested that the communication which he introduced in the Board meeting of March 24th, from the General Laborers' Union, Local 261, asking the Board to effectuate the provisions of Section 26 of the Charter, relating to the power of the Board to determine course of action in matters affecting litigation, and which was considered by the Finance Committee and filed, be referred to the Judiciary Committee.

No objection and *so ordered*.

**Announcement of Committee Meeting.**

Supervisor Mancuso announced a meeting of the Police Committee for Wednesday, April 2, 1952, at the hour of 3:00 p. m.

**Statement on Cooperation of City Officials Relating to Second Bay Crossing.**

Supervisor Mead, President of the Board, stated that he, Supervisor Lewis, and the Chief Administrative Officer attended the State Senate hearing on last Monday evening in connection with consideration of legislation on a proposed second bay crossing, and he wanted to take this opportunity of commending the excellent work done by the Chief Administrative Officer and by Supervisor Lewis in connection with San Francisco's presentation of its case. While the results were not as satisfactory as hoped for, the city could well be proud of its representatives at that hearing.

**Adopted.**

**Requesting the Mayor to Proclaim Period April 20-26, 1952, as "Youth Week."**

Supervisor Mead presented:

File No. 8861. Resolution No. 12138 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Sullivan moved adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor McMurray.

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Dobbs—1.

**Suggestion for Night Meeting to Consider Heating Ordinance.**

Supervisor Lewis stated that he had received numerous requests from tenants asking that they be given opportunity to be heard in connection with the proposed legislation regulating heat in apartments, flats, etc., and suggested that the Board either consider the matter sitting as a Committee of the Whole or that the proper committee hear the matter some evening.

Supervisor McMurray objected to any night hearing.

No Board action taken.

**ADJOURNMENT.**

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 4:05 p. m., adjourned.

JOHN R. McGRATH, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors April 14, 1952.

I, John R. McGrath, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the date hereon stated and approved as recited.

JOHN R. McGRATH,  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.







Monday, April 7, 1952

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# JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MONDAY, APRIL 7, 1952—2:00 P. M.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, April 7, 1952, 2:00 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

## CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

Quorum present.

President Dewey Mead presiding.

Supervisor Lewis noted present at 2:15 p. m.

Supervisors Dobbs and MacPhee excused from attendance. (See below.)

## Supervisor Dobbs Excused.

Supervisor Mancuso moved, seconded by Supervisor McMurray, that Supervisor Dobbs be excused due to illness.

No objection and motion carried.

## Communications.

From the Redwood Empire Supervisors' Unit, advising of joint meeting of the Supervisors' Unit with the Board of Directors on Friday, April 18, 1:15 p. m. (probably at the Hotel Santa Rosa). Aviation Unit meeting will be held at 9 a. m. on the same day at the Hotel Occidental.

*Copy to each member of Board; ordered filed.*

From the Manager of Utilities, reporting on suggestion offered by Supervisor Mancuso that would result in a reduction of fares applicable to school children and in the elimination of all free passes.

*Copy to Supervisor Mancuso; ordered filed.*

From the San Francisco Airport, statistical data for comparative months—February, 1951, and February, 1952.

*Copy to each member of Board; ordered filed.*

From the City Attorney, replying to query by former Supervisor Gallagher as to investigatory procedures which the Board may resort to in the exercise of their functions under the provisions of Section 9 of the Charter, relating to employments.

*Ordered filed.*

From A. C. Sundberg, telegram, protesting appointment of former Supervisor Dan Gallagher as Sheriff.

*Ordered filed.*

From Lloyd Graybiel, Chairman, Charter Revision Committee, clarifying the position of his Committee with respect to the basis of compensation for members of the Police and Fire Departments.

*Copy to each member of Board; ordered filed.*

From the Chief Administrative Officer, report on the feasibility of conducting a full-scale annual County Fair in the City and County of San Francisco.

*Referred to County, State and National Affairs Committee.*

From the Manager of Utilities, requesting that consideration of the fare structure of the Municipal Railway, and scheduled as a Special Order on Monday, April 7, 1952, 3 p. m., be postponed until a future time.

*Consideration continued two weeks.*

From the Redevelopment Agency, report containing additional data in connection with its request for an advance of funds from the Federal Government.

*Measures on calendar adopted; ordered filed.*

### Presentation of Guests.

The Board was honored by the appearance of several notables from the Danish ship "Galathea," which had just put into port while on a scientific expedition to determine oceanic depths at which marine life may exist.

The gentlemen expressed gratitude for the privilege of appearing before the Board and stated they were happy for the opportunity of visiting San Francisco.

## UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

### Final Passage.

The following recommendations of Finance Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Gallagher, Arnold.

**Authorizing Exchange of Certain Lands and Right-of-Way Easements Between the Public Utilities Commission and the Pacific Gas and Electric Company (Estimated to Be of Equal Value), to Permit Construction of the Bayshore Freeway and to Enlarge Operations at the San Francisco Airport.**

File No. 8758, Ordinance No. 7253 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Appropriating \$129,050, Municipal Railway, from Surplus in Unallocated Balance of the 1947 Municipal Railway Rehabilitation Bond Fund, for Expenditure and Certification of Contracts in Connection With the Rehabilitation of the Municipal Railway.**

File No. 8759, Ordinance No. 7254 (Series of 1939).

(Emergency Generator for Radio System . . . . .)	\$ 300
Outer Mission Substation . . . . .	10,750
Sutter Street Lines 1, 3 and 4 . . . . .	3,600
Sutter Street Lines 1, 3 and 4, Office Engineering . . . . .	250
Sutter Street Lines 1, 3 and 4, Field Engineering . . . . .	150
Conversion of Stockton Street—Fourth Street Line . . . . .	20,000

Conversion of Stockton Street—Fourth Street Line, Office Engineering	1,500
Conversion of Stockton Street—Fourth Street Line, Field Engineering	1,000
One-way Street Trolley Plan for No. 5 and No. 21 Lines	74,000
One-way Street Trolley Plan for No. 5 and No. 21 Lines, Office Engineering	4,000
One-way Street Trolley Plan for No. 5 and No. 21 Lines, Field Engineering	2,500
Track Reconstruction—Van Ness Avenue and Geary Street	10,000
Track Reconstruction—Van Ness Avenue and Geary Street, Office Engineering	600
Track Reconstruction—Van Ness Avenue and Geary Street, Field Engineering	400
	<hr/> \$129,050)

(Projects are either in conformity with or do not affect the Master Plan.)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Appropriating \$1,210, Department of Public Works, Bureau of Building Inspection, for Contractual Services, Maintenance and Repair of Automotive Equipment, Fuel, Illuminants and Lubricants.**

File No. 8770, Ordinance No. 7255 (Series of 1939).

(Repair to automotive equipment	\$900
Contractual services: Car fare, telephone expense for inspectors without autos; maintenance and repairs to office equipment and postage stamps	160
Gasoline and oil for operating autos	150)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Appropriating \$200, Agricultural Commission, for Overtime Allowance.**

File No. 8772, Ordinance No. 7256 (Series of 1939).

(Inspection of fresh fruits and vegetables loaded on or discharged from ships on Saturdays and Sundays.)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Appropriating \$689.24, San Francisco Airport, for Overtime and Holiday Allowance.**

File No. 8774, Ordinance No. 7257 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Appropriating \$1,125, Retirement System, for New Positions of One Calculating Machine Operator (Key Drive) and One General Clerk-Senior Clerk-Stenographer** ..... 285-350)

File No. 87821-1, Ordinance No. 7258 (Series of 1939).

(Calculating Machine Operator (Key Drive) ..... \$225-285

General Clerk-Stenographer ..... 225-285

Senior Clerk-Stenographer ..... 285-350)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 85, Retirement System—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 8782-2, Ordinance No. 7259 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Appropriating \$10,536.41, Municipal Railway, for Retroactive Wages and Pensions Pursuant to Court Order.**

File No. 8783, Ordinance No. 7260 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Appropriating \$73,440, Disaster Corps, for Contractual Services, Supplies, Equipment and Services of Other Departments, Required for the Operation of the San Francisco Disaster Council and Corps.**

File No. 8722, Ordinance No. 7252 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

## NEW BUSINESS.

### Adopted.

The following recommendations of Finance Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

**Authorizing Extension of Granting of Emergency Relief to Dependent Non-Residents for April and May; List Dated April 7, 1952.**

File No. 7822, Resolution No. 12141 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Authorizing Refund of Duplicate and Erroneous Payments of Taxes for the Fiscal Years 1948-1949 and 1951-1952.**

File No. 7827, Resolution No. 12143 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Authorizing Subordination of Lien Against Real Property Recorded by the Public Welfare Department for Aid Extended to Manuel and Angela Rodriguez.**

File No. 8837, Resolution No. 12156 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Accepting Gift of Eight-Oared Rowing Shell from the University of California.**

File No. 8838, Resolution No. 12157 (Series of 1939).

(Shell "Golden Gate" won the Olympic Games rowing championship at Amsterdam in 1928. Gift to become an integral part of the Maritime Museum at Aquatic Park.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Authorizing Attendance of Director of Log Cabin Ranch School at the Annual Meeting of the California Probation and Parole Officers' Association to Be Held in Santa Monica During Period June 5, 6 and 7, 1952.**

File No. 8839, Resolution No. 12158 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, MacPhee—2.

**Waiving Statute of Limitations in Connection With the Payments of Various Warrants.**

File No. 8841, Resolution No. 12159 (Series of 1939).

1. Warrant No. 28236, Employees' Retirement Fund, \$153.54, February 28, 1949, payable to Violet Schoning, consisting of return of employee contributions and interest.
2. Warrant No. 18013, Employees' Retirement Fund, \$122.87, January 13, 1946, payable to Kenneth MacCormac, consisting of return of employee contributions and interest.
3. Warrant No. 29780, Employees' Retirement Fund, \$66.05, March 31, 1949, payable to Maud Booth, consisting of pension due her for month of March, 1949.
4. Warrant No. 42311, Employees' Retirement Fund, \$282.98, June 30, 1949, payable to Darreleen Remington, consisting of return of employee contributions and interest.
5. Warrant No. 28245, Employees' Retirement Fund, \$145.90, February 28, 1949, payable to Ernest L. Simonson, consisting of return of employee contributions and interest.
6. Warrant No. 3272, Employees' Retirement Fund, \$689.26, August 15, 1946, payable to Marie M. Wilson, consisting of return of employee contributions and interest.
7. Warrant No. 3786, Employees' Retirement Fund, \$2,738.47, August 25, 1949, payable to James Boland, Administrator

of Estate of James E. Pepper, deceased, consisting of retirement fund death benefit of James E. Pepper.

8. Warrant No. 65-10-21-186, Municipal Railway Operating Fund, \$77.09, May 31, 1949, payable to James Boland, Administrator of Estate of James E. Pepper, deceased, consisting of salary earned by James E. Pepper, prior to his death.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, MacPhee—2.

#### Re-reference to Committee.

**Motion Relating to Submission of Documents to Controller for Final Payments Due for Contracts Between Certain Contractors and the Municipal Government Survey Advisory Committee.**

File No. 8869

It is moved that the Clerk of the Board be and he is hereby authorized to submit to the Controller properly executed documents for the final payments due, in the amounts set forth, for contracts by and between the following contractors and the Municipal Government Survey Advisory Committee of the Board of Supervisors:

Contract No.	Contractor	Final Payment Due	Total Payments Made to Date	Unexpended Balance	Original Contract
18	Arthur H. Kent, Accounting Project Director . . . .	\$ 250.00	\$ 2,725.00	\$ 25.00	\$ 3,000.00
19	Christopher Rivers, Jr., Real Estate Project Director . .	143.83	3,289.75	166.42	3,600.00
44	Harrison C. Bottorff, Budget Project Director .	550.00	1,750.00	700.00	3,000.00
46	S. T. Corvell, Purchasing Project Director . . . .	550.00	2,325.00	125.00	3,000.00
47	Griffinhagen and Associates, Public Works Survey	4,165.62	11,334.38	.	15,500.00
	Totals . . . . .	\$5,659.45	\$21,424.13	\$1,016.42	\$28,100.00

#### Motion to Re-refer.

Supervisor Mancuso: The Board is being asked to pass upon something they need not pass on. The Controller has that authority at the present time. I do not see any reason for voting on this.

Supervisor Arnold stated that after some thought, he shared Supervisor Mancuso's views and thereupon moved, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, that the foregoing measure be re-referred to the Finance Committee.

No objection and motion *carried*.

*Re-referred to Finance Committee.*

#### Passage for Second Reading.

**Authorizing Payment of Travel Allowances to Employees Assigned to Duty Outside the City, and Providing for Fixing of Rates Therefor.**

File No. 8786, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).



*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, MacPhee—2.

**Appropriating \$6,000, Public Library, to Provide Compensation for Librarians and Library Pages.**

File No. 8797, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(To accord with provisions of Salary Standardization Ordinance for the fiscal year 1951-52.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, MacPhee—2.

**Appropriating \$722.50, Fire Department, for Retroactive Pay Due Employee for Prior Service.**

File No. 8836, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(City Attorney's Opinion No. 504—Retroactive pay period—June 1, 1949, through February 15, 1952.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, MacPhee—2.

**Appropriating \$21,128.50, Water Department, for Damage Claims Pursuant to Court Judgment.**

File No. 8840, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(Damage claim of Henry C. McKenney. Judgment: \$20,528.50, plus interest at 7 per cent from December 5, 1951.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, MacPhee—2.

**Appropriating \$20,000, Purchaser, for the Shop Stores Revolving Fund.**

File No. 8843, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(To return funds borrowed from the Fire Department.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, MacPhee—2.

**Re-reference to Committee.**

**\$3,500,000—Firehouse Bonds.**

File No. 8862-1, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

Calling and providing for a special election to be held in the City and County of San Francisco on Tuesday, June 3, 1952, for the purpose of submitting to the voters of the City and County of San Francisco a proposition to incur a bonded debt of the City and County to the amount of \$3,500,000, for the acquisition, construction and completion by the City and County of San Francisco of the following municipal improvement, to-wit: The acquisition of lands and the improvement thereof by the construction of firehouses thereon and the reconstruction of existing firehouses, and all other

works, properties or structures necessary or convenient for the construction and reconstruction of firehouses, all within the City and County of San Francisco, and that the estimated cost to the City and County of San Francisco of said municipal improvement is and will be too great to be paid out of the ordinary annual income and revenue of the City and County of San Francisco; all in order to do and perform any and all of the matters hereinabove referred to for the acquisition, construction, completion and reconstruction of firehouses within the City and County, together with their appurtenances; providing payment of interest of said bonds and the levy and collection of taxes to pay both principal and interest thereof and prescribing notice to be given of such election.

#### Discussion.

Supervisor Christopher asserted that he did not believe it sound to permit the submission of the foregoing bond issue on the June 3 special election because at that time the people are being asked to approve a Charter amendment establishing a basis for compensating policemen and firemen, and the submission of such bond issue might jeopardize passage of the Charter amendment.

#### Privilege of the Floor.

The privilege of the floor was accorded Edward P. Walsh, Chief Engineer of the Fire Department, who reminded the Board that many of the present firehouses are in a very sorry state and in case of a catastrophe, they would prove to be death traps. He thereupon reiterated his request that the bond issue be submitted to the electorate at the June 3 election.

Supervisor Mancuso shared the opinion expressed by Supervisor Christopher and added that he believed the matter could be submitted at the November election.

#### Motion to Re-refer.

Supervisor Christopher thereupon moved, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, that the foregoing measure be re-referred to the Finance Committee.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Noes: Supervisors Lewis, McMurray—2.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, MacPhce—2.

#### Passage for Second Reading.

**Fixing Schedules of Compensation, Effective July 1, 1952, to Be Paid Certain Employees Subject to Provisions of Section 151.3 of the Charter.**

File No. 8865, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

An ordinance fixing and determining schedules of compensation to be paid certain employees of the City and County of San Francisco and employees of the San Francisco Unified School District, allocated to classifications specified herein, compensations for which are subject to the provisions of Section 151.3 of the Charter, and fixing schedules of compensation for sub-foreman, foreman, and general foreman of such crafts, and fixing schedules of compensation for classifications for which schedules of compensations are based upon schedules established in collective bargaining agreements as described in Section 151.3 of the Charter; providing that said schedules of compensations shall be effective beginning July 1, 1952.

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, MacPhee—2.

**Appropriating \$15,000, deYoung Memorial Museum, for Exhibition of Select Masterpieces of Greek Sculptures and Other Works of Art.**

File No. 8870, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, MacPhee—2.

#### Final Passage.

**Appropriating \$8,500, Sheriff, for Temporary Salaries; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 8855, Ordinance No. 7262 (Series of 1939).

Sheriff Dan Gallagher explained the necessity for the foregoing appropriation.

The roll was thereupon called and the measure *finally passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, MacPhee—2.

#### Final Passage as Amended.

The following measure from Finance Committee, with recommendation "do pass" after amendment, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

**Appropriating \$17,600, Public Health, Hassler Health Home, for Overtime, Temporary Salaries, Contractual Services, Materials and Supplies; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 8835, Ordinance No. 7261 (Series of 1939).

(Allowance for Overtime . . . . .)	\$ 500
Temporary Salaries . . . . .	800
Contractual Services . . . . .	3,600
Materials and Supplies . . . . .	2,500
Foodstuffs . . . . .	8,000
Maintenance and Repair of Automotive Equipment . . . . .	400
Telephone and Telegraph . . . . .	300
Canned Goods and Dried Fruits . . . . .	1,000
Light, Heat and Power . . . . .	500)

(Proposed amendment is as follows:

Delete sum of \$3,600 allocated for contractual services, and reduce total appropriation from \$17,600 to \$14,000.)

#### Discussion.

The Chief Administrative Officer supplied the members of the Board with additional information relating to the necessity of approving the requested appropriation of \$17,600 in its entirety.

#### Motion to "Pass as Recommended."

Supervisor Arnold moved that the foregoing measure be finally passed as recommended, i.e., delete the sum of \$3,600 allocated for Contractual Services, and reduce the appropriation from \$17,600 to \$14,000.

Motion lost for want of a second.

**Motion to Amend.**

Supervisor McCarty moved that the sum of \$3,600 allocated for Contractual Services be reduced to \$3,080, thus effecting a reduction in the requested appropriation from \$17,600 to \$17,080. Motion seconded by Supervisor Christopher and carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

No: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, MacPhee—2.

The roll was thereupon called on the measure, as amended, and it was *finally passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, MacPhee—2.

**Adopted.**

The following measures from Finance Committee, without recommendation, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

**Approving Amendatory Contract Amending Contract for an Advance of Funds Between the Redevelopment Agency of the City and County of San Francisco and the Housing and Home Finance Agency of the United States.**

File No. 8849-1, Resolution No. 12160 (Series of 1939).

**Communication.**

The Clerk presented a communication from the Redevelopment Agency submitting additional data in connection with its request for approval of the foregoing measure.

**Discussion.**

Supervisor Christopher stated he disliked approving expenditure of funds on projects which, up to the present moment, have shown no tangible results. He felt that the Redevelopment Agency should not follow its present policy of jumping from project to project but that it should pursue a policy of adopting, say, two projects and not proceed to others until they have been completed.

**Privilege of the Floor.**

The privilege of the floor was extended to Mr. James E. Lash, Director of the Redevelopment Agency, who stated that unless the foregoing measure was approved, he would not be able to meet the April 15 payroll.

Supervisor Mancuso asked when work is expected to begin in the Western Addition, and Mr. Lash replied that it would take about two more years before the work of purchasing the property and tearing it down would start.

Mr. Lash suggested that the members of the Board visit his office for the purpose of acquainting themselves with the magnitude of the duties of his office and the requirements imposed by state law.

Supervisor Arnold asked Mr. Lash if approval of the subject measure as well as the measure approving Requisition No. 7 and Certificate of Purposes, appearing next on the calendar, would obligate the Board in any way. Mr. Lash replied in the negative.

**Request for Detailed Statement.**

Supervisor Christopher requested that he be furnished with a detailed analysis of moneys spent on redevelopment projects other

than Diamond Heights and the Western Addition. Mr. Lash stated that he would be happy to supply the Supervisor with the information desired.

### Roll Call.

Thereupon the roll was called and the foregoing measure was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

No: Supervisor McMurray—1.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, MacPhee—2.

Approving Requisition No. 7 and Certificate of Purposes in Support Therefor, for an Advance of Funds to the Redevelopment Agency of the City and County of San Francisco by the Housing and Home Finance Agency of the United States for the Period Commencing April 1, 1952, and Ending June 30, 1952.

File No. 8449-2, Resolution No. 12161 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, MacPhee—2.

### SPECIAL ORDER—3:00 P. M.

#### Consideration Continued.

Hearing from Representatives of the Public Utilities Commission as to Steps Being Taken to Comply With the Provisions of Section 130 of the Charter, Relating to Fare Structure and Operating Costs of the Municipal Railway.

February 11, 1952. Consideration continued to April 7, 1952.

#### Communication Read.

The Clerk read a communication from the Manager of Utilities, requesting that consideration of the foregoing matter be continued until a future date.

Thereupon Supervisor Mancuso moved, seconded by Supervisor Christopher, that consideration of the foregoing matter be continued for a period of two weeks.

No objection and motion *carried*.

#### Adopted.

The following recommendations of Police Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors McMurray, Ferdon.

Adding Portions of Funston Avenue, Nido, Ellis and Baker Streets to List of Streets on Which Parking Is Restricted to Two Hours Between 7 A. M. and 6 P. M., Sundays and Holidays Excepted.

File No. 8614, Resolution No. 12144 (Series of 1939).

(Funston Avenue, north of Lake Street;

Nido Street between Vega and Turk Streets;

Ellis Street, between Anza Vista and Baker Streets;

Baker Street, between Anza Vista and Ellis Streets.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, MacPhee, Sullivan—3.

**Designating Certain Intersections as "Stop" Intersections.**

File No. 8632-1, Resolution No. 12145 (Series of 1939).

(Lake Street and Twenty-fifth Avenue, north and southeast corners;

Center Island on Bayshore Boulevard opposite Tunnel Avenue, southerly end.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, MacPhee, Sullivan—3.

**Designating Certain Intersections as "Stop" Intersections.**

File No. 8662, Resolution No. 12147 (Series of 1939).

(Fifteenth and Folsom Streets, all four intersections;

Greenwich and Laguna Streets, northwest and southwest corners.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, MacPhee, Sullivan—3.

**Deleting Iron Alley Between Corbett Avenue and Graystone Terrace from List of One-Way Streets, All Times.**

File No. 8665, Resolution No. 12149 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, MacPhee, Sullivan—3.

**Designating Guerrero Street, from the Northerly Line of Duboce Avenue to the Southerly Line of Twenty-eighth Street, as a "Through Highway."**

File No. 8684, Resolution No. 12150 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, MacPhee, Sullivan—3.

**Adding Spear Street, West Side, Between Mission and Howard Streets, to List of Streets on Which Parking Is Prohibited Between 6 P. M. and 7 A. M., at All Times.**

File No. 8739, Resolution No. 12151 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, MacPhee, Sullivan—3.

**Designating and Rescinding Designation of Certain "Stop" Intersections.**

File No. 8734, Resolution No. 12152 (Series of 1939).

(Add:

Broad Street and Plymouth Avenue, northwest and southeast corners.

Delete:

Golden Gate Avenue and Larkin Street, southwest and northwest corners.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, MacPhee, Sullivan—3.

**Adding Taylor Street, West Side, Between Vallejo Street and Broadway, to List of Streets on Which Parking Is Prohibited Day or Night.**

File No. 8818, Resolution No. 12153 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, MacPhee, Sullivan—3.

**Approving Angle Parking on the East Side of Taylor Street Between Broadway and Vallejo Street.**

File No. 8821, Resolution No. 12155 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, MacPhee, Sullivan—3.

**Adding Certain Intersections to List of Street Intersections from Which Left-Hand Turns Are Prohibited at Specified Hours, Sundays and Holidays Excepted, and Authorizing Inclusion of Street Intersections Designated in Resolution No. 10986 (Series of 1939) in Said List.**

File No. 8819, Resolution No. 12154 (Series of 1939).

(7 a. m. to 9 a. m.:

Third Street, between Sixteenth and Davidson Streets;

Third Street, between Galvez and Le Conte Avenues.

4 p. m. to 6 p. m.:

Third Street, between Sixteenth and Davidson Streets;

Third Street, between Galvez and Le Conte Avenues.

Intersection along Lombard Street, between Van Ness Avenue and Broderick Street, pursuant to Resolution No. 10986 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, MacPhee—2.

**Repealing Resolution No. 12053 (Series of 1939) Entitled: "Deleting Portions of Hyde and Bush Streets from List of Streets on Which Parking Is Restricted to 60 Minutes During Specified Hours, Sundays and Holidays Excepted."**

File No. 8659-I, Resolution No. 12146 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, MacPhee—2.

**Deleting Portion of Bush Street from, and Adding Portion of Said Street to, List of Streets on Which Parking Is Restricted to Two Hours During Specified Hours, Sundays and Holidays Excepted.**

File No. 8664-1, Resolution No. 12148 (Series of 1939).

(Delete: 7 a. m. to 6 p. m.:

Bush Street, north side, between Larkin and Leavenworth Streets.

Add: 9 a. m. to 6 p. m.:

Bush Street, north side, between Larkin and Leavenworth Streets.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, Maneuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, MacPhee—2.

**Re-reference to Committee.**

**Amending Section 122 of the Traffic Code Relating to the Passing of Safety Zones Established at Certain Car Stops on Market Street, by Reducing the Hours During Which It Shall Be Unlawful to Drive Any Vehicle to the Left of Such Safety Zones.**

File No. 8820, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(Hours were previously 7 a. m. to midnight. The proposed period is from 7 a. m. to 7 p. m. Applies to Market Street from The Embarcadero to Van Ness Avenue and on the north side of Market Street to its intersection with Duboce Avenue.)

**Amendment.**

Supervisor Lewis moved that Section 122 of the Traffic Code, relating to the passing of safety zones, be deleted, to permit vehicular traffic to use the roadway to the left of such safety zones. Motion seconded by Supervisor Mancuso.

**Substitute Motion.**

Supervisor Christopher moved, as a substitute, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, that the foregoing proposed amendment be referred to the Police Committee.

There being no objection, Supervisor Christopher withdrew his substitute motion.

**Re-referred to Police Committee.**

Supervisor Arnold moved, as a substitute, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, that the foregoing measure, together with Supervisor Lewis' proposed amendment relating to the deletion of Section 122 of the Traffic Code, be re-referred to Committee.

No objection and motion *carried*.

*Re-referred to Police Committee.*

**Passage for Second Reading.**

The following recommendations of Public Utilities Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors McCarty, Christopher, Sullivan.

**Declaring Intention to Order the Vacation of Public Service Easements in Block 7240-A and Block 7241, Located in the Vicinity of Holloway Avenue and Junipero Serra Boulevard.**

File No. 8029-1, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(Not in conflict with the Master Plan.)



*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, MacPhee—2.

**Declaring Intention to Order the Vacation of Portion of Public Service Easement Located Between Lots 2 and 3, Block 2816, on Ventura Avenue, Forest Hill Court.**

File No. 8089-1, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Not in conflict with the Master Plan.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, MacPhee—2.

#### **Reference to Committee.**

The following recommendations of Public Buildings, Lands and City Planning Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Mancuso, Lewis.

**Declaring It to Be the Policy of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco That the Recreation and Park Commission Shall Make Application to the Regional Director of the National Park Service of the Federal Government for the Acquisition of Angel Island Under a Special Use Permit for the Purpose of Ascertaining Whether Public Usage Demands the Acquisition of Angel Island and Whether or not a Financially Responsible Concessionaire Can Be Obtained to Operate Said Island.**

File No. 7660, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

#### **Motion to Re-refer.**

Supervisor Ferdon moved that the foregoing measure be re-referred to committee so that certain interested parties who did not have the opportunity of appearing before committee, may do so. Motion seconded by Supervisor Sullivan.

#### **Discussion.**

Supervisor Mancuso informed the Board that the House of Representatives had already passed H.R. 3166, which provided that Angel Island may be sold to private enterprise, and if the Senate passes the measure the opportunity for San Francisco to obtain the island for recreational purposes will be lost.

Supervisor Ferdon stated he could not see why private enterprise should be precluded from purchasing the island and that he did not believe a delay would preclude the city from acquiring the island if it thought it feasible so to do.

Supervisor Lewis spoke in favor of the measure.

Supervisor Christopher felt that to adopt the measure would commit the Board to very sizeable expenditures, and before voting on it he wanted to get a complete picture from the Chief Administrative Officer and from the Recreation and Park Commission.

#### **Privilege of the Floor.**

The privilege of the floor was extended to Louis Sutter of the Recreation and Park Commission, who stated that it was not the intention of his Commission to take over Angel Island permanently for the purpose of maintaining it, at city's expense, as a recreational area, but it did approve of a one-year's trial period and a budgetary

item of \$18,000 for custodial care of the island, and during the interim efforts would be made to obtain a concessionaire who would be willing to run the island, the city to be reimbursed and absolved from any and all expense in connection with the maintenance of said island, and at the same time, the moneys received from the concessionaire would be applied toward the purchase price of some \$190,000.

The Chief Administrative Officer stated it would be necessary to spend some \$300,000 for the installation of a sewage treatment plant and other facilities; about \$80,000 a year to maintain fire department facilities, and additional expense to put the buildings into proper shape. The Board should give the matter very, very careful thought before any policy is adopted.

#### Reference to Committee.

Supervisor Mancuso stated that he believed that no good could come of the matter again being referred to the Public Buildings, Lands and City Planning Committee, and suggested that it be referred to another committee. He accordingly moved reference of the pending measure to the Education, Parks and Recreation Committee. Motion seconded by Supervisor Christopher and carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, MacPhee—2.

#### Suggesting That Federal Authorities Be Petitioned to Delay Action on Legislation Permitting Private Enterprise Opportunity of Acquiring Angel Island.

Supervisor Mancuso requested that the Clerk of the Board, on behalf of the Board, address a communication to the California Senators in Congress, petitioning them to lend their efforts in delaying action on pending legislation which would permit acquisition of Angel Island by private interests, so that such delay may permit of additional study by the City and County of San Francisco as to the feasibility and advisability of acquiring Angel Island for recreational purposes.

The Clerk was instructed to put the foregoing request into the form of a resolution which would be presented under Roll Call.

#### Consideration Continued.

Designating and Describing, Within the City and County of San Francisco, a Redevelopment Area as Defined and Pursuant to the Community Redevelopment Act of California, to Be Known as Redevelopment Area "C" (John McLaren Park).

File No. 8445, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

(Proposed boundaries generally are as follows: On the north, Brussels, Olmstead, Goettingen, Mansell, Ward Streets and Wilde Avenue; on the east, Teddy Avenue, Rutland Street, Harkness Avenue, Delta Street, Wilde and Raymond Avenues, Elliott Street, Leland Avenue, Hahn Street, Visitation Avenue; on the south, Spreckels and Harvard Streets; on the west, Burrows, Cambridge, Amherst, Wayland, University, Dwight, Hamilton and Woolsey Streets.)

February 11, 1952—Re-referred to Committee.

Supervisor Christopher moved, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, that consideration of the foregoing measure be continued for one week.

No objection and motion carried.

**Reference to Finance Committee.**

The following emergency measures, appearing on the Board's supplemental calendar, were taken up:

(Note: In each of the following instances, Supervisor Christopher moved, seconded by Supervisor Arnold, that the measure be referred to the Finance Committee. No objection and motion carried.)

**Appropriating \$22,136.30, Public Utilities, Municipal Railway, from Emergency Reserve Fund for Overtime, Holiday Allowance, Temporary Salaries, Retirement Allowance, and Social Security; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 8853, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Overtime	\$16,503.84
Holiday Allowance	537.24
Temporary Salaries	3,097.50
Retirement Allowance	1,732.70
Social Security	275.02)

(To provide funds for the purpose of drafting new schedules on an 8-hour within 10-hour basis Municipal Railway and to comply with Superior Court Order No. 414943, dated March 12, 1952.)

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

**Appropriating \$12,000, Municipal Court, from Emergency Reserve Fund, for Court Reporters' Transcriptions and Services of Other Departments; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 8873, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Court Reporters' Transcriptions	\$5,000
Services Other Departments—Purchasing for Tabulating Services	7,000)

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

**Appropriating \$10,000, Fire Department, for Maintenance and Repair of Fire Apparatus, Fire Boats, Pumping Stations, and the High Pressure System; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 8874, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

**Appropriating \$6,000, Public Works, Bureau of Sewer Repair, from the Emergency Reserve Fund, for the Purchase of Materials and Supplies; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 8881, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Heavy storms have depleted the appropriation and in order to prevent a shut down the above funds are required.)

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

**Appropriating \$4,870, Public Health, Central Office, for Contractual Services, Allowance for Use of Employees' Cars—City Physicians, and for Materials and Supplies for Plumbing Inspection; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 8854, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

## OFF-CALENDAR LEGISLATION.

The following recommendation of his Honor the Mayor was presented by the Clerk:

Adopted.

Leave of Absence—Honorable Dewey Mead, President, Board of Supervisors, for Period April 10-13, 1952, With Permission to Leave the State.

File No. 7823, Resolution No. 12142 (Series of 1939).

Motion to Adopt.

Supervisor Christopher moved the adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor Arnold.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, MacPhee—2.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF MEASURES AND COMMUNICATIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

References to Committee.

Providing for Necessary Support and Maintenance of Wards of the Juvenile Court; Establishing Maximum Rates Therefor, and Repealing Ordinance No. 5567 (Series of 1939).

Supervisor Arnold presented:

File No. 8884, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

Authorizing Dismissal of Appeal, and Compromise and Settlement of Superior Court Judgment Directing That Position of General Clerk Held by George F. McCormick Be Reclassified to Special Collector.

Supervisor Arnold presented:

File No. 8875, Ordinance No. . . (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

Adopted.

The following recommendations of the Finance Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

Establishing Policy to Make Certain Funds Available for Civil Defense on a Matching Basis in Conjunction With the State of California.

File No. 8890, Resolution No. 12139 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

Authorizing Use of Funds Appropriated to Civilian Defense on a Matching Basis With the State of California and the Federal Government.

File No. 8891, Resolution No. 12140 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Fernon, Mannus, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee—3

Reference to Committee

Appropriating \$5,400, City Attorney, for Travel and Litigation Expenses  
an Emergency Measure

Supervisor Arnold presented

File No. 3890 Ordinance No.                      Series of 1935

Referred to Finance Committee

Poll of Members to Amend Function Given by Municipal Employees  
Executives Association

The Clerk polled the members of the Board with respect to attendance at function to be given by the Municipal Employees Executives Association on May 14. Supervisors Arnold, aye; Christopher, will try; Fernon, aye; Lewis, absent; Mannus, no; McCarty, aye; McMurray, aye; Mead, aye; Sullivan, no.

Adopted

Commending Messrs. Braeske, Dahline, Day, and Paulson for Courage  
Displayed in Rescuing Mrs. Clarence Wahlquist, a Seriously-ill Person,  
Who Was Marooned in the Rough and Dangerous Sierra Nevada  
Mountains

Supervisors Christopher presented

File No. 3885 Resolution No. 11761 Series of 1935

Motion to Adopt

Supervisor Christopher moved adoption of the foregoing measure  
motion seconded by Supervisor Sullivan.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Fernon, Lewis, Mannus,  
McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, MacPhee—2

Adopted

Commending Pierre Monteux for Services Rendered the City and  
County of San Francisco as Permanent Conductor of the San Francisco  
Symphony Orchestra

Jointly presented by all members of the Board.

File No. 3886 Resolution No. 11760 Series of 1935

Motion to Adopt

Supervisors Christopher moved adoption of the foregoing measure  
motion seconded by Supervisor McMurray

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Fernon, Lewis, Mannus,  
McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, MacPhee—2

Communication Relative to Dub-Rail System of Overhead  
Transportation.

Supervisor Christopher presented a communication from Arthur  
A. Johannes, Chief Clerk, California Assembly, enclosing copy of

House Resolution No. 49, relating to duo-rail overhead system of transportation.

The Clerk was directed to acknowledge the communication and the President thereupon *referred the measure to the Public Utilities Committee.*

**Request of Supervisor Christopher Concerning Meeting of Interested City Officials on Determination of Policy Affecting Second Bay Crossing.**

Supervisor Christopher requested that the Clerk forward a communication to the Mayor, suggesting that he call a meeting of the members of the California delegation at Sacramento, the Legislative Representative and the members of the Board of Supervisors for the purpose of adopting a firm and unyielding stand with respect to San Francisco's policy affecting location of the approaches to a second bay crossing.

**Adopted.**

**Authorizing Alphabetical Designations of Charter Amendment Propositions for the June 3, 1952, Election, and Designating the Fire and Police Departments' Charter Amendment Relating to Method of Standardization of Salaries, as Proposition "A".**

Supervisor Ferdon presented:

File No. 8887, Resolution No. 12164 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Ferdon moved adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor Arnold.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, MacPhee—2.

**Board to Caucus on Budget of Municipal Government Survey Advisory Committee.**

Supervisor Mancuso moved, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, that the Board caucus on Monday, April 14, 1952, at 1:30 p. m. to consider the 1952-53 budgetary requirements of the Municipal Government Survey Advisory Committee.

**Reference to Committee.**

**Urging Postponement of Federal Legislation Which Would Permit Sale of Angel Island to Private Enterprise.**

Supervisor Mancuso presented:

File No. 8888, Resolution No. . . . . (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Education, Parks and Recreation Committee.*

**Authorizing Attendance at Annual Conference of National Association of County Officials.**

Supervisor Mancuso moved, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, that the President of the Board be authorized and directed to appoint three members to represent the Board at the annual conference of the National Association of County Officials to be held in San Antonio, Texas, during period June 15-18, 1952.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisor Arnold, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Noes: Supervisors Christopher, Ferdon—2.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, MacPhee—2.

**Adopted.**

**Requesting Recreation and Park Commission to Consider Ways and Means of Providing a Fairyland in San Francisco.**

Supervisor McCarty presented:

File No. 8889, Resolution No. 12165 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor McCarty moved adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor Ferdon.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, MacPhee—2.

**Adopted.**

**Urging Secretary of Navy to Arrange for Participation of Naval Vessel in San Francisco's Observance of Memorial Day.**

Supervisor Sullivan presented:

File No. 8894, Resolution No. 12166 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Sullivan moved adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor McMurray.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, MacPhee—2.

**ADJOURNMENT.**

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 5:20 p. m., adjourned.

JOHN R. McGRATH, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors April 28, 1952.

I, John R. McGrath, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the date hereon stated and approved as recited.

JOHN R. McGRATH,  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.





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# JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MONDAY, APRIL 14, 1952—2:00 P. M.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, April 14, 1952,  
2:00 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

## CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Dobbs—1.

Quorum present.

President Dewey Mead presiding.

Supervisor Dobbs absent due to illness.

Supervisor Lewis excused at 5:00 p. m.

## Communications.

### Setting of Special Order.

The Clerk read a communication from the Manager of Utilities, submitting revised schedule of rates and fares proposed to be charged by the Municipal Railway.

### Motion to Refer to Committee.

Supervisor Christopher moved reference of the foregoing measure to the Public Utilities Committee. Motion seconded by Supervisor Ferdon.

Supervisor Mancuso suggested that when the Committee next meets it request an opinion from the City Attorney as to the number of votes required to approve the measure.

### Motion to Withdraw.

There being no objection, Supervisor Christopher withdrew his motion.

### Motion Setting Special Order.

Supervisor Mancuso moved that the Board consider the foregoing measure as a Special Order, Monday, April 21st, at 4:00 p. m., sitting as a Committee of the Whole.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, MacPhee—2.

## Communications (Continued).

From Mrs. May Cardwell and M. J. Ward, opposing proposed increase in Municipal Railway fares.

Ordered filed.

From George Moscome, suggesting that the Municipal Railway be leased to private interests.

*Ordered filed.*

From the Redevelopment Agency, copy of letter addressed to Supervisor Christopher, supplying information requested in connection with expenditure of federal funds for redevelopment studies in the John McLaren Park and South of Market Street areas.

*Copy furnished Supervisor Christopher; ordered filed.*

From the City Attorney, copy of opinion in connection with information desired by Supervisor MacPhee, regarding the validity of purchasing tax-deeded property by the city and county at public auction.

*Copy furnished Supervisor MacPhee; ordered filed.*

From the Director of Property, submitting data on proposed ordinance providing for the temporary leasing of certain city-owned property for parking purposes, located east of St. Mary's Square.

*Considered along with calendar item; ordered filed.*

From Roy Fellom, Jr., expressing views with respect to the proposed redevelopment of the Diamond Heights area.

*Ordered filed:* alternate plan contained in communication to be sent to Redevelopment Agency and City Planning Commission for study and report.

From Council for Civic Unity, urging that Diamond Heights Project be expedited as soon as possible.

*Ordered filed.*

From interested citizens, endorsing stand of Diamond Heights Property Owners' Association which purports to embrace an alternative plan for the redevelopment of the Diamond Heights area.

*Ordered filed.*

From Jack H. Merchick, attorney, representing the Diamond Heights Property Owners' Association, submitting alternate plan for the Tentative Plan for the redevelopment of the Diamond Heights area.

*To be referred to the Redevelopment Agency and City Planning Commission for study and report.*

#### Consideration of Legislation Out of Order.

##### Suspension of Rules.

Supervisor Lewis moved, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, that the rules be suspended for the purpose of considering the following recommendation of Finance Committee out of order.

No objection and motion *carried*.

##### Passage for Second Reading.

Providing for Necessary Support and Maintenance of Wards of the Juvenile Court; Establishing Maximum Rates Therefor, and Repealing Ordinance No. 5567 (Series of 1939).

File No. 3884, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(Present rate for normal case . . . . .)	\$62.50
Proposed rate for all types of cases . . . . .	72.50)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

No: Supervisor McMurray—1.

Absent: Supervisor Dobbs—1.

### Motion to Rescind.

Supervisor MacPhee moved, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, that the Board rescind its action whereby it had passed the foregoing measure for second reading.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—7.

Noes: Supervisors Ferdon, McCarty, Mead—3.

Absent: Supervisor Dobbs—1.

### Privilege of the Floor.

The privilege of the floor was extended to Father Flanagan, who explained the necessity for adequately caring for the wards of the Court.

Judge Milton D. Sapiro, Judge of the Juvenile Court, likewise urged the passage of the measure.

The roll was thereupon called and the measure was passed for second reading by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Dobbs—1.

### Rehabilitation of Palace of Fine Arts.

#### Suspension of Rules.

Supervisor Lewis moved the suspension of the rules for the purpose of hearing from a representative of the Marina Merchants Association on the matter of rehabilitating the Palace of Fine Arts. Motion seconded by Supervisor Sullivan.

No objection and motion carried.

### Privilege of the Floor.

The privilege of the floor was extended to Thomas D. Spears, representing the Marina Merchants Association, who informed the Board that if a committee were appointed by the city, certain contractors and labor men would be willing to rehabilitate the Palace of Fine Arts without cost to the city.

Supervisor Arnold asked Deputy City Attorney Walker Peddicord if the city could, in any manner, be responsible for the work or for any expenses attached to the work, if such expenses were incurred and payment not made by the committee proposed to be formed.

Mr. Peddicord replied to the effect that the work on city property must be performed according to procedure established by local laws, and that the proposed committee could only act in an advisory capacity and could not exercise any powers belonging to the municipality.

Supervisor Arnold inquired if the city would be liable in the event a person or persons were injured during the work of rehabilitation. Mr. Peddicord replied that if permission were granted to do the work, the question of indemnification would have to be taken care of.

Supervisor Arnold asked if the cost of preparing plans and specifications would be borne by the city, to which Supervisor Lewis replied that there would be absolutely no cost to the city.

Supervisor Mancuso suggested that the matter be referred to committee for complete study.

Supervisor MacPhee stated that he believed that those who have indicated their intention to rehabilitate the Palace of Fine Arts without cost to the city should be highly commended; however, he felt that the measure should first be heard in committee.

#### Resolution Presented.

Supervisor Lewis presented the following measure:

**Requesting Mayor to Appoint Citizens' Committee to Assist in the Preparation of Plans and Specifications for the Rehabilitation of the Palace of Fine Arts, Without Cost to the City.**

File No. 8922, Resolution No. . . . (Series of 1939).

Supervisor Lewis moved adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor Sullivan.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Dobbs—1.

#### Suspension of Rules.

Supervisor Christopher moved the suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the foregoing recommendation of the Finance Committee, Supervisor Christopher dissenting, out of order. Motion seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, and there being no objection, motion *carried*.

**Providing for the Temporary Leasing of Certain City-Owned Property for Parking Purposes, Located East of St. Mary's Square.**

File No. 8871, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(Bids will be called for on the basis of the tenant's making a minimum of \$8,500 on the property at his own expense, supported by a performance bond; the rental to be \$1.00 for the first month during which month such improvements are to be completed; the rental for the following seven-month period to be a minimum of \$100 per month, with the successful bidder amortizing the cost of said improvements over said period of seven months; commencing with the ninth month, on a month-to-month tenancy, the city to obtain a percentage of the gross revenue with a \$1,000 per month guaranteed minimum.)

#### Privilege of the Floor.

The privilege of the floor was extended to Mr. Albert Jacobs, President of the Parking Authority, who answered questions.

Supervisor Mancuso expressed the opinion that the Parking Authority should operate the property at reasonable rates instead of leasing it to private interests.

#### Amendment.

Supervisor Christopher moved that the explanation above be amended to provide that after the following language: ". . . a minimum of . . ." add the following: "Change \$100 to read \$1,000" and continue with ". . . or percentage of the gross, whichever is greater." Motion seconded by Supervisor Arnold.

The Clerk informed the Supervisor that the explanation which he was amending was not actually a part of the measure, but merely an explanation of the purport of said measure, whereupon the Clerk

was directed to place the amendment in its proper place in the measure.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

#### Explanation of Vote.

Supervisor Mancuso stated he was opposed to leasing the property to private interests. It was his understanding and that of the people when voting for the off-street parking bonds, that parking charges would be at reasonable rates. Under the circumstances, he was voting against a blank price.

The roll was thereupon called and the measure, as amended, was passed for second reading by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

No: Supervisor Mancuso—1.

Absent: Supervisor Dobbs—1.

#### Calling Measure from Committee.

After listening to Mr. Leo P. Lee regarding the reception extended by the City of Seattle to home-bound Korean war veterans, and the lack of a proper committee in San Francisco for such a purpose, Supervisor Lewis requested that his resolution, presented by him some time ago respecting the formation of a welcoming committee, and which had been referred to the County, State and National Affairs Committee, be called from said committee for consideration by the Board at its regular meeting scheduled for Monday, April 21, 1952.

No objection and Clerk was directed to place such resolution on the calendar.

#### SPECIAL ORDER—3:00 P. M.

Consideration by the Board of Supervisors, Sitting as a Committee of the Whole, of the Tentative Plan for the Redevelopment of the Diamond Heights Project Area.

File No. 8775

#### Committee of the Whole.

Supervisor Mancuso moved, seconded by Supervisor Lewis, that the Board resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole for the purpose of hearing from interested parties.

No objection and motion carried.

Supervisor Mancuso moved, seconded by Supervisor Lewis, that President Mead be Chairman of the Committee of the Whole

No objection and motion carried.

#### Communications.

The Clerk presented communications from the following: Council for Civic Unity, East and West of Castro Street Improvement Club, Booker T. Washington Community Center, communications from Supervisor Chester R. MacPhee, one addressed to the Board and one addressed to the Redevelopment Agency, San Francisco Planning and Housing Association, copy of letter from the West of Twin Peaks Central Council.

MONDAY, APRIL 14, 1952

The following communications mentioned hereinabove from Supervisor Chester R. MacPhee, were ordered printed in full:

## CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO

## BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

February 26, 1952.

Redevelopment Agency  
City and County of San Francisco  
512 Golden Gate Avenue  
San Francisco, California

Gentlemen:

Section 33236 of the Health and Safety Code of the State of California (Section 24 of the Community Redevelopment Act), reads as follows:

"No agency or community officer or employee who in the course of his duties is required to participate in the formulation of or to approve plans or policies for the redevelopment of a project area shall acquire any interest in any property included within a project area within the community. If any such officer or employee owns or has any direct or indirect financial interest in such property, he shall immediately make a written disclosure of it to the agency and the legislative body which shall be entered on their minutes. Failure to so disclose constitutes misconduct in office."

Pursuant thereto, you are hereby notified that I, as a real estate agent, broker and dealer in the City and County of San Francisco, and as owner of a controlling interest in the real estate firm of MacPhee Realty have both direct and indirect financial interests in numerous parcels of real property which are included within the redevelopment project areas and the contemplated redevelopment project areas designated as Western Addition, Diamond Heights, McLaren/Candlestick and South of Market.

The nature of my interests in said property is as follows: Agencies relating to the collection of rents, management of properties, maintenance of premises, leasing of premises, and the normal activities of the real estate business in which I am engaged; ownership, both legal and equitable, of estates in real property, improved and unimproved, both in fee and of lesser estates, including such ownership acquired for security purposes as well as for resale in the ordinary course of business.

Due to the complexity and large number of my interests in real property throughout the City and County of San Francisco, including those within the areas in question, it is not practical for me to submit a detailed list thereof. Full details as to any particular parcels in which I have an interest, or as to such parcels in any particular area or part thereof, will be furnished upon request.

Should the Agency or the Legislative Body deem the disclosure herein made insufficient to comply with the requirements of said Section 33236, Health and Safety Code, I shall furnish additional data upon request therefor.

Yours very truly,

CHESTER R. MACPHEE, Supervisor

CC: Board of Supervisors.



January 21, 1952.

Board of Supervisors  
City Hall  
San Francisco, California

Gentlemen:

Section 33236 of the Community Redevelopment Law provides among other considerations that any community officer or employee owning land in the area of redevelopment must make a written disclosure of the same to the agency and the legislative body. While the act is not clear as to exactly when, during the various steps such information must be provided, I wish at this time, to record the following facts for the information of the Redevelopment Agency and the Board of Supervisors:

On or about 9 years ago a vacant lot at 276 Bemis Street was acquired by myself. About 8 months ago we moved a small home onto the lot and subsequently sold the property to Arthur Reade and Elgie A. Reade, who executed loans on the property in connection with the purchase thereof. About 2 months ago serious landslide smashed into the rear of the property causing considerable damage. As a result therefor, our firm, on behalf of the mortgage holder, refunded the monies paid in by Mr. and Mrs. Reade and further advanced money to repair the damage to the property. Our firm is interested in No. 276 Bemis to the extent of securing a refund of these advances. No. 276 Bemis Street is apparently on the eastern border of the tentative Diamond Heights Redevelopment Area.

I hold no other property in the area, I have no property on jacks or without a foundation in the area.

As an active realtor in San Francisco, our firm has interests in real property in every section of San Francisco and that interest is transitory in nature. A copy of this letter is being transmitted to the Redevelopment Agency for their records.

Yours very truly,

CHESTER R. MACPHEE.

The foregoing communications were *ordered filed*.

#### Speakers.

Before the first speaker took the floor, Supervisor Sullivan moved a five-minute time limit for each speaker, unless the Board saw fit to extend such time. Motion seconded by Supervisor Arnold, and there being no objection, motion *carried*.

The following persons were accorded the privilege of the floor:

Roy Fellom, Jr., 210 Magellan Avenue, representing the Diamond Heights Property Owners Association and several individual owners.

Irving Eichenberg, representing the Progressive Independent Party.

George Bratt, 216 Bemis Street, member of Diamond Heights Property Owners Association.

Mrs. Andrew Domagala, 888 Duncan Street.

Jack H. Werchick, Attorney-at-Law, representing the Diamond Heights Property Owners Association. Mr. Werchick presented a 9-point alternate plan.

Elsa J. Strait, League of Women Voters.

John J. van Hoff, 1921 Diamond Street.

Doris Silver, 981 Duncan Street.

Louis Jukich, 107 Encline Court, representing Miraloma Park Improvement Club and West of Twin Peaks Central Council.

Mrs. Jacqueline Smith, representing San Francisco Urban League.

John S. Bolles, San Francisco Planning and Housing Association.  
Evelyn La Place, 2476 Twenty-first Avenue, representing the Central Council of Civic Clubs, Parkside District Improvement Club and Parkside Merchants Association.

Charles D. Walker, 1714 Castro Street.

George W. Uri, Jr., 2233 Divisadero, representing the Planning Committee of the San Francisco Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Charles Pope, 360 Pine Street, American Institute of Architects.

Robert J. McKee, President, Glen Park Property Owners' Association and Alemany Council of Improvement Clubs.

A. Lee, 251 Kearny Street, representing Building Industry Conference Board.

Mr. Parr, 100 Scotia Avenue.

William Horstman, 1915 Diamond Street.

Teal Messer, 44 Miguel Street.

Mrs. Freda Swicegood, 1058 Twenty-seventh Street.

#### Motion to Rise and Report.

There being no one else who desired to speak, Supervisor Christopher moved that the Board rise and report. Motion seconded by Supervisor Lewis.

No objection and motion *carried*.

#### Suggestion by Deputy City Attorney.

Deputy City Attorney Walker Peddicord suggested that such alternate plans as have been submitted to the Board today, be referred to the City Planning Commission and Redevelopment Agency for study and report.

There being no objection, the President ordered that such suggestion be carried out.

#### Test Case Urged.

Supervisor Arnold expressed the opinion that before the Board voted on the Tentative Plan, a test case should be made of a portion of the undeveloped property in the area, so that if a decision is rendered against the Redevelopment Agency, such action would preclude the necessity of spending thousands of dollars of city funds for surveys of other areas.

John Barricklo, Attorney for the San Francisco Parking Authority, expressed the opinion that a test case at this time would seriously interfere with plans of both the Redevelopment Agency and the attorneys for the Home Finance Agency in Washington, D. C., and suggested that the Board approve the Tentative Plan when it comes before them in the near future and then a test case could be made of the issue.

Mr. Barricklo further suggested that the alternate plan of Attorney Werchick and others submitted, be referred to the Redevelopment Agency and the City Planning Commission for study and report within 30 days.

*No further action taken.*

#### UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

##### Final Passage.

The following recommendations of Finance Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Gallagher, Arnold.

**Appropriating \$7,600, Superior Court, for Fees for Medical Examiners of Mentally Ill Persons.**

File No. 8771, Ordinance No. 7266 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**Appropriating \$999.76, Police Department, for Retroactive Compensation of Patrolmen Reappointed to the Police Department.**

File No. 8773, Ordinance No. 7267 (Series of 1939).

(For period 1948-1951.)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**Final Passage.**

The following recommendations of Finance Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

**Amending Ordinance No. 6966 (Series of 1939) as Amended, Relating to the Improvement of Portions of Campbell Avenue Between Elliott and Delta Streets, by Increasing Amount of City Aid from \$3,200 to \$3,300.**

File No. 8048-2, Ordinance No. 7265 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**Appropriating \$10,624,046.81, Board of Education, for Expenditures and Certification of Contracts and Related Expenses in Connection With Projects Under the 1948 School Bond Fund.**

File No. 8831, Ordinance No. 7268 (Series of 1939).

(Contingencies and Administrative Costs . . . . .)	\$ 195,546.81
Home School Units . . . . .	192,000.00
Remodeling (Rehabilitation and Modernization) . . . . .	2,000,000.00
Construction Contracts . . . . .	5,781,500.00
Architectural Services and Plans . . . . .	265,000.00
Equipment . . . . .	2,190,000.00

(In conformity with the Master Plan.)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**Adopted.**

The following recommendation of Public Buildings, Lands and City Planning Committee, heretofore considered, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Mancuso, Lewis.

**Designating and Describing, Within the City and County of San Francisco, a Redevelopment Area as Defined in and Pursuant to the Community Redevelopment Act of California, to Be Known as Redevelopment Area "C" (John McLaren Park).**

File No. 8445, Resolution No. 12175 (Series of 1939).

(Proposed boundaries generally are as follows: On the north, Brussels, Olmstead, Goettingen, Mansell, Ward Streets and Wilde Avenue; on the east, Teddy Avenue, Rutland Street, Harkness Avenue, Delta Street, Wilde and Raymond Avenues, Elliott Street, Leland Avenue, Hahn Street, Visitation Avenue; on the south, Spreckels and Harvard Streets; on the west, Burrows, Cambridge, Amherst, Wayland, University, Dwight, Hamilton and Woolsey Streets.)

April 7, 1952—Consideration continued to April 14, 1952.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Lewis, Mancuso—4.

## NEW BUSINESS.

### *Adopted.*

The following recommendations of Finance Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

**Approving Supplemental Recommendations, Public Welfare Department, Relative to Categorical Aids; Letters Dated April 8, 1952.**

File No. 7821, Resolution No. 12170 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, Mancuso—3.

**Authorizing Extension of Granting of Emergency Relief to Dependent Non-Residents for April and May; List Dated April 14, 1952.**

File No. 7822, Resolution No. 12171 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, Mancuso—3.

**Authorizing Attendance of the Superintendent of the North Point Sewage Treatment Plant at the Annual Meeting of the California Sewage Works Association to Be Held at Santa Cruz During Period April 23-26, 1952.**

File No. 8848, Resolution No. 12181 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, Mancuso—3.

**Authorizing Purchase of Real Property from Elizabeth H. Loftus for \$2,500, Required for School Project No. 14.**

File No. 8863, Resolution No. 12183 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Lot 14-C, Block 2336, located on Santiago Street east of Fourteenth Avenue. Size: 50 feet by 100 feet. Vacant.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, Mancuso—3.

Authorizing Purchase of Real Property from Lola May Benzon for \$7,250. Required for School Project No. 32.

File No. 8864, Resolution No. 12184 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Lot 47, Block 706, located on Endicott Park west of Steiner Street. Size: 22 feet by 70 feet. Two-story frame and basement building.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, Mancuso—3.

#### Passage for Second Reading.

Appropriating \$30, Public Works, for Refund of Permit Payment to Cal-Western Realty Company.

File No. 8689, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Through inadvertence, warrant was not presented for payment in time. Statute of Limitations waived by Resolution No. 12036 (Series of 1939).)

Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, Mancuso—3.

#### Consideration Continued.

Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 83.5, Board of Education, Non-Certificated Employees (School Cafeteria), by Deleting One Position of School Cafeteria Helper, Male (Part-Time), at \$1.35 Per Hour, and Adding One Position of School Cafeteria Helper, Male, Same Rate.

File No. 8833, No. (Series of 1939).

(Establishes part-time exempt position and eliminates one civil service part-time position.)

Supervisor MacPhee moved, seconded by Supervisor Arnold, that consideration for the foregoing measure be continued for one week.

No objection and motion carried.

Consideration continued one week.

#### Passage for Second Reading.

Appropriating \$450, City Planning, for New Position of General Clerk-Stenographer; Abolishing Position of General Clerk-Typist.

File No. 8851-1, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(General Clerk-Stenographer	\$225-285 per month
General Clerk-Typist	225-285 per month)

Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 68, City Planning Commission—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 8851-2, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**Appropriating \$1,667, Public Library, for Light, Heat and Power.**

File No. 8852, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**Appropriating \$450, County Clerk, for New Position of General Clerk-Stenographer; Abolishing Position of General Clerk.**

File No. 8872-1, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(General Clerk-Stenographer . . . . .)	\$225-285
General Clerk . . . . .	225-285)

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 34, Department of Finance and Records, County Clerk—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 8872-2, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**Authorizing Dismissal of Appeal, and Compromise and Settlement of Superior Court Judgment Directing That Position of General Clerk Held by George F. McCormick Be Reclassified to Special Collector.**

File No. 8875, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(Position to be reclassified as Special Collector and plaintiff to waive all monetary damages for back pay.)

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**Final Passage.**

**Appropriating \$4,870, Public Health, for Contractual Services, Allowance for Use of Employees' Cars, Materials and Supplies; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 8854, Ordinance No. 7270 (Series of 1939).

(Contractual Services—Central Office, Administration)	\$2,800
Contractual Services (Public Health Assistance Funds)	670
Allowance for Use of Employees' Cars—	
City Physicians . . . . .	700
Materials and Supplies—Plumbing Inspection . . . . .	700)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

Appropriating \$6,000, Public Works, Sewer Repair, from Emergency Reserve Fund, for Materials and Supplies; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 8881, Ordinance No. 7264 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

Appropriating \$5,400, City Attorney, for Travel and Litigation Expenses; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 8892, Ordinance No. 7263 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

#### Final Passage as Amended.

*(Supervisor Christopher dissenting.)*

Appropriating \$22,136.30, Municipal Railway, from Emergency Reserve Fund, for Overtime, Holiday Allowance, Temporary Salaries, Retirement Allowance, Social Security; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 8853, Ordinance No. 7269 (Series of 1939).

(Overtime)	\$16,503.84
Holiday Allowance	537.24
Temporary Salaries	3,097.50
Retirement Allowance	1,732.70
Social Security	265.02)

#### Amendment.

Supervisor Arnold moved that the requested appropriation of \$22,136.30 be reduced to \$14,358.60. Motion seconded by Supervisor McCarty, and carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

#### Amendment.

Supervisor Christopher moved, as an amendment, that the sum of \$14,358.60 be reduced to \$5,720.

Motion lost for want of a second.

#### Amendment.

Supervisor Christopher moved that the appropriation of \$14,358.60 be reduced to \$6,880.59. Motion seconded by Supervisor MacPhee.

#### Privilege of the Floor.

There being no objection, the privilege of the floor was extended to Charles T. Wood, representing the Carmen's Union, A. F. of L., and to George Johns, Secretary, San Francisco Labor Council, who urged passage of the appropriation without amendment.

**Substitute Motion Carried.**

The roll was thereupon called on Supervisor Christopher's amendment and it *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, Mead—5.

Noes: Supervisors Arnold, McCarty, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

The roll was thereupon called on the measure, as amended, and it was *finally passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—6.

Noes: Supervisors Arnold, McMurray, Sullivan—3.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**Rescission of Action.**

Supervisor Christopher moved, seconded by Supervisor MacPhee, that the Board rescind its action whereby it had finally passed the foregoing measure.

Motion *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—6.

Noes: Supervisors Arnold, McMurray, Sullivan—3.

Absent: Supervisor Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**Amendment.**

Supervisor Arnold moved that the appropriation be established at \$8,800. Motion seconded by Supervisor Mead.

**Substitute.**

Supervisor Arnold moved as a substitute that the appropriation be established at \$12,358.60. Motion seconded by Supervisor Mead, and *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—5.

Noes: Supervisors Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso—4.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

Thereupon the roll was called on the measure as amended and it was *finally passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—6.

Noes: Supervisors Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee—3.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**Rescission of Action.**

Supervisor McCarty moved, seconded by Supervisor MacPhee, that the Board rescind its action whereby it had finally passed the foregoing measure.

Motion *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**Amendment.**

Supervisor McCarty moved, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, that the appropriation be established at \$9,000.



Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

Thereupon the roll was called and the foregoing measure, as amended, was *finally passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

#### Final Passage as Amended.

The following measure from Finance Committee, with recommendation "do pass" after amendment, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

#### Appropriating \$12,000, Municipal Court, for Reporters' Transcripts and Tabulating Services; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 8873, Ordinance No. 7271 (Series of 1939).

(Court Reporters' Transcriptions	\$5,000
Services of Other Departments .	7,000)

(Proposed amendment is as follows:

Reduce amount allocated to "Services of other departments" from \$7,000 to \$6,500, and reduce total appropriation from \$12,000 to \$11,500.)

#### Amendment.

Supervisor Arnold moved, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, that the foregoing amendment recommended by the Finance Committee be adopted.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

Thereupon the roll was called on the measure as amended, and it was *finally passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

#### Adopted.

The following recommendations of Streets Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Ferdon, McMurray, Sullivan.

#### Authorizing Acceptance of and Dedicating Certain Land for Street Purposes, to Be Known as Raleigh Street.

File No. 6487, Resolution No. 12167 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**Declaring Intention to Order the Vacation of a Portion of the Easterly Side of Locksley Avenue North of Moraga Street.**

File No. 6546-1, Resolution No. 12168 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**Declaring Intention to Order the Vacation of a Portion of Wattson Place Between Ruth and Leo Streets.**

File No. 7032-1, Resolution No. 12169 (Series of 1939).

(Not in conflict with the Master Plan.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**Ordering the Vacation of a Portion of Baldwin Court from Folsom Street Northerly to Its Termination.**

File No. 7925-2, Resolution No. 12174 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**Ordering the Vacation of a Portion of Thirteenth Street Westerly from Harrison Street.**

File No. 8584-2, Resolution No. 12176 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**Authorizing Agreement With the State for Performance of Certain Preliminary Engineering Work in Connection With the Bayshore Freeway.**

File No. 8767, Resolution No. 12178 (Series of 1939).

(Agreement to run from May 1, 1952, to June 30, 1954.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**Granting Revocable Permit to the San Francisco Unified School District to Construct and Maintain a Six-Foot Chain Line Fence and a Five-Foot Brick Wall in the Sidewalk Area on the Northeast Side of Font Boulevard North of Tapia Drive, Remove Parking Strip and Set Straight Curb from Property Line.**

File No. 8791, Resolution No. 12179 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**Granting Revocable Permit to the State Division of Highways to Place and Maintain an Earth Embankment in a Portion of Cosgrove Street.**

File No. 8817, Resolution No. 12180 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**Granting Revocable Permit to Ceco Steel Products Corporation to Occupy a Portion of Visitacion Avenue to the Easterly Termination of Evatt Street, and to Erect a Fence With Gate Across Visitacion Avenue at the Westerly End of the Street Occupancy.**

File No. 8850, Resolution No. 12182 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

#### **Passage for Second Reading.**

**Ordering the Improvement of Ralston Street Between Randolph Street and Worcester Avenue, and of Worcester Avenue Between Ralston and Vernon Streets, and Extending City Aid in Approximate Amount of \$9,500.**

File No. 5285, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

#### **Consideration Continued.**

**Authorizing Exchange of Easements With Pacific Coast Construction Company, Required for Midtown Terrace No. 2 Subdivision.**

File No. 8812, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(Easements are considered to be of equal value. Not in conflict with the Master Plan.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

#### **Rescission of Action.**

Supervisor Ferdon moved, seconded by Supervisor Arnold, that the Board rescind its action whereby the foregoing measure was passed for second reading.

No objection and motion *carried*.

#### **Motion to Defer Consideration.**

Supervisor Ferdon moved, seconded by Supervisor Arnold, that consideration of the foregoing measure be continued for one week to permit Supervisor Arnold to obtain certain information.

No objection and motion *carried*.

*Consideration continued one week.*

**Consideration Continued.**

The following emergency measure, appearing on the Board's supplemental calendar, was taken up:

**Appropriating \$17,900, Public Health, from the Emergency Reserve Fund, for Overtime, Temporary Salaries, Materials and Supplies, Laundry and Meat for Various Institutions; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 8901, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

Supervisor Mancuso moved, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, that the foregoing measure be referred to the Finance Committee.

No objection and *motion carried.*

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

**OFF-CALENDAR LEGISLATION.**

The following recommendation of his Honor the Mayor was presented by the Clerk:

**Adopted.**

**Leave of Absence—Paul Oppermann, Director of Planning, for Period April 23-29, 1952, With Permission to Leave the State.**

File No. 7823, Resolution No. 12172 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Arnold moved adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor Ferdon.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**Poll of Members Re Attendance Meeting of Supervisors' Unit, Redwood Empire Association.**

The Clerk polled the members of the Board with respect to attendance at the meeting of the Redwood Empire Association's Supervisors' Unit to be held at the Hotel Occidental, Santa Rosa, 1:15 p. m. on April 18. Supervisor McMurray expressed a desire to attend, with Supervisor Sullivan uncertain.

**Poll of Members Re Attendance Meeting of Board of Directors, County Supervisors' Association.**

The Clerk polled the members of the Board with respect to attendance at the meeting of the Board of Directors of the County Supervisors' Association to be held on April 18th at Sacramento. None of the members expressed a desire to attend.

**ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF MEASURES AND COMMUNICATIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.**

**Adopted.**

**Authorizing Undersheriff to Attend Annual Convention of the California State Sheriffs' Association to Be Held in San Diego During Period April 16-18, 1952.**

Supervisor Arnold presented:

File No. 8920, Resolution No. 12185 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Arnold moved adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor Ferdon.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**Adopted.**

**Requesting Public Utilities Commission and the Controller to Make Available Certain Information in Connection With the Municipal Railway.**

Supervisor Christopher presented:

File No. 8921, Resolution No. 12186 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Christopher moved adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor MacPhee.

**Explanation of Vote.**

Supervisor Mancuso wanted the record to show that in voting for the foregoing measure, he was not committing himself to turning over the operations of the Municipal Railway to private interests, and that he was 100 per cent supporter of public ownership.

The roll was thereupon called and the foregoing measure was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**Adopted.**

**Authorizing Ballot Argument Favoring Proposition "A", Relating to the Method of Standardizing Compensation of Members of the Police and Fire Departments.**

Supervisor Ferdon presented:

File No. 8691-1, Resolution No. 12177 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Ferdon moved adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor Sullivan.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**Adopted.**

**In Memoriam—Rosemary D. Sears.**

Supervisor Ferdon presented:

File No. 7824, Resolution No. 12173 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Ferdon moved adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor Sullivan.

*Unanimously adopted by rising vote as follows:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**Adopted.****Inviting California State Bowling Association to Hold Its 1953  
Tournament in San Francisco.**

Supervisor Mancuso presented:

File No. 8923, Resolution No. 12187 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Mancuso moved adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor McMurray.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

**Absent:** Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Reference to Committee.**

Supervisor Mancuso presented a communication from the San Francisco Hotel Association, favoring a bond issue for the modernization of the Civic Auditorium.

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

**Adopted.****Requesting Mayor to Appoint Citizens' Committee to Aid in Presentation  
of the "Alert America" Civil Defense Exhibit.**

Supervisor Sullivan presented:

File No. 8924, Resolution No. 12188 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Sullivan moved adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor McMurray.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

**Absent:** Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**ADJOURNMENT.**

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 7:35 p. m., adjourned.

JOHN, R. McGRATH, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors May 19, 1952.

I, John R. McGrath, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the date hereon stated and approved as recited.

JOHN R. McGRATH,  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.







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MONDAY, APRIL 21, 1952—2:00 P. M.

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In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, April 21, 1952,  
2:00 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

## CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors McMurray, Mead—2.

Quorum present.

Supervisor MacPhee, President Pro Tem., presiding. (See below.)

Supervisor McMurray noted present at 2:20 p. m.

Supervisor Mead absent due to illness.

## Appointment of President Pro Tem.

Supervisor Mancuso moved, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, that Supervisor MacPhee be appointed as President Pro Tem.

No objection and motion *carried*.

## Request to Be Excused.

Supervisor Ferdon requested that he be excused at 5:45 p. m. should the meeting extend beyond that time. Accordingly, Supervisor Mancuso moved, seconded by Supervisor Dobbs, that Supervisor Ferdon be so excused.

No objection and motion *carried*.

## Communications.

From the San Francisco Bureau of Governmental Research, urging Board to adopt the 15-cent fare recommended by the Public Utilities Commission and recommending certain economies in government.

*Over one week.*

From Mrs. Rosenthal, suggesting abolition of free passes on the Municipal Railway.

*Over one week.*

From the Mayor, returning disapproved and vetoed, File No. 8922 entitled: "Requesting the Mayor to appoint a Citizens' Committee for the rehabilitation of the Palace of Fine Arts," declaring that such a committee had already been appointed.

*Consideration continued one week.*

From the Mayor, report on 1952-53 budget.

*Copy to each member of Board; referred to Finance Committee.*

From the Public Utilities Commission, reporting on query as to what costs would be imposed on the city as a result of judgment rendered in the "Gowanlock v. Turner" case.

*Copy to Supervisor Christopher; filed.*

From Mrs. Olive B. Reder, expression of appreciation of Board action in adopting a resolution of sympathy at the passing of her husband, Richard I. Reder.

*Ordered filed.*

#### Deferment of 3:00 P. M. Special Order.

Supervisor Christopher moved, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, that consideration of the 3:00 p. m. Special Order, dealing with hearing from Public Utilities Commission representatives as to steps being taken to comply with the provisions of Section 130 of the Charter, respecting the fare structure and operating costs of the Municipal Railway, be deferred until 4:00 p. m.

No objection and motion *carried*.

#### Legislation Considered Out of Order.

##### Suspension of Rules.

Supervisor Arnold moved, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, that the rules be suspended for the purpose of considering the following emergency measure, appearing on the Board's supplemental calendar, out of order.

No objection and motion *carried*.

##### Final Passage.

Appropriating \$6,075, Sheriff, from the Emergency Reserve Fund, for Purchase of Equipment; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 8916, Ordinance No. 7281 (Series of 1939).

##### Privilege of the Floor.

The privilege of the floor was extended to Sheriff Dan Gallagher, who explained the necessity for the funds.

The roll was thereupon called and the measure was *finally passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Mead—1.

##### Suspension of Rules.

Supervisor Arnold moved, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, that the rules be suspended for the purpose of considering the following recommendation of the Finance Committee out of order.

No objection and motion *carried*.

##### Passage for Second Reading.

Appropriating \$25,000, Recreation and Park, for Acquisition of Land Located in Vicinity of Merrie Way, North of Point Lobos Avenue, Required for Shoreline Development.

File No. 8751, Ordinance No. . . (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Lot 7, Bloek 1313, being the Municipal Railway right of way, extending westerly from Forty-eighth and Point Lobos Avenues, and the former Sutrc Terminal parcel acquired by the city from the Market Street Railway.)

**Privilege of the Floor.**

The privilege of the floor was extended to David E. Lewis, General Manager of the Recreation and Park Department, who explained the necessity for the appropriation.

The roll was thereupon called and the foregoing measure was passed for second reading by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Sullivan—10

Absent: Supervisor Mead—1

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS****Passage for Second Reading**

The following recommendation of Finance Committee, heretofore considered, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 83.5, Board of Education, Non-Certificated Employees (School Cafeteria), by Deleting One Position of School Cafeteria Helper, Male (Part-Time) at \$1.35 Per Hour, and Adding One Position of School Cafeteria Helper, Male, Same Rate.**

File No. 8833, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939)

(Establishes part-time exempt position and eliminates one civil service part-time position.)

April 14, 1952—Consideration continued to April 21, 1952.

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, McMurray, Mead—3.

**Final Passage.**

The following recommendations of the Finance Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

**Authorizing Payment of Travel Allowances to Employees Assigned to Duty Outside the City, and Providing for Fixing of Rates Therefor.**

File No. 8786, Ordinance No. 7274 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Mead—1.

**Appropriating \$6,000, Public Library, to Provide Compensation for Librarians and Library Pages.**

File No. 8797, Ordinance, No. 7275 (Series of 1939)

(To accord with provisions of Salary Standardization Ordinance for the fiscal year 1951-52.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mead—2.

**Appropriating \$722.50, Fire Department, for Retroactive Pay Due Employee for Prior Service.**

File No. 8836, Ordinance No. 7276 (Series of 1939).

(City Attorney's Opinion No. 504—retroactive pay period—June 1, 1949, through February 15, 1952.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mead—2.

**Appropriating \$21,128.50, Water Department, for Damage Claims Pursuant to Court Judgment.**

File No. 8840, Ordinance No. 7277 (Series of 1939).

(Damage claim of Henry C. McKenney. Judgment: \$20,528.50, plus interest at 7 per cent from December 5, 1951.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mead—2.

**Appropriating \$20,000, Purchaser, for the Shop Stores Revolving Fund.**

File No. 8843, Ordinance No. 7278 (Series of 1939).

(To return funds borrowed from the Fire Department.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mead—2.

**Fixing Schedules of Compensation, Effective July 1, 1952, to Be Paid Certain Employees Subject to Provisions of Section 151.3 of the Charter.**

File No. 8865, Ordinance No. 7279 (Series of 1939).

(An ordinance fixing and determining schedules of compensation to be paid certain employees of the City and County of San Francisco and employees of the San Francisco Unified School District, allocated to classifications specified herein, compensations for which are subject to the provisions of Section 151.3 of the Charter, and fixing schedules of compensation for sub-foreman, foreman, and general foreman of such crafts, and fixing schedules of compensations for classifications for which schedules of compensations are based upon schedules established in collective bargaining agreements as described in Section 151.3 of the Charter; providing that said schedules of compensations shall be effective beginning July 1, 1952.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mead—2.

**Appropriating \$15,000, deYoung Memorial Museum, for Exhibition of Select Masterpieces of Greek Sculpture and Other Works of Art.**

File No. 8870, Ordinance No. 7280 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mead—2.

**Final Passage.**

The following recommendations of Public Utilities Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors McCarty, Christopher, Sullivan.

**Declaring Intention to Order the Vacation of Public Service Easements in Block 7240-A and Block 7241, Located in the Vicinity of Holloway Avenue and Junipero Serra Boulevard.**

File No. 8029-1, Ordinance No. 7272 (Series of 1939).

(Not in conflict with the Master Plan.)

**Request That Organizations Be Notified.**

Supervisor Mancuso requested that with respect to the hearing of protests, to be held on May 26, 2 p. m., before the Board authorized by the foregoing measure, as well as the next following measure, identified by File No. 8089-1, the Clerk be instructed to so inform the Ingleside Terrace Homes Association and the West of Twin Peaks Central Council

Thereupon the roll was called and the foregoing measure was finally passed by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Sullivan—9

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mead—2

**Declaring Intention to Order the Vacation of Portion of Public Service Easement Located Between Lots 2 and 3, Block 2816, on Ventura Avenue, Forest Hill Court.**

File No. 8089-1, Ordinance No. 7273 (Series of 1939).

(Not in conflict with the Master Plan.)

Finally Passed by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mead—2.

**Passage for Second Reading.**

The following recommendation of Streets Committee, heretofore considered, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Ferdon, McMurray, Sullivan.

**Authorizing Exchange of Easements With Pacific Coast Construction Company, Required for Midtown Terrace No. 2, Subdivision.**

File No. 8812, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Easements are considered to be of equal value. Not in conflict with the Master Plan.)

April 14, 1952—Consideration continued to April 21, 1952.

Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Sullivan—9

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mead—2.

**NEW BUSINESS.****Adopted.**

The following recommendations of Finance Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

**Approving Supplemental Recommendations, Public Welfare Department,  
Relative to Categorical Aids; Letter Dated April 15, 1952.**

File No. 7821, Resolution No. 12189 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mead—2.

**Authorizing Extension of Granting of Emergency Relief to Dependent  
Non-Residents for April and May; List Dated April 21, 1952.**

File No. 7822, Resolution No. 12190 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mead—2.

**Authorizing Adjustment of Inventory, Department of Public Works, to  
Reflect Loss by Fire of Certain Items of Equipment at the Municipal  
Asphalt Plant.**

File No. 8877, Resolution No. 12192 (Series of 1939).

(Desk, glass top, oak chair, costumer, telechron clock,  
swivel chair—Inventory value, \$112.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mead—2.

**Waiving Statute of Limitation and Authorizing Payment of Warrant  
in Sum of \$82.21 to the Standard Oil Company of California.**

File No. 8878, Resolution No. 12193 (Series of 1939).

(Controller's warrant not presented for payment within  
time limit.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mead—2.

**Authorizing Purchase of Certain Real Property from Harry Krieger  
et ux. for \$250, Required for the Widening of Army Street.**

File No. 8883, Resolution No. 12194 (Series of 1939).

(Portion of Lot 1, Block 6574, located at intersection of  
southerly line of Army and Mission Streets—vacant. In con-  
formity with Master Plan.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mead—2.

**Authorizing Attendance of Director of Planning at the Annual Meeting  
of the American Institute of Planners, to Be Held in Baltimore, Mary-  
land, April 24-26, 1952, Inclusive.**

File No. 8895, Resolution No. 12195 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mead—2.



# Fixing Patient-Day Rates for Services by City and County Institutions, and Repealing Resolution No. 11436 (Series of 1939).

File No. 8896, Resolution No. 12196 (Series of 1939).

## (Laguna Honda Home:

Inmates .....	\$ 1.83
Chronic Care—Hospital .....	4.40

## San Francisco Hospital:

Men's Orthopedic .....	10.81
Men's Surgical .....	15.05
Men's Genito-Urinary .....	13.54
Medical .....	10.21
Men's Eye, Ear, Nose, Throat .....	11.89
Women's Gynecology .....	15.26
Women's Surgical and Orthopedic .....	13.02
Psychopathic Wards .....	23.67
Maternity .....	19.53
Isolation .....	24.23
Tuberculosis .....	8.82
Pediatrics .....	14.46
Women's Convalescent .....	7.16
Follow-up Clinic (per visit) .....	2.49
Prenatal Clinic .....	2.96

## Hassler Health Home:

Tuberculosis .....	6.37
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## All Institutions:

Blood Transfusion .....	25.00
Special Nurses .....	Prevailing Rates)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mead—2.

Authorizing the Payment of \$1,670 to George Mendaro, for Release from all Claims for Damages to Land and Improvements by Reason of Change of Grade of Broadway and Mason Street, in Connection With Construction of the Broadway Tunnel.

File No. 8908, Resolution No. 12198 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mead—2.

## Consideration Continued.

Authorizing Transfer of Jurisdiction of Certain Land Located on the East Side of Phelan Avenue Between Ocean and Judson Avenues, from the Board of Education to the Department of Public Works, Required for Public Street Purposes.

File No. 8909, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

(Portion of Lot 1, Block 3179; in conformity with Master Plan.)

Supervisor MacPhee moved, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, that consideration of the foregoing measure be continued for a period of one week.

No objection and motion carried.

Consideration continued one week.

**Adopted.**

**Authorizing Attendance of Three Members of the Staff of the Public Welfare Department at the Annual Meeting of the California Conference of Social Work, to Be Held in Long Beach, May 4-7, 1952.**

File No. 8910, Resolution No. 12193 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mead—2.

**Passage for Second Reading.**

**Authorizing Attendance of Three Members of the Child Welfare Division, Public Welfare Department, at the Annual Regional Conference of the Child Welfare League of America, to Be Held in Long Beach, May 1-3, 1952.**

File No. 8911, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mead—2.

**Authorizing Compromise and Settlement of Claim of Fern Maxfield Against the City and County by the Payment of \$1,000.**

File No. 8880, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Personal injuries suffered as result of alleged defective condition of sidewalk.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mead—2.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 83, Board of Education, County Offices, Etc., by Authorizing Compensation of \$100 Per Month Each for Seven Members of the Board of Education, Effective March 10, 1952.**

File No. 8882, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(In accordance with charter amendment ratified by the Legislature on March 10, 1952.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mead—2.

**Consideration Continued.**

**Appropriating \$750, Public Welfare, for Purchase of a Station Wagon.**

File No. 8902, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

Supervisor MacPhee moved, seconded by Supervisor Arnold, that consideration of the foregoing measure be continued for one week.

No objection and motion *carried*.

**Passage for Second Reading.**

**Appropriating \$15,000, Water Department, for Pipe Line Electrolysis Protection.**

File No. 8903, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Sullivan—10

Absent: Supervisor Mead—1.

**Authorizing Sale at Public Auction of Surplus Fire Department Land.**

File No. 8906, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Parcel 1: Lot 15, Block 209, located on west side of Brenham Place, north of Clay Street. Size: 25 feet by 68 feet 9 inches.

Parcel 2: Lot 9, Block 1434, located on west side of Second Avenue, south of Clement Street. Size: 30 feet by 120 feet.

Parcel 3: Lot 48, Block 4160, located on east side of De Haro Street, north of Twenty-third Street. Size: 25 feet by 80 feet. All in conformity with Master Plan.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Mead—1.

**Adopted.**

**Establishing Selling Price of Tax-Deeded Property and Conveying Said Property to the State Department of Public Works for Freeway Purposes.**

File No. 8796, Resolution No. 12191 (Series of 1939).

(Lot 1329, Gift Map No. 3—selling price, \$44.60.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Mead—1.

**References to Committee.**

The following emergency measures, appearing on the Board's supplemental calendar, were taken up:

(After each of the following measures, Supervisor Christopher moved, seconded by Supervisor Arnold, that it be referred to the Finance Committee. No objection and motion carried.)

**Appropriating \$3,500, Municipal Court, from the Surplus Existing in the General Fund Compensation Reserve, for Jurors' and Witness' Fees; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 8915, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

**Appropriating \$3,500, Real Estate Department, Civic Auditorium, from General Fund Compensation Reserve, for Allowance of Overtime and Temporary Salaries; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 8929, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

**Appropriating \$10,310, Public Works, Sewer Repair, from Emergency Reserve Fund, for Allowance for Overtime, Contractual Services, Truck Hire, Fuel, Illuminants and Lubricants; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 8945, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

Appropriating \$2,075, Public Works, Sewage Pumping Stations, from Emergency Reserve Fund, for Overtime, Temporary Salaries, Contractual Services, Materials and Supplies; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 8946, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

Appropriating \$5,900, Public Works, Bureau of Street Cleaning, from Emergency Reserve Fund, for Contractual Services, and Materials and Supplies; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 8947, Ordinance No. . . (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

Appropriating \$11,450, Public Works, Building Repair, from Emergency Reserve Fund, for Holiday Pay, Contractual Services, Materials and Supplies, Fuel Oil, Maintenance and Repair of Automotive Equipment, Fuel, Illuminants and Lubricants; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 8948, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

Appropriating \$100, Real Estate Department, for Maintenance and Repair of Automotive Equipment; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 8949, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

Appropriating \$5,900, Public Health, Emergency Hospitals, from Emergency Reserve Fund, for Temporary Salaries, Contractual Services, and Equipment; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 8950, Ordinance No. . . (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

Appropriating \$19,400, Police, from the Emergency Reserve Fund, for Maintenance and Repair of Automotive Equipment, Telephone and Telegraph, Fuel, Illuminants and Lubricants, Heat, Light and Power; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 8951, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

#### Presentation of Contestants for Title of "Miss San Francisco."

Supervisor Lewis introduced a group of girls who are vieing for the title of "Miss San Francisco," the winner to compete for the title of "Miss California." "Miss California" will then proceed to Atlantic City to vie for the national title.

#### Consideration of Mayor's Veto of File No. 8922 (Series of 1939), Relating to the Rehabilitation of the Palace of Fine Arts.

The Clerk read a communication from the Mayor vetoing and disapproving File No. 8922 entitled "Requesting the Mayor to appoint a Citizens' Committee for the rehabilitation of the Palace of Fine Arts," informing the Board that his disapproval was based upon the fact that such a Citizens' Committee had been appointed in 1951 and that the request incorporated in the measure was superfluous.

#### Question Put.

The question was put to the members of the Board as follows: Shall the resolution be adopted notwithstanding the Mayor's veto?

A vote "aye" will override the Mayor's veto and adopt the resolution; a vote "no" will sustain the Mayor's veto and defeat the resolution.

**Motion to Defer Consideration.**

Supervisor Mancuso moved, seconded by Supervisor Lewis, that consideration of the Mayor's veto be continued for a period of one week and that an expression be obtained from Mr. Thomas D. Spears, Secretary of the Marina Merchants' Association, as to his organization's reactions to the disapproval of the measure by the Mayor.

No objection and motion carried.

*Consideration continued one week.*

**OFF-CALENDAR LEGISLATION.**

The following recommendation of his Honor the Mayor was taken up:

**Adopted.**

**Leaves of Absence**—Harold L. Zellerbach, President of the Art Commission, April 29 Through May 2; John B. Rodgers, Art Commissioner, March 20 Through June 30; Dr. Herbert C. Clish, Superintendent of Schools, April 16 to 21, 1952. All With Permission to Leave the State.

File No. 7823, Resolution No. 12199 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor MacPhee moved adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor Sullivan.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Mead—1.

**ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF MEASURES AND COMMUNICATIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.****Request That Measure Reposing in Committee Be Referred to the Board.**

Supervisor Christopher requested that the resolution, designated as File No. 3803, and relating to a proposed meeting between the Mayor, members of the San Francisco delegation to the Legislature, San Francisco city officials and the Legislative Representative, for the purpose of formulating policy with respect to location of, and approaches to, an additional crossing over San Francisco Bay, and which had been referred by the Board to the County, State and National Affairs Committee on March 17, be called from said committee and brought before the Board for consideration.

No objection and so ordered.

**Introduction of Supervisors' Counterparts in Commemoration of "Youth in Government Day."**

Supervisor Dobbs introduced his counterpart, Bill Jaquysh of George Washington High School.

Supervisor Ferdon introduced his counterpart, Miss Lydia Dorsey of Girls' High School.

**Adopted.****Requesting Mayor to Proclaim Period of June 1-6, 1952, as "Give Youth a Job Week."**

Supervisor Ferdon presented:

File No. 8959, Resolution No. 12200 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Ferdon moved the adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor Dobbs.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Mead—1.

**Adopted.**

**Requesting Mayor to Proclaim Period of May 11-17, 1952, as "Seeds for Democracy Week."**

Supervisor Ferdon presented:

File No. 8960, Resolution No. 12201 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Ferdon moved the adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor Christopher.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Mead—1.

**Supervisor Lewis' Counterpart.**

Supervisor Lewis introduced his counterpart, Willie Mae Angel of Mission High School.

**Adopted.**

**Requesting Mayor to Appoint Citizens' Committee to Arrange Appropriate Receptions for Returning Members of the Armed Forces.**

Supervisor Lewis presented.

File No. 8961, Resolution No. 12202 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Lewis moved adoption of the foregoing measure: motion seconded by Supervisor Sullivan.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Mead—1.

**Supervisor MacPhee's Counterpart.**

Supervisor MacPhee introduced his counterpart, Peter Kireopoulos of Balboa High School.

**Supervisor Mancuso's Counterpart.**

Supervisor Mancuso introduced his counterpart, Bruce Belding of George Washington High School.

**Motion Commending United Nationalities for Arranging Fitting Reception for Queen Juliana and Prince Bernhard of The Netherlands.**

Supervisor Mancuso moved, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, that the Clerk be directed to transmit a letter to the United Nationalities commending that organization for its efforts in arranging a fitting reception for Queen Juliana and Prince Bernhard of The Netherlands.

No objection and motion *carried*.

**Supervisor McCarty's Counterpart.**

Supervisor McCarty introduced his counterpart, Dawn Hickenlooper of Lincoln High School.

**Supervisor McMurray's Counterpart.**

Supervisor McMurray introduced his counterpart, Ann Gibson of Lincoln High School.

**Adopted.****Commending Anton Zitnik, San Francisco Horticulturist.**

Supervisor McMurray presented:

File No. 8962, Resolution No. 12203 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor McMurray moved adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor Mancuso.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Sullivan 10.

Absent: Supervisor Mead—1.

**Adopted.**

**Temporarily Closing Portion of Laguna Street to Permit Festivities Sponsored by the Bethel African Methodist Episcopal Church, Celebrating the 100th Anniversary of Its Founding.**

Supervisor McMurray presented:

File No. 8963, Resolution No. 12204 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor McMurray moved adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor MacPhee.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Sullivan 10.

Absent: Supervisor Mead—1.

**President Mead's Counterpart.**

President Pro Tem MacPhee introduced the counterpart of the President of the Board, Shirley Wells of Balboa High School.

Supervisor Sullivan introduced his counterpart, Bill Martinez of Mission High School.

Supervisor Arnold introduced his counterpart, Gary Friedman of Lowell High School.

Chief Administrative Officer Thomas A. Brooks introduced his counterpart, Alberta Cordini of Commerce High School.

Deputy City Attorney Walker Peddicord, on behalf of City Attorney Dion R. Holm, introduced counterpart Don Kafka of Mission High School.

The following counterparts were introduced on behalf of the city newspapers:

San Francisco Examiner, Dan Mitchell of Polytechnic High School.

San Francisco Chronicle, Mike Jones of St. Ignatius High School.

San Francisco Call-Bulletin, Louise Perata of Presentation High School.

San Francisco News, June Spinnetti.

Community Papers, Bill Bacigalupi of Galileo High School.

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, Don White of Lowell High School.

**SPECIAL ORDER—3:00 P. M.**

Hearing from Representatives of the Public Utilities Commission as to Steps Being Taken to Comply With the Provisions of Section 130 of the Charter, Relating to Fare Structure and Operating Costs of the Municipal Railway.

April 7, 1952—Consideration continued to April 21, 1952.

File No. 8897

**Motion to Table.**

Supervisor Mancuso moved, seconded by Supervisor Christopher, that the foregoing subject be tabled.

No objection and motion *carried*.

**SPECIAL ORDER—4:00 P. M.**

Consideration of Schedule of Revised Rates and Fares to Be Charged by the Municipal Railway.

File No. 8897

**Consideration Temporarily Deferred.**

The Clerk presented the following measure on behalf of President Pro Tem., Supervisor MacPhee:

**Finding and Declaring That Under the Proposed Schedule of Municipal Railway Fares a Deficit Will Exist in 1952-53, Requiring a Tax Levy.**

File No. 8958, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Refer to Committee.**

Supervisor Mancuso moved that the foregoing measure be referred to committee.

Motion *lost* for want of a second.

**Statement by Controller.**

The Controller informed the Board that the purpose of the resolution was to avoid possible future difficulty in the consideration of the pending measure relating to revised fares and rates for the Municipal Railway.

Consideration of the foregoing measure was temporarily postponed pending presentation of additional data.

**Discussion.**

Supervisor Christopher asked Controller Ross as to the amount of outstanding bonds, to which Mr. Ross replied that he did not have the information at hand.

Supervisor Christopher questioned the Manager of Utilities concerning reported differences of opinion existing among the members of the Commission with respect to sundry matters coming under its jurisdiction. Mr. Turner replied that the Commission's opinion was unanimous that the rates should be revised upward.

Supervisor Christopher informed Mr. Turner that between the present time and that time in the future when the measure relating to increases in fares would be voted upon, he desired that the Public Utilities Commission devote time to a consideration of various reforms recommended by various organizations and that a list of proposed reforms should be brought before the Board for its consideration.



Mr. Turner stated he saw no objection to the request of Supervisor Christopher, but called the Supervisor's attention to the fact that the Public Utilities Commission has given and will continue at all times to give consideration to any and all proposed reforms designed to effect economies in the operation of the Municipal Railway and at the same time not affect adversely the riding advantages of the public. Mr. Turner mentioned that his Commission was continually considering the consolidation of lines, consolidation of retirement systems, one-man street cars, etc.

Supervisor Christopher called Mr. Turner's attention to the fact that since 1945 traffic on the Municipal Railway had decreased by one-third but that there has been an increase in the administrative positions within the Public Utilities Commission.

Mr. Turner replied that the 1952-53 budget will reflect that the actual cost of operation per vehicular hour had been reduced.

Supervisor Christopher asked for an explanation of overtime required in the operation of the railway which amounted to almost \$900,000 during the current fiscal year. Mr. Turner replied that in order to provide good service you must provide scheduling which will assure good service as well as retention of manpower and that overtime is thus impossible to circumvent.

Supervisor Christopher called Mr. Turner's attention to the fact that several years ago in the consideration of the annual budget, it was noted that there existed more administrative jobs after the consolidation of the Market Street Railway with the Municipal Railway. Some time later, David E. Lewis, then Administrative Assistant to the Mayor, made an analysis of the cost which divulged that the cost would aggregate some two hundred thirty-two thousand dollars a year, and proceeded to ask Mr. Turner if any action was taken by him on the report.

Mr. Turner replied that in the first place there were considerably fewer employees after consolidation, but admitted there were more administrative positions. Mr. Turner amplified his statement by declaring that some of the recommendations made by Mr. Lewis were put into effect.

Supervisor Christopher stated he would study, with a great deal of interest, whatever report of reforms or economies the Public Utilities Commission would present prior to voting on the revised schedule of fares or rates, especially possible reductions in administrative personnel.

Supervisor McCarty inquired if Supervisor Christopher's reforms would be in the form of charter amendments.

#### **Point of Order.**

Supervisor Mancuso rose to a point of order, contending that before further questions are asked, the Board should first hear from the Public Utilities Commission.

The President ruled the point of order well taken.

#### **Report Presented.**

Manager of Utilities James H. Turner gave a brief resume of action taken by his Commission in connection with his report currently before the Board requesting approval of a revised schedule of fares and rates for the Municipal Railway. He likewise spoke briefly on report rendered by Mr. Mills, Traffic Consultant, dated April 18, 1952.

Mr. Turner contended that every effort had been made to maintain a low fare, but that rising costs of materials and wages made it mandatory that fares be increased. This condition, he said, is prevalent all over the nation and must be met in order to prevent the imposition of a heavy tax levy upon the property owner.

Supervisor Lewis asked Walker Peddicord, Deputy City Attorney, if the Board of Supervisors possessed discretionary power with respect to the granting or rejection of the proposed schedule of fares proposed by the Public Utilities Commission.

Mr. Peddicord replied that the Board had the discretionary power to either approve or reject such schedule.

Discussion was had between Mr. Mills, Traffic Consultant, and Supervisor Mancuso with respect to percentage of loss of patronage between 1947 and the present time, as well as possible loss should the fifteen-cent fare be placed into effect.

Supervisor Mancuso asked Mr. Mills if the Railway would recover any of the patronage lost by the Municipal Railway in previous years in the event the fifteen-cent fare were adopted, and Mr. Mills replied in the negative.

Supervisor Mancuso asked Mr. Mills if people living in the outlying districts could be induced to leave their cars at home provided transit service were improved; Mr. Mills replied that as long as individuals found it convenient to park their cars in the downtown area, they will continue to use them.

Supervisor MacPhee asked Mr. Mills if he believed that a charter amendment should be recommended by the Public Utilities Commission governing working hours for employees of the Municipal Railway, to which query Mr. Mills replied that he believed such a measure should be recommended.

Supervisor MacPhee asked Oliver Rousseau, President of the Public Utilities Commission, if it was the intention of his body to recommend charter amendments in an effort to cure some of the ills afflicting the railway, to which query Mr. Rousseau replied that his Commission intended to do so.

Mr. Sam McKee, member of the Public Utilities Commission, stated there were certain measures which he definitely did not favor, such as one-man street cars, but expressed himself in favor of eliminating duplicating lines.

Mr. Victor S. Swanson, another member of the Public Utilities Commission, echoed the sentiments expressed by Commissioner McKee.

Supervisor Lewis quoted a decision rendered by the Supreme Court in the case of *Hurst vs. City and County*, 33 Cal.2d at 298, defining the authority and power of the legislative body with respect to approval or disapproval of schedule of rates or fares.

#### Request for City Attorney Opinion.

Supervisor Mancuso requested that the Clerk obtain a written opinion from the City Attorney, to be available by next Monday, ruling on the status of the resolution currently before the Board, proposing a revised schedule of fares and rates for the Municipal Railway, should the Board take no action on the measure within the thirty days prescribed by Section 130 of the Charter.

No objection and *Clerk directed to comply.*

#### Request for Report on Proposed Reforms.

Supervisor Christopher requested that the Public Utilities Commission appear before the Board next Monday with a definite program of reforms or suggestions, possibly involving charter amendments, which will have for its purpose the elimination of any possible deficit in the operation of the Municipal Railway.

No objection and *Clerk directed to comply.*

Supervisor Lewis suggested that the Public Utilities Commission consider reducing fares during peak hours with increased fares before and after peak hours and in this way induce more patronage.

Mr. Mills countered by stating that such a suggestion had been tried by the City of Chicago but that it resulted in producing insufficient revenues.

Supervisor Lewis stated that the Railway had six parallel lines, and inquired if the abandonment of some of these parallel lines would result in material savings. Mr. Mills replied that in some instances savings would be effected.

#### **Motion to Defer Consideration.**

Supervisor MacPhee moved, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, that the Board defer consideration of the pending measure until 3 p. m., Monday, April 28, 1952.

*No objection and motion carried.*

#### **Extending Well-Wishes to Supervisor Mead.**

Supervisor MacPhee suggested that the Clerk, on behalf of the Board, send a letter to President Dewey Mead, extending to him the Board's sincere wishes for a rapid recovery.

*No objection and Clerk directed to comply.*

#### **ADJOURNMENT.**

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 5:30 p. m., adjourned.

JOHN R. McGRATH, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors May 26, 1952.

I, John R. McGrath, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the date hereon stated and approved as recited.

JOHN R. McGRATH,  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.



Monday, April 28, 1952

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# JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

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MONDAY, APRIL 28, 1952—2:00 P. M.

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In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, April 28, 1952,  
2:00 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

## CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

Quorum present.

President Dewey Mead presiding.

Supervisor MacPhee noted present at 2:15 p. m.

Supervisor McMurray excused from attendance at 6:10 p. m.

Supervisor Christopher excused from attendance at 6:55 p. m.

## Taken Up Out of Order.

### Adopted.

Supervisor McMurray, seconded by Supervisor Lewis, moved suspension of the rules for the consideration of the following matter out of order.

No objection and motion carried.

Authorizing Execution of Agreement With State Board of Education for Reimbursible Services of an Officer of the San Francisco Fire Department as Instructor in State Fire Training Program.

Supervisor McMurray presented:

File No. 8985, Resolution No. 12223 (Series of 1939).

## Motion to Adopt.

Supervisor McMurray, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, moved adoption of the foregoing measure.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

## APPROVAL OF JOURNAL.

The Journal of Proceedings of the meeting of Monday, April 7, 1952, was considered read and approved.

**Communication.**

From the Associated Boat Industries of Northern California, requesting that the Board take favorable action toward the acquisition of Angel Island for recreational purposes.

*Over one week.*

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS.****Adopted.**

The following recommendations of Finance Committee, heretofore considered were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

**Authorizing Transfer of Jurisdiction of Certain Land Located on the East Side of Phelan Avenue Between Ocean and Judson Avenues from the Board of Education to the Department of Public Works, Required for Public Street Purposes.**

File No. 8909, Resolution No. 12218 (Series of 1939).

(Portion of Lot 1, Block 3179. In conformity with Master Plan.)

April 21, 1952—Consideration continued to April 28, 1952.

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

**Passage for Second Reading.**

**Appropriating \$750, Public Welfare, for the Purchase of a Station Wagon.**

File No. 8902, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

April 21, 1952—Consideration continued to April 28, 1952.

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

**Final Passage.**

**Appropriating \$30, Public Works, for Refund of Permit Payment to Cal-Western Realty Company.**

File No. 8689, Ordinance No. 7283 (Series of 1939).

(Through inadvertence, warrant was not presented for payment in time. Statute of Limitations waived by Resolution No. 12036 (Series of 1939).)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.



**Appropriating \$450, City Planning, for New Position of General Clerk-Stenographer; Abolishing Position of General Clerk-Typist.**

File No. 8851-1, Ordinance No. 7284 (Series of 1939).

(General Clerk-Stenographer	\$225-285 per month
General Clerk-Typist	225-285 per month)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent Supervisor MacPhee—1.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 68, City Planning Commission—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 8851-2, Ordinance No. 7285 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Appropriating \$1,667, Public Library, for Light, Heat and Power.**

File No. 8852, Ordinance No. 7286 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Appropriating \$450, County Clerk, for New Position of General Clerk-Stenographer; Abolishing Position of General Clerk.**

File No. 8872-1, Ordinance No. 7288 (Series of 1939).

(General Clerk-Stenographer	\$225-285
General Clerk	225-285)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 34, Department of Finance and Records, County Clerk—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 8872-2, Ordinance No. 7289 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Authorizing Dismissal of Appeal, and Compromise and Settlement of Superior Court Judgment Directing That Position of General Clerk Held by George F. McCormick Be Reclassified to Special Collector.**

File No. 8875, Ordinance No. 7290 (Series of 1939).

(Position to be reclassified as Special Collector and plaintiff to waive all monetary damages for back pay.)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Providing for Necessary Support and Maintenance of Wards of the Juvenile Court; Establishing Maximum Rates Therefor, and Repealing Ordinance No. 5567 (Series of 1939).**

File No. 8884, Ordinance No. 7291 (Series of 1939).

(Present Rate for Normal Case	\$62.50
Proposed Rate for All Types of Cases	72.50)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Providing for the Temporary Leasing of Certain City-Owned Property for Parking Purposes, Located East of St. Mary's Square.**

File No. 8871, Ordinance No. 7287 (Series of 1939).

(Bids will be called for on the following basis:

1. Term of lease, eight months. Thereafter on a month to month basis.
2. Lessee shall spend a minimum of \$8,500 in developing the property.
3. Rental, first month, \$1.00.
4. Rental after first month, a percentage of the gross receipts or \$1,000 per month, whichever is the greater.
5. After the first month, from the City's share of rental, one-seventh of the above mentioned amount of \$8,500 to be deducted.)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Final Passage.**

The following recommendation of Streets Committee, heretofore considered, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Ferdon, McMurray, Sullivan.

**Ordering the Improvement of Ralston Street Between Randolph Street and Worcester Avenue, Worcester Avenue, Between Ralston and Vernon Streets, and Extending City Aid in Approximate Amount of \$9,500.**

File No. 5285, Ordinance No. 7282 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Consideration of Mayor's Veto—Consideration Continued.**

**Requesting Mayor to Appoint Citizens' Committee to Devise Ways and Means of Rehabilitating the Palace of Fine Arts Without Cost to the City and County.**

File No. 8922, Resolution No. . (Series of 1939).

(The above measure was returned vetoed and disapproved by the Mayor on April 18, 1952, accompanied by the Mayor's explanatory letter of the same date.)

April 21, 1952—Consideration continued to April 28, 1952.

**Stating the Question.**

The Chair stated the question as follows: "Shall the resolution become effective notwithstanding the Mayor's veto. A vote 'aye' overrides the Mayor, a vote 'No' sustains the Mayor."

**Motion to Continue Consideration.**

Supervisor Lewis, seconded by Supervisor Christopher, moved that the matter remain on the calendar for one week and that the Clerk send a letter to the Mayor asking him to get in touch with the chairman of the present citizens' committee as to whether or not they will augment the committee with proponents of the plan of rehabilitating the Palace of Fine Arts without expense to the City.

Supervisor McCarty in explaining his vote stated that he was not opposed to continuing the matter for a week but did not believe that the Mayor should be requested to contact the committee to get its feelings.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso—6.

Noes: Supervisors Arnold, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—5.

**Motion to Rescind.**

Supervisor McCarty, seconded by Supervisor Arnold, moved that the Board rescind its action.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Noes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, Mancuso—4.

**Motion to Continue Consideration.**

Supervisor McCarty, seconded by Supervisor Arnold, moved that the matter be continued for one week.

Supervisor Lewis, seconded by Supervisor Christopher, moved as a substitute that the matter be postponed for one week; that the Mayor be requested by the Clerk to ask the Chairman of the present citizens' committee if it will be willing to augment their committee for the purpose of furthering the objective of seeking to have the Palace of Fine Arts rehabilitated without cost to the City.

Substitute motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso—6.

Noes: Supervisors Arnold, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—5.

**Taken Up Out of Order—Temporarily Postponed.****Motion to Suspend the Rules.**

Supervisor Lewis, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, moved suspension of the rules to permit the following matter to be taken up out of order.

No objection and motion carried.

**Opposing Additional Bonded Debt of San Francisco-Oakland Bay Bridge Except for Purpose of Financing a Southern Bay Crossing.**

Supervisor Lewis presented:

File No. 8986, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

**Discussion.**

Supervisor MacPhee stated that he was of the belief that this was the correct step but that it was opposed to the policy of the Mayor, and that before any action be taken that the Mayor be sent for.

Supervisor Mancuso said that he was in accord with the intent of the proposal but that it did not go far enough, and that he believed that it should provide for the appointment of a citizens' committee.

**Motion to Commit.**

Supervisor Mancuso moved that the legislation be referred to committee.

*Motion lost for want of a second.*

Supervisor Lewis explained that the legislation was prepared after a discussion with the Mayor. That by voting for the proposal the Board would be protecting itself so that a southern crossing could be constructed in the near future.

**Motion to Amend.**

Supervisor Mancuso moved that the legislation be amended to provide for the appointment of a citizens' committee to spearhead the resolution.

*Motion lost for want of a second.*

**Motion to Postpone Special Order Temporarily.**

The Chair called the Board's attention to the fact that it was time to consider the 3:00 p. m. Special Order.

Supervisor Mancuso, seconded by Supervisor Arnold, moved that the special order be postponed for fifteen minutes.

No objection and motion *carried*.

Supervisor MacPhee stated that he was concerned with the expenditure of \$25,000,000 of the taxpayers' money for construction of approaches to the bridge when they should be paid for by the people who use the bridge.

Supervisor Arnold remarked that he believed that the legislation should be adopted immediately so that the City Attorney could have the matter determined judicially with respect to the construction of approaches within ten miles from the bridge.

Supervisor Lewis, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, moved that the Special Order be postponed for another fifteen minutes.

Supervisor MacPhee, seconded by Supervisor Christopher, moved as a substitute that the legislation be temporarily postponed.

Substitute motion *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Noes: Supervisors Ferdon, Lewis—2.

**Presentation of Guest.**

The Chair presented Mr. George A. Syriotis, editor of the daily newspaper, To Vim, Athens, Greece, who is making a study of government and journalism in the United States.

Mr. Syriotis expressed his gratitude for the privilege of appearing before the Board and stated that he was happy to have the opportunity of visiting San Francisco.

**SPECIAL ORDER—3:00 P. M.****Adopted.**

**Consideration of Schedule of Revised Rates and Fares to Be Charged by the Municipal Railway.**

File No. 8897

April 21, 1952—Consideration continued to April 28, 1952.

**Motion to Sit as a Committee of the Whole.**

Supervisor Ferdon, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, moved that the Board resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

No: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

Supervisor Sullivan, seconded by Supervisor McMurray, moved that the same chairman preside.

No objection and *motion carried*.

**Legal Opinion.**

The Clerk presented a legal opinion from the City Attorney, subject—"Does rate schedule submitted to Board of Supervisors on April 8, 1952, become effective if Board takes no action respecting it."

Walker Peddicord, Deputy City Attorney, explained the opinion to the Board

Supervisor Mancuso requested that Mr. Thomson, Counsel for the Public Utilities Commission, be sent for.

The Chair directed that Mr. Thomson be sent for.

Supervisor Ferdon stated that he objected to sending for Mr. Thomson because the City Attorney had rendered an opinion on the matter which was before the Board.

Mr. Frank E. White, Secretary-Treasurer of the San Francisco C.I.O. Council, spoke in opposition to the proposed increase in rates on the grounds that an increase was not the solution to the problem but that a thorough study of management should be made. He stated that he was of the opinion that the deficit should be subsidized by the taxpayers.

**Motion to Limit Speakers.**

Supervisor Arnold moved that all speakers be limited to five minutes.

*Motion lost for want of a second.*

Sylvester J. McAtee, counsel for the Down Town Association, spoke in favor of the proposed increase in rates, and suggested that certain economies be effected concerning the operation of the railway.

Mr. George Johns, secretary of the San Francisco Labor Council, spoke in opposition to the increase in fares and stated that the deficit was created by mismanagement of the railway and that should be where corrective steps should be taken.

Mr. George S. Hill, member of the Central Council of Civic Clubs, spoke in opposition to the fare increase and suggested that the deficit be placed in the tax rate.

Mr. Walter Stich, representing the Independent Progressive Party, spoke in opposition to the increase in fares on the basis that it should be a charge against the people who have the ability to pay and not the working people.

**Communications.**

From the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce; San Francisco Bureau of Governmental Research; and Down Town Association, recommending increase of fares for the Municipal Railway and the effecting of certain economies in the operation of the railway.

*Ordered filed.*

From the Great Highway Club, opposing any increase in street car fares and recommending that the full amount of the deficit be placed in the budget.

*Ordered filed.*

Supervisor Mancuso inquired of Mr. Thomson as to whether or not he was in accord with the legal opinion.

Mr. Thomson replied that he was in accord with it.

#### Motion to Rise and Report.

Supervisor MacPhee, seconded by Supervisor Christopher, moved that the Committee of the Whole rise and report.

No objection and motion *carried*.

Mr. Turner, Manager of Utilities, informed the Board that the Commission had given serious consideration to certain suggestions made by the Board and that now they were considering certain changes.

Colonel Mills remarked that it would not be possible to save money without drastically cutting service. He then presented charts showing riding habits for the past six years and also explained the economies that had been effected during that period by making substitution of types of service.

Colonel Mills stated that the railway could save \$900,000 by making certain curtailment of service, which could be done by management on its own, and by abandoning duplicating lines, which would require the cooperation of the Board of Supervisors.

Colonel Mills then informed the Board as to the fares that were being charged throughout the country by the various transportation companies.

Mr. Turner submitted information as to pass privileges on the Municipal Railway.

Supervisor Christopher inquired as to the breakdown of the difference between number of employees who were given free passes and number of employees shown as being employed by Municipal Railway in the Commission's latest report.

Mr. Turner explained that the difference was made up by employees of other departments who work for the Municipal Railway and that he would submit the information to the Board in writing.

Supervisor Mead remarked that he was in accord with the actual operators receiving free passes but he did not believe that other employees should receive them.

Mr. Turner said that two years ago the Commission studied the matter and as a result made certain changes in the rules with respect to free passes; that he would recommend to the present Commission that they also make such a study in the immediate future.

Supervisor Mead inquired as to the proposal affecting the school children.

Mr. Turner explained that the cost of school tickets would be increased from 50 cents to 60 cents.

Supervisor Mead asked as to the difference that would be realized by increasing the car tickets from 50 cents to 60 cents.

Mr. Turner answered that it would be approximately \$73,000.

Supervisor Mead remarked that he was opposed to increasing the fare for school children and that it should remain at 5 cents per ride.

Supervisor Mancuso asked the City Attorney if the Board had the authority to amend any of the rates made by the Public Utilities Commission.

Mr. Peddicord replied that the Board did not have the right to amend, only to approve or reject. If the rates were rejected they would have to go back to the Commission for further study.

Supervisor Christopher in explaining his vote stated that he would vote for the increase in fares provided that Mr. Turner would recommend the abolition of free passes over and above operating personnel.

Mr. Turner remarked that he would make a recommendation to the Commission that they undertake a study of the free pass situation and take such action as was necessary.

Supervisor MacPhee said that he believed that the Commission should be commended for their courage in recommending the increase in fares, and that they should also recommend charter amendments to put the Municipal Railway on a favorable operating scale. He stated that he would vote for the fare increase but that he was of the opinion that serious consideration should be given to the matter of placing the operation of the railway on a more economical basis.

#### Motion to Excuse Supervisor McMurray.

Supervisor MacPhee, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, moved that Supervisor McMurray be excused from further attendance.

No objection and motion *carried*.

#### Taken Up Out of Order—Adopted.

Supervisor McMurray, seconded by Supervisor MacPhee, moved suspension of the rules to consider the following matter out of order.

No objection and motion *carried*.

#### In Memoriam—Charles J. Powers.

Supervisor McMurray presented:

File No. 7824, Resolution No. 12210 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

#### Continuation of Consideration of Street Car Fare Increase.

Supervisor McCarty said that he was in accord with the views that there should not be an increase in fares for the school children and that if he voted for the legislation he would do so only on the tacit understanding that there would be a reduction in the school children fare from 60 cents to 50 cents.

Mr. Turner requested the Board to pass the fare increase and that he would recommend to the Commission, between now and the start of the fall term, that they reduce the school rides from 60 cents to 50 cents.

Supervisor Christopher remarked that he was in favor of the increase of fares but that he wanted to have it understood that the Public Utilities Commission would give consideration to the reforming of the free pass privileges.

Supervisor Mancuso stated that he was going to vote for the legislation because he believed it was good government to do so.

Supervisor Mead informed the members that he was voting for the increase with the understanding that the Commission would give serious consideration to the reduction of school children fares.

The Clerk then presented the following:

**Approving Schedule of Rates, Fares and Charges to Be Charged by the Municipal Railway.**

File No. 8897, Resolution No. 12216 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

**NEW BUSINESS.**

**Adopted.**

The following recommendations of Finance Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

**Approving Supplemental Recommendations, Public Welfare Department, Relative to Categorical Aids; Letter Dated April 22, 1952.**

File No. 7821, Resolution 12206 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

**Authorizing Extension of Granting of Emergency Relief to Dependent Non-Residents for April and May; List Dated April 28, 1952.**

File No. 7822, Resolution No. 12207 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

**Authorizing Extension of Granting of Emergency Relief to Dependent Non-Residents for May and June; List Dated April 28, 1952.**

File No. 7822, Resolution No. 12208 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

**Authorizing Cancellation of Erroneous and Illegal Personal Property Assessments for the Years 1947 Through 1951.**

File No. 7829, Resolution No. 12212 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.



**Authorizing Cancellation of Erroneous and Duplicate Personal Property Assessments for the years 1945 and 1947 Through 1951.**

File No. 7829, Resolution No. 12211 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent Supervisor McMurray—1.

**Authorizing Attendance of One Representative of the Controller's Office at the Convention of the Municipal Finance Officers' Association of the United States and Canada, to Be Held in Boston, Massachusetts, June 16-19, 1952.**

File No. 8907, Resolution No. 12217 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

**Authorizing Purchase of Certain Real Property Located in Santa Clara County from Marion Curtner Weller for \$50, Required for Bay Division Pipe Line No. 3.**

File No. 8914, Resolution No. 12219 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent Supervisor McMurray—1.

**Authorizing Attendance of Assistant Superintendent of Transportation, Superintendent of Equipment, and General Claims Agent, Municipal Railway, at the Pacific Northwest Conference of the American Transit Association, to Be Held in Portland, Oregon, May 5-7, 1952.**

File No. 8925, Resolution No. 12220 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent Supervisor McMurray—1.

**Authorizing Purchase of Certain Real Property from Dorothy M. Shepherd for \$12,250, Required for School Project, Ridgepoint No. 2.**

File No 8938, Resolution No. 12222 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan, Lot 3, Block 4700, located on Ingalls Street, southwesterly from Innes Avenue.  
Size: 33 333 feet by 75 feet Five-room dwelling.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent Supervisor McMurray—1.

*(Supervisor Christopher dissenting.)*

**Authorizing Attendance of City Librarian, One Commissioner and One Member of the Library Staff Association of the Public Library, at the Annual Convention of the American Library Association to Be Held in New York City, June 29-July 5, 1952.**

File No. 8926, Resolution No. 12221 (Series of 1939)

**Motion to Amend.**

Supervisor Christopher, seconded by Supervisor MacPhee, moved that the legislation be amended to provide that one person shall be authorized to attend the convention.

Motion lost by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, MacPhee—3.

Noes: Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—I.

Legislation adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Noes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, MacPhee—3.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—I.

**Passage for Second Reading.**

Appropriating \$10,500, Water Department, for Extension to Dehydrator Building and Improvements to Drying Process at the Walnut Orchard.

File No. 8904, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—I.

Authorizing Payment to Henry Boyen, Attorney for the Public Administrator, of Travel Expense and Other Necessary Expenses Incurred While Attending the Annual Convention of Public Administrators and Coroners, Held in Los Angeles, August 24-25, 1951.

File No. 8912, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—I.

Appropriating \$24,000, San Francisco Airport, for Removal of Silt from Drainage Canals.

File No. 8927, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—I.

**Temporarily Postponed.**

The Board resumed its consideration of File No. 8986, relative to opposing additional bonded indebtedness on the San Francisco-Oakland Bay Bridge.

Supervisor Lewis explained how the \$50,000,000 would be used.

Supervisor MacPhee stated that it was his opinion that the Board should definitely oppose any attempted action on the part of other counties to secure monies from the San Francisco-Oakland Bay Bridge. In this respect he said that he did not believe the resolution went far enough and unless it was amended he would have to vote against it.

**Request to Be Excused.**

Supervisor Christopher requested that he be excused from attendance.

No objection and request granted.

**Privilege of the Floor.**

Supervisor McCarty, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, moved the privilege of the floor for George Johns.

No objection and motion carried.

Mr. Johns remarked that he believed that the matter should go to committee and a thorough hearing should be had; the legislative representatives, assemblymen, senators and congressmen should be invited to discuss the proposal.

**Motion to Temporarily Postpone.**

Supervisor MacPhee, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, moved that consideration of the legislation be temporarily postponed.

No objection and motion carried.

**Passage for Second Reading.**

**Appropriating \$450, Municipal Railway, for New Position of Inspector; Abolishing Position of Day Dispatcher.**

File No. 8928-1, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Reallocation of position:

Inspector	\$300-350 per month
Day Dispatcher	320-370 per month)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, McMurray—3.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 72.3, Public Utilities Commission, Municipal Railway—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 8928-2, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, McMurray—3.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 86(a), Health Service System, by Adding Three New Positions of General Clerk-Typist and Abolishing One Position of Senior Clerk.**

File No. 8932, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(System is not supported by City and County funds and positions are included in Salary Ordinance for payroll checking purpose only.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, McMurray—3.

**Consideration Continued.**

**Appropriating \$500, Youth Guidance Center, Probation Office, for Use of Employees' Cars.**

File No. 8934, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Postpone.**

Supervisor MacPhee, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, moved that consideration of the legislation be continued for one week and that the Clerk secure information as to the amount of money approved in this year's budget for the use of employees' cars for the Youth Guidance Center, Probation Office.

No objection and motion *carried*.

**Passage for Second Reading.**

**Appropriating \$220.04, Municipal Railway, for Reissuance of Pay Warrants to Alvin Calloway and James Boland.**

File No. 8937, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray—2.

**Appropriating \$1,300, deYoung Memorial Museum, for Installation of Coved Ceilings in Period Rooms.**

File No. 8956, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray—2.

**Final Passage.**

**Appropriating \$17,900, Public Health, San Francisco Hospital, Laguna Honda Home, and Emergency Hospitals from Emergency Reserve Fund for Overtime, Temporary Salaries, Materials and Supplies, Laundry, and Meat; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 8901, Ordinance No. 7292 (Series of 1939).

(Allowance for Overtime—San Francisco Hospital	\$ 1,800
Temporary Salaries—San Francisco Hospital	2,000
For Laundry Services Furnished Hassler Health Home by the San Francisco Hospital	1,450
Materials and Supplies, Emergency Hospitals and San Francisco Hospital	650
Meat Shop—San Francisco Hospital and Laguna Honda Home	12,000)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray—2.

**Appropriating \$3,500, Municipal Court, for Jurors' and Witness' Fees; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 8915, Ordinance No. 7293 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray—2.

**Appropriating \$2,075, Public Works, Pumping Stations, Emergency Reserve, for Overtime Allowance, Temporary Salaries, Contractual Services, Materials and Supplies; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 8946, Ordinance No. 7295 (Series of 1939).

(Allowance for Overtime	\$ 75
Temporary Salaries	300
Contractual Services	1,500
Materials and Supplies	200)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray—2.

**Appropriating \$5,900, Public Works, Bureau of Street Cleaning, from Emergency Reserve Fund, for Contractual Services, Materials and Supplies; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 8947, Ordinance No. 7296 (Series of 1939).

(Contractual Services	\$ 400
Truck Hire	750
Materials and Supplies	1,750
Maintenance and Repair of Automotive Equipment	3,000)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray—2.

**Appropriating \$11,450, Public Works, Bureau of Building Repair, from Emergency Reserve Fund, for Holiday Pay, Contractual Services, Materials and Supplies; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 8948, Ordinance No. 7297 (Series of 1939).

(Holiday Pay	\$ 200
Contractual Services	450
Materials and Supplies	5,000
Fuel Oil	5,000
Maintenance and Repair of Automotive Equipment	400
Fuel, Illuminants and Lubricants	400)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray—2.

**Appropriating \$100, Real Estate, for Maintenance and Repair of Automotive Equipment; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 8949, Ordinance No. 7298 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray—2.

**Appropriating \$5,900, Public Health, Emergency Hospitals, from Emergency Reserve Fund, for Temporary Salaries, Contractual Services and Equipment; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 8950, Ordinance No. 7299 (Series of 1939).

(Temporary Salaries	\$4,000
Equipment	1,000
Maintenance and Repair of Automotive Equipment	900)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray—2.

**Final Passage.**

The following from Finance Committee, with recommendation "do pass" after amendment, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

**Appropriating \$19,400, Police, from Emergency Reserve Fund, for Contractual Services, Materials and Supplies; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 8951, Ordinance No. 7300 (Series of 1939).

(Maintenance and Repair of Automotive Equipment	\$9,000
Telephone and Telegraph	6,750
Fuel, Illuminants and Lubricants	1,150
Heat, Light and Power	2,500)

(Proposed amendment is as follows:

Delete amount of \$9,000 allocated for maintenance and repair of automotive equipment, and reduce total appropriation from \$19,400 to \$10,400.)

**Proposed Amendment Withdrawn.**

Supervisor Arnold informed the Board that the Finance Committee had withdrawn the proposed amendment.

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray—2.

**Final Passage.**

The following from Finance Committee, without recommendation, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

**Appropriating \$3,500, Real Estate, Civic Auditorium, for Overtime Allowance and Temporary Salaries; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 8929, Ordinance No. 7294 (Series of 1939).

(Allowance for Overtime	\$2,400
Temporary Salaries	1,100)

**Motion to Finally Pass.**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved passage of the legislation.

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray—2.

**Consideration Continued.**

The following recommendation of Education, Parks and Recreation Committee was taken up:

Present: Supervisors MacPhee, McMurray.

**Declaring It to Be the Policy of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco That the Chief Administrative Officer Shall Make Application to the Regional Director of the National Park Service of the Federal Government, for the Acquisition of Angel Island Under a Special Use Permit for the Purpose of Ascertaining Whether Public Usage Demands the Acquisition of Angel Island and Whether or Not a Financially Responsible Concessionaire Can Be Obtained to Operate the Facilities of Said Island.**

File No. 7660-5, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Postpone.**

Supervisor MacPhee, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, moved that consideration of the legislation be continued for one week.

No objection and motion carried.

**Adopted.**

The following recommendations of Streets Committee were taken up.

Present. Supervisors Ferdon, McMurray, Sullivan.

**Ordering the Vacation of Portions of Bowdoin Street and Harkness Avenue, Required for School Project No. 29.**

File No. 8571-2, Resolution No. 12213 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray—2.

**Granting Revocable Permit to L. H. Comer to Temporarily Occupy Portion of Goettingen Street Between Campbell and San Bruno Avenues, by the Construction of a Small Movable Shed to House Building Equipment.**

File No. 8826, Resolution No. 12215 (Series of 1939).

(To be used during the construction of a half block of homes in the area.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee, McMurray—3.

**Declaring Intention to Change or Modify the Official Grades of Dartmouth Street Between Olmstead and Mansell Streets.**

File No. 6243-3, Resolution No. 12205 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray—2.

**Passage for Second Reading.**

**Changing or Modifying the Official Grades on Mansell Street Between Points Respectively 50 Feet Easterly and 50 Feet Westerly from Dartmouth Street, and on Dartmouth Street Between a Line 215 Feet Southerly from Olmstead Street and Harkness Avenue.**

File No. 8730-2, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray—2.

**Ordering the Improvement of Esmeralda Avenue Between Bernal Heights Boulevard and Peralta Avenue, Including the Southerly Intersection of Esmeralda and Peralta Avenues; Extending City Aid in Approximate Amount of \$2,600, and Providing for Work in Front of City Property in Sum of \$1,800.**

File No. 8933, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray—2.

#### Consideration Continued.

The following called from the County, State and National Affairs Committee by Supervisor Christopher was taken up:

**Urging Meeting of San Francisco Officials, Members of the San Francisco Delegation in the State Legislature and the Legislative Representative, for the Purpose of Formulating Policy Concerning Location of and Approaches to an Additional Crossing of San Francisco Bay.**

File No. 8803, Resolution No. . . . (Series of 1939).

March 17, 1952—Referred to the County, State and National Affairs Committee.

#### Motion to Postpone.

Supervisor Mancuso, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, moved that consideration of the legislation be continued for one week.

No objection and motion *carried*.

#### Reference to Committee.

The following recommendations of Judiciary Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis.

**Amending Section 221, Article 3, Part I of the Municipal Code, Relating to the Employees' Retirement System, so as to Allow Attorneys and Physicians in Non-Civil Service Positions, Who Resign and Withdraw Their Contributions from the Retirement System Within Sixty Days Prior to the Date Upon Which They Normally Would Be Required to Retire Because of Age, to Continue to Work for the City and County Under Subsequent Non-Civil Service Appointments, Without Limit as to Age.**

File No. 8805, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

#### Motion to Recommit.

Supervisor Mancuso, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, moved that the legislation be re-referred to committee.

No objection and motion *carried*.

#### Consideration Continued.

**Prescribing the Information to Be Furnished Whenever the Public Utilities Commission Shall Submit to the Board of Supervisors a Proposal to Fix, Change or Adjust Utility Rates, Charges or Fares, and Prescribing the Procedure to Be Followed by the Board of Supervisors in Its Consideration Thereof.**

File No. 8832, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).



**Request for Legal Opinion.**

Supervisor Arnold requested that the Clerk secure a legal opinion from the City Attorney as to whether or not the proposed legislation is in conflict with the charter.

*Request granted.*

**Motion to Postpone.**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor Dobbs, moved that consideration of the legislation be continued for two weeks.

*No objection and motion carried.*

**Reference to Committee.**

The following emergency measures, appearing on the Board's supplemental calendar, were taken up:

(Note: In each of the following instances, Supervisor Mancuso, seconded by Supervisor MacPhee, moved that the measure be referred to the Finance Committee. No objection and motion carried.)

Appropriating \$10,000, Public Health, Central Office, Bureau of Child Hygiene, from the Estimated Revenues of the General Fund (Rheumatic Heart Program—State Aid, Revenue Appropriation No. 6765) for Expenditure on a Reimbursement Basis, for Diagnostic Service, Rheumatic Fever Program; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 8957, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

Appropriating \$600, War Memorial, from the Surplus Existing in War Memorial Compensation Reserve and General Fund Compensation Reserve, for Wages; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 8980, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

Appropriating \$2,000, Municipal Court, from Emergency Reserve Fund, for Materials and Supplies; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 8981, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

Appropriating \$20,180, Public Utilities, Hetch Hetchy, from Hetch Hetchy Compensation Reserve and Project Surplus Funds for Wages, Maintenance and Repair of Automotive Equipment; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 8982, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

Appropriating \$8,000, Public Utilities, Hetch Hetchy, from Hetch Hetchy Project Surplus Fund, for Materials and Supplies; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 8983, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

Appropriating \$6,500, Sheriff's Department, from the Emergency Reserve Fund, for Foodstuffs—County Jail No. 2, and Heat, Light and Power—Sheriff; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 8984, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

**OFF-CALENDAR LEGISLATION.**

The following recommendations of his Honor, the Mayor, were presented by the Clerk:

**Adopted.**

**Leaves of Absence**—Francis McCarty, Member of Board of Supervisors, April 25-27; John Elmer Barricklo, Deputy City Attorney, May 2-13; Bert W. Levit, Member of the Board of Education, May 5-15; and Dr. John J. Kingston, Coroner, May 14-June 3, 1952, All With Permission to Leave the State.

File No. 7823, Resolution No. 12209 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Mancuso, seconded by Supervisor Arnold, moved adoption of the legislation.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

**Absent:** Supervisors Christopher, McMurray—2.

**ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF MEASURES AND COMMUNICATIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.**

**Motion Carried.**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, moved that Monday, May 5, 1952, at the hour of 3:00 p. m., be fixed as the time for the public hearing on the budget and appropriation ordinance for 1952-53, pursuant to the provisions of Section 72 of the Charter and Section 4a of the Budgetary Procedure Ordinance.

File No. 8603

No objection and motion *carried*.

**Adopted.**

**Endorsing Charter Amendment, Proposition "A", on the June 3, 1952, Ballot, Relating to Standardization of Rates of Compensation for Members of the Fire and Police Departments.**

Supervisor Ferdon presented:

File No. 8691-2, Resolution No. 12214 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Ferdon, seconded by Supervisor Dobbs, moved adoption of the legislation.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

**Absent:** Supervisors Christopher, McMurray—2.

The Board again considered the following legislation:

**Opposing Additional Bonded Debt of San Francisco-Oakland Bay Bridge Except for Purpose of Financing a Southern Bay Crossing.**

Supervisor Lewis presented:

File No. 8986, Resolution No. 12224 (Series of 1939).

Supervisor Lewis remarked that he had added language to the proposal to comply with the request of Supervisor MacPhee.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

**Absent:** Supervisors Christopher, McMurray—2.

Reference to Committee

**Charter Amendment—Providing for the Consolidation of the Offices of Tax Collector and Assessor.**

Supervisor MacPhee presented:

File No. 8958

*Referred to Judiciary Committee*

**Meeting With Public Housing Administration Re Disposal of Surplus Land.**

Supervisor MacPhee requested that the Public Buildings, Lands and City Planning Committee invite the officials of the Public Housing Administration to attend a meeting for the purpose of discussing the disposal of the surplus war housing land located at Army and Harrison Streets

*Referred to Public Buildings, Lands and City Planning Committee.*

**Bond Issue—Rehabilitation of the Civic Auditorium.**

Supervisor Mancuso inquired as to the status of the proposed \$2,500,000 bond issue for the rehabilitation of the Civic Auditorium.

Mr. Brooks informed the Board that at the present time the matter was in his hands and that he would have it before the Board in time to be considered for the election to be held in November.

**Policy Relative to Location of Second Bay Crossing.**

Supervisor Mancuso requested that a hearing be held to adopt a policy relative to the location of the second Bay crossing so that the Board could go ahead on the matter.

Supervisor Mancuso was informed by the Chair that the subject matter was on the calendar and postponed for one week.

Thereupon Supervisor Mancuso withdrew his request.

**Expressing Thanks for Letter of Sympathy.**

Supervisor Mead expressed his thanks to the members of the Board for their kind letter of sympathy during his recent illness.

**Adopted.**

**Accepting Gift of \$1,780 to Defray Costs of Reception for Queen Juliana.**

Supervisor Sullivan presented:

File No. 8787, Resolution No. 12225 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Sullivan, seconded by Supervisor Arnold, moved adoption of the legislation.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray—2.

MONDAY, APRIL 28, 1952

**Announcement of Committee Meeting.**

Supervisor Sullivan announced a meeting of the Public Health and Welfare Committee, Thursday, May 1, 1952, 3:00 p. m.

**ADJOURNMENT.**

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 7:35 p. m., adjourned.

JOHN R. McGRATH, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors May 26, 1952.

I, John R. McGrath, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the date hereon stated and approved as recited.

JOHN R. McGRATH,  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.

Monday, May 5, 1952

Tuesday, May 6, 1952

# Journal of Proceedings Board of Supervisors

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# JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MONDAY, MAY 5, 1952—2:00 P. M.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, May 5, 1952,  
2:00 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session

## CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present.

Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, MacPhee, Mancuso—3.

Quorum present.

President Dewey Mead presiding.

Supervisor Arnold noted present at 2:10 p. m.

Supervisor Mancuso noted present at 2:15 p. m.

Supervisor MacPhee noted present at 2:20 p. m.

Supervisor MacPhee excused from attendance at 4:00 p. m.

## Communications.

From the League of California Cities, Peninsula Division, extending an invitation to Dinner Meeting, Thursday, May 15, 1952, 7:00 p. m., Lyles Restaurant, South San Francisco.

*Cops to each member of the Board.*

## UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

### Final Passage.

The following recommendations of Finance Committee, heretofore considered, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 83.5, Board of Education, Non-Certificated Employees (School Cafeteria), by Deleting One Position of School Cafeteria Helper, Male (Part-Time), at \$1.35 Per Hour, and Adding One Position of School Cafeteria Helper, Male, Same Rate.

File No. 333, Ordinance No. 7306 (Series of 1939).

(Establishes part-time exempt position and eliminates one civil service part-time position.)

Finally Passed by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, MacPhee, Mancuso—3.

**Authorizing Attendance of Three Members of the Child Welfare Division, Public Welfare Department, at the Annual Regional Conference of the Child Welfare League of America, to Be Held in Long Beach, May 1-3, 1952.**

File No. 8911, Ordinance No. 7313 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, MacPhee, Mancuso—3.

**Appropriating \$25,000, Recreation and Park, for Acquisition of Land Located in Vicinity of Merrie Way, North of Point Lobos Avenue, Required for Shoreline Development.**

File No. 8751, Ordinance No. 7306 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Lot 7, Block 1313, being the Municipal Railway right of way extending westerly from Forty-eighth and Point Lobos Avenues, and the former Sutro Terminal parcel acquired by the city from the Market Street Railway.)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, MacPhee, Mancuso—3.

**Authorizing Compromise and Settlement of Claim of Fern Maxfield Against the City and County by the Payment of \$1,000.**

File No. 8880, Ordinance No. 7309 (Series of 1939).

(Personal injuries suffered as result of alleged defective condition of sidewalk.)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, MacPhee, Mancuso—3.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 83, Board of Education, County Offices, Etc., by Authorizing Compensation of \$100 Per Month Each for Seven Members of the Board of Education, Effective March 10, 1952.**

File No. 8882, Ordinance No. 7310 (Series of 1939).

(In accordance with charter amendment ratified by the Legislature on March 10, 1952.)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, MacPhee, Mancuso—3.

**Appropriating \$15,000, Water Department, for Pipe Line Electrolysis Protection.**

File No. 8903, Ordinance No. 7311 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, MacPhee, Mancuso—3.



**Authorizing Sale at Public Auction of Surplus Fire Department Land.**

File No. 3906, Ordinance No. 7312 (Series of 1939).

- Parcel 1 Lot 15, Block 209, located on west side of Brenham Place, north of Clay Street. Size: 25 feet by 68 feet 9 inches.
- Parcel 2 Lot 9, Block 1434, located on west side of Second Avenue, south of Clement Street. Size: 30 feet by 120 feet.
- Parcel 3 Lot 13, Block 4160, located on east side of De Haro Street, north of Twenty-third Street. Size: 25 feet by 80 feet. All in conformity with Master Plan.)

Filed. Passed by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Also: Supervisors Arnold, MacPhee, Mancuso—3.

**Passage for Second Reading****Appropriating \$500, Youth Guidance Center, Probation Office, for Use of Employees' Cars.**

File No. 954, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

Apr. 2, 1952—Consideration continued to May 5, 1952.

Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Also: Supervisors MacPhee, Mancuso—2.

**Final Passage.**

The following recommendation of Streets Committee, heretofore considered, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Ferdon, McMurray, Sullivan.

**Authorizing Exchange of Easements With Pacific Coast Construction Company, Required for Midtown Terrace No. 2 Subdivision.**

File No. 412, Ordinance No. 7307 (Series of 1939).

Easements are considered to be of equal value. Not in conformity with the Master Plan.)

Filed. Passed by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Also: Supervisors MacPhee, Mancuso—2.

**Temporary Postponement**

The following recommendation of Education, Parks and Recreation Committee, heretofore considered, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors MacPhee, McMurray.

Declaring It to Be the Policy of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco That the Chief Administrative Officer Shall Make Application to the Regional Director of the National Park Service of the Federal Government, for the Acquisition of Angel Island Under a Special Use Permit for the Purpose of Ascertaining Whether Public Usage Demands the Acquisition of Angel Island and Whether or not a Financially Responsible Concessionaire Can Be Obtained to Operate the Facilities of Said Island.

File No. 7660-5, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

Apr. 2, 1952—Consideration continued to May 5, 1952.

**Motion to Temporarily Postpone.**

Supervisor Dobbs, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, moved temporary postponement.

No objection and motion *carried*.

**Temporary Postponement.**

The following, called from the County, State and National Affairs Committee by Supervisor Christopher, heretofore considered, was taken up:

**Urging Meeting of San Francisco Officials, Members of the San Francisco Delegation in the State Legislature and the Legislative Representative, for the Purpose of Formulating Policy Concerning Location of and Approaches to an Additional Crossing of San Francisco Bay.**

File No. 8803, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

April 28, 1952—Consideration continued to May 5, 1952.

**Motion to Temporarily Postpone.**

Supervisor Christopher, seconded by Supervisor Arnold, moved temporary postponement.

No objection and motion *carried*.

**Veto Sustained—Consideration of Mayor's Veto.**

**Requesting Mayor to Appoint Citizens' Committee to Devise Ways and Means of Rehabilitating the Palace of Fine Arts Without Cost to the City and County.**

File No. 8922, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

(The above measure was returned vetoed and disapproved by the Mayor on April 18, 1952, accompanied by the Mayor's explanatory letter of the same date.)

April 28, 1952—Consideration continued to May 5, 1952.

**Stating the Question.**

The Chair stated that the question was "Shall the resolution become effective notwithstanding the Mayor's veto." A vote "Aye" overrides the Mayor's veto, a vote "No" sustains the Mayor's veto. Nine votes required to override the Mayor's veto.

**Communication.**

From Val King, confidential secretary to the Mayor, transmitting the information that Doctor Hambly will welcome Mr. Spears and his group to membership on the committee for rehabilitation of the Palace of Fine Arts.

*Filed.*

Veto sustained by the following vote:

Noes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, Mancuso—2.

**NEW BUSINESS.****Adopted.**

The following recommendations of Finance Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

**Authorizing Extension of Granting of Emergency Relief to Dependent Non-Residents for May and June; List Dated May 5, 1952.**

File No. 7822, Resolution No. 12234 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, Mancuso—2.

**Authorizing Attendance of Assistant Actuary, Retirement Board, at the Convention of the Actuarial Club of the Pacific States, to Be Held in Coronado, California, May 22-23, 1952.**

File No. 8943, Resolution No. 12235 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, Mancuso—2.

**Authorizing Mayor and Public Utilities Commission to Accept Offer of Grant of Federal Funds for the Development of the San Francisco Airport.**

File No. 8966, Resolution No. 12236 (Series of 1939).

(Through Administrator of Civil Aeronautics, maximum amount of grant \$345,000.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

**Authorizing Attendance of Senior Medical Social Service Worker, San Francisco Hospital, at Annual Conference of California Association for Social Welfare, to Be Held in Long Beach, California, May 5-7, 1952.**

File No. 8974, Resolution No. 12237 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Exempting Position of Medical Social Worker (Female) from Residence Requirements of the Charter.**

File No. 8976, Resolution No. 12238 (Series of 1939).

(Effective only for next following regular and limited tenure civil service examinations.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Sullivan—7.

Noes: Supervisors Ferdon, McMurray, Mead—3.

Absent: Supervisor Arnold—1.

**Exempting Position of Psychiatric Social Worker from Residence Requirements of the Charter.**

File No. 8977, Resolution No. 12233 (Series of 1939).

(Effective only for next following limited tenure civil service examination.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Sullivan—7.

Noes: Supervisors Ferdon, McMurray, Mead—3.

Absent: Supervisor Arnold—1.

MONDAY, MAY 5, 1952

**Reference to Committee.**

The Board resumed its consideration of File No. 7660-5, relative to acquisition of Angel Island.

**Discussion.**

Supervisor MacPhee explained that under the proposal the Board of Supervisors would have to provide a budget of \$18,000 for one year, for limited operation and custodial service, and during that time the city would have the opportunity to call for bids for the leasing of the island.

**Privilege of the Floor.**

Supervisor MacPhee, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, moved the privilege of the floor for Mr. William Sutherland.

No objection and motion *carried*.

Mr. Sutherland stated that he did not believe that the City should take over the island because in the end it would cost approximately \$2,000,000. He remarked that he was desirous of having the island disposed of to private capital for subdivision purposes.

Supervisor MacPhee, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, moved the privilege of the floor for Captain Dewlaney.

No objection and motion *carried*.

Captain Dewlaney explained that he represented the Angel Island Syndicate which was prepared to make in writing a proposal which would provide for the patrolling of the Island; that the Island would be operated only as a high class resort.

**Motion to Recommit.**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, moved that the legislation be re-referred to Committee.

Supervisor Lewis remarked that before the Board goes on record as to policy it should receive information as to the names of the interested persons; the money should be put into escrow; the Board should be informed who the concessionaires will be and plans for the operation of the Island should be submitted.

Supervisor Mancuso in explaining his vote said that he would have to vote against the motion because the only thing before the Board was the determination of policy as to whether or not the City should acquire the Island for the trial period.

Supervisor MacPhee in explaining his vote remarked that he would vote against re-reference because he was of the opinion that the City should first acquire the Island and then call for bids.

Motion *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, McCarty, Sullivan—7.

Noes: Supervisors MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Mead—4

**Announcement of Committee Meeting.**

Supervisor MacPhee announced that the Education, Parks and Recreation Committee would meet to consider the matter on Tuesday, May 20th, at 2:00 p. m.

**SPECIAL ORDER—3:00 P. M.****Re-reference to Finance Committee.**

Public Hearing on the Proposed Budget and Proposed Appropriation Ordinance for the Fiscal Year 1952-1953.

File No. 8603

The President inquired if there were any persons or representatives of organizations in the audience who desired to speak in connection with the 1952-53 budget.

There being no citizens desiring to speak, the Chair re-referred the proposed budget and proposed Appropriation Ordinance to Finance Committee.

#### **Fixing Date for Budget Consideration.**

Supervisor Arnold moved, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, that when the Board completed its meeting it recess until Tuesday, May 6th, 10:00 a. m., to consider the departmental budgets.

No objection and motion *carried*.

#### **Presentation of Guest.**

The Chair presented Mr. Deleous, member of the City Council of Salonika, Greece, who was visiting the United States to study radio, theater and city government.

#### **Request to Be Excused.**

Supervisor MacPhee requested that he be excused from attendance at 4:00 p. m.

No objection and *request granted*.

#### **Temporary Postponement.**

The Board resumed its consideration of File No. 3303 relating to formulation of policy concerning additional Bay crossings.

#### **Motion to Amend.**

Supervisor McCarty, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, moved that the legislation be amended by adding the following language in the "Resolved": "for the purpose of effectuating the policy heretofore adopted by this Board of Supervisors in its Resolution No. 12224 (Series of 1939), and for the purpose of formulating any new policy not in conflict therewith."

No objection and motion *carried*.

#### **Motion to Temporarily Postpone.**

Supervisor Lewis, seconded by Supervisor Arnold, moved temporary postponement.

No objection and motion *carried*.

#### **Taken Up Out of Order.**

##### **Adopted.**

Supervisor MacPhee, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, moved suspension of the rules to consider the following legislation out of order.

No objection and motion *carried*.

#### **In Memoriam—Louis Perrin.**

Supervisors MacPhee and Mancuso jointly presented

File No. 7824, Resolution No. 12227 (Series of 1939).

#### **Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor MacPhee, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, moved adoption of the legislation.

*Adopted by rising vote as follows:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Adopted.**

The Board resumed consideration of the following:

**Urging Meeting of San Francisco Officials and Legislative Representatives Relative to Policy Concerning Location of and Approaches to an Additional Crossing of San Francisco Bay.**

File No. 8803, Resolution No. 12239 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Amend.**

Supervisor Lewis, seconded by Supervisor Dobbs, moved deletion of the "Whereas."

No objection and motion *carried*.

**Adoption.**

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, MacPhee—2.

**Authorizing Clerk of the Board of Supervisors to Attend Annual Convention of the National Institute of Municipal Clerks, to Be Held in Dallas, Texas, May 21-24, 1952.**

File No. 8997, Resolution No. 12232 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, MacPhee—2.

**Passage for Second Reading.****Amending Ordinance No. 6784 (Series of 1939), Annual Appropriation Ordinance, by Adding Thereto Section 12.1, Providing for a War Memorial Tenants' Overtime Appropriation.**

File No. 8900, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, MacPhee—2.

**Authorizing Reimbursement of Two Employees of the Department of Public Health of Tuition Fees for a Course on Operating Room, Central Supply Room and Blood Bank Techniques Held at Fort Miley Veterans' Administration Hospital, November 12-17, 1951.**

File No. 8919, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Tuition fees, \$100.)

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, MacPhee—2.

**Appropriating \$782, Recreation and Park Department, for Temporary Patrolling of Lake Merced.**

File No. 8935, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee—2.

**Appropriating \$100, Adult Probation Department, for Overtime.**

File No. 8953, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee—2.

**Appropriating \$3,000, Department of Public Works, Special Road Improvement Fund, for the Widening of Garden Street at Broderick Street.**

File No. 8954, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee—2.

**Appropriating \$570, Agriculture (Horticultural) Inspection Department, for Premium Pay for Inspectors.**

File No. 8969, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee—2.

**Appropriating \$329.86, Police Department, for Retroactive Compensation to Be Paid to Estate of Sergeant Edward A. Oliva.**

File No. 8970, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee—2.

**Appropriating \$20,000, Department of Public Works, Special Road Improvement Fund, for Contractual Services and Materials and Supplies.**

File No. 8971, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee—2.

**Authorizing and Directing Controller and Public Utilities Commission to Account as a Loss the Sum of \$9 in Counterfeit Currency Received With Water Department Collections.**

File No. 8972, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(\$1 postal note was altered to \$10.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee—2.

**Providing for Per Diem Traveling Expenses of Officers and Employees on Official Business During Fiscal Year 1952-53.**

File No. 3973, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(\$20 per day.)

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee—2.

**Final Passage.**

**Appropriating \$10,310, Department of Public Works, Sewer Repair, from Emergency Reserve Fund, for Overtime, Contractual Services, Truck Hire, Fuel, Illuminants and Lubricants; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 3945, Ordinance No. 7301 (Series of 1939).

(Allowance for Overtime . . . . .)	\$ 860
Contractual Services . . . . .	250
Truck Hire . . . . .	8,200
Fuel, Illuminants and Lubricants . . . . .	1,000

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee—2.

**Appropriating \$10,000, Department of Public Health, Central Office, Bureau of Child Hygiene, for Expenditure, on a Reimbursement Basis, for Diagnostic Service, Rheumatic Fever Program; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 3957, Ordinance No. 7302 (Series of 1939).

(Under provisions of contract between City and County and State Department of Public Health.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, Sullivan—2.

**Appropriating \$600, War Memorial, for Wages; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 3980, Ordinance No. 7303 (Series of 1939).

(For employment of temporary Stage Electrician to replace permanent employee who is hospitalized due to serious illness.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, Sullivan—2.

**Appropriating \$2,000, Municipal Court, from Emergency Reserve Fund, for Materials and Supplies; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 3981, Ordinance No. 7304 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, Sullivan—2.



Appropriating \$6,500, Sheriff, from Emergency Reserve Fund, for Foodstuffs and Heat, Light and Power; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 8934, Ordinance No. 7305 (Series of 1939)

(Foodstuffs—County Jail No. 2	\$4,500
Heat, Light and Power—Sheriff	2,000)

Finally Passed by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9

Absent—Supervisors MacPhee, Sullivan—2

#### Reference to Finance Committee.

The following emergency measure appearing on the Board's supplemental calendar, was taken up:

Appropriating \$1,560.60, Retirement System, from the Surplus Existing in the Employees' Retirement System Compensation Reserve, for Fees and Special Compensations; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9003, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Required for Retirement Board hearing to determine eligibility for disability retirement or for determination of liability on account of industrial accidents, also to provide for review of out-of-town residence of city employees.)

#### Motion to Refer.

Supervisor Christopher, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, moved reference to Finance Committee.

No objection and motion carried.

#### OFF-CALENDAR LEGISLATION.

The following recommendation of his Honor, the Mayor, was presented by the Clerk:

#### Adopted.

Leaves of Absence—Thomas C. Howe, Jr., Director of California Palace of the Legion of Honor, Period of Approximately Two Weeks Commencing May 23rd; Harry J. Stewart, Member of the Retirement Board, May 8-10 and May 13-17; Henry C. Maginn, Member of Police Commission, May 2-16; John J. Sullivan, Member of Board of Supervisors, May 7-25; and Byron Arnold, Member of Board of Supervisors, May 7-25, All With Permission to Leave the State.

File No. 7823, Resolution No. 12226 (Series of 1939).

#### Motion to Adopt.

Supervisor Christopher, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, moved the adoption of the foregoing measure.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10

Absent—Supervisor MacPhee—1.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF MEASURES AND  
COMMUNICATIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED  
UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Adopted.

Commending the Bank of America for Presentation of Second Annual  
Central California Achievements Award.

Supervisor Christopher presented:

File No. 9010, Resolution No. 12228 (Series of 1939).

Motion to Adopt.

Supervisor Christopher, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, moved adoption of the foregoing measure.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

Statement by Supervisor Lewis Relative to Expenditure of \$25,000,000 from San Francisco-Oakland Bay Bridge Bond Fund for Bridge Approaches in San Francisco.

Supervisor Lewis informed the Board that he went to Sacramento to inquire as to whether or not San Francisco would receive its share of the monies realized from the sale of San Francisco-Oakland Bridge Bonds, and he was informed that while the City would receive \$25,000,000 there were no plans being prepared for a Southern Crossing. The money would be spent for the completion of the Bay Shore Freeway, which would cost approximately \$12,500,000 and for The Embarcadero Freeway.

He further remarked that the State would not permit any approaches from the Bay Shore Freeway to a Southern Crossing.

Supervisor Lewis also said that if San Francisco decides on an Army Street Southern Crossing an overhead Embarcadero Freeway, going from north to south, would have to be built at a cost of approximately \$35,000,000; if a Candlestick Southern Crossing were constructed it would necessitate an overhead freeway at Hunter's Point and an underground one at the housing project.

It was the opinion of Supervisor Lewis that San Francisco would not receive commensurate benefits from the \$25,000,000 which it was to receive.

Reference to Committee.

An Ordinance Prohibiting Outdoor Advertising Structures and Signs  
Adjacent to Landscaped Freeways.

Supervisor Lewis presented:

File No. 8252, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

Referred to Streets Committee.

Adopted.

Commending Boy Scouts, Cub Scouts and Sea Scouts on the Presentation of 1952 Scouting Exposition.

Supervisor Lewis presented:

File No. 9011, Resolution No. 12229 (Series of 1939).

Motion to Adopt.

Supervisor Lewis, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, moved adoption of the foregoing measure.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

**Adopted.**

**Authorizing President of the Board of Supervisors to Attend California State Bowling Association Tournament.**

Supervisor Mancuso presented:

File No. 9012, Resolution No. 12230 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Mancuso, seconded by Supervisor MacPhee, moved the adoption of the foregoing measure.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

**Policy of the Committee for the Rehabilitation of the Palace of Fine Arts.**

Supervisor Mancuso remarked that he had attended a meeting of the Committee for the Rehabilitation of the Palace of Fine Arts and the committee had adopted as its policy that any agreement on the rehabilitation of the Palace of Fine Arts would have to be approved by the Recreation and Park Commission.

**Adopted.**

**Authorizing City Attorney to Represent the City and County of San Francisco in the Matter of Bay Area Transit System, a Partnership; and Timothy J. Manning, for Certificates of Public Convenience and Necessity to Conduct Passenger Stage Operations Between San Francisco, San Mateo and Marin Counties; and a Service from Oakland to Contra Costa County and a Final Service from San Francisco to Marin County Only.**

Supervisor McCarty presented:

File No. 9013, Resolution No. 12231 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor McCarty, seconded by Supervisor Lewis, moved the adoption of the foregoing measure.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

**Presentation of Guest.**

Supervisor Mead called the Board's attention to the fact that Mr. Dan Sweeney, owner and manager of Tarantino's Restaurant, was present in the audience.

**RECESS.**

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 4:25 p. m., recessed to reconvene at 10:00 a. m., Tuesday, May 6th, to consider the budget.

JOHN R. McGRATH, Clerk

## TUESDAY, MAY 6, 1952—10:00 A. M.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Tuesday, May 6, 1952,  
10:00 a. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in recessed session.

## CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Mancuso—1.

Quorum present.

President Dewey Mead presiding.

Supervisor Mancuso noted present at 10:45 a. m.

## Motion to Sit as a Committee of the Whole.

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor Lewis, moved that the Board resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole.

No objection and motion *carried*.

## Statement by Supervisor Arnold.

Your Finance Committee has reviewed the budget proposed for the fiscal year 1952-1953 and as a product of its studies has made certain recommendations that, if approved by the Board, will reduce the proposed budget and its supplements totaling approximately \$168,500,000 by about \$1,350,000.

The budget and its supplements requested 14 more positions than existed in the current fiscal year. Your committee recommends the elimination of 78 positions. However, there are some new positions remaining in the budget but these were permitted to remain only after a very careful review of necessity.

Your committee carefully reviewed all departmental requests in conference with the several department heads and in the main the recommended allowances are in line with experience, but in some instances where the showing justified a change, there are some increases.

However, your committee is concerned about the ever increasing burden to the ad valorem taxpayer. The total requirement from ad valorem taxes approximates \$75,000,000, an increased requirement of about \$5,000,000 and this prior to the July salary adjustments and the final school budget.

Your committee could not find adequate relief by budget reduction and therefore will, between now and tax rate time, review the revenue situation to see if changes in existing sources of other revenue or possible new sources of other revenue can give some relief.

## INDEX 2—MAYOR

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved approval of the following supplemental budget request:

Sheet No.	Line No.	Item	Amount
2	19	Services of Other Departments (Bailliff—salary increase)	\$ 180

Motion *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Mancuso—1.

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Mayor, as submitted by the Mayor, be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Mancuso—1.

#### INDEX 2.76—MAYOR, REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Mayor, Redevelopment Agency, as submitted by the Mayor, be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

Motion to Amend.

Supervisor MacPhee moved that on Sheet 1, Line 3, For and Special Compensation, the amount of \$2,200 be deleted.

Motion lost for want of a second.

Motion to approve budget carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—6.

No: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, Mancuso—2.

#### INDEX 2.77—MAYOR, PARKING AUTHORITY

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Mayor, Parking Authority, as submitted by the Mayor, be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

Statement by Supervisor MacPhee.

Supervisor MacPhee stated that he would vote against the budget because it contained money for payment of the Commissioners. He said that he was opposed to paying Commissioners such as these and that if they were paid all similar Commissioners should receive some remuneration.

Motion to approve the budget carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

No: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, Mancuso—2.

#### INDEX 2.78-2.78.10 INC.—MAYOR, S. F. DISASTER COUNCIL & CORPS

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Mayor, San Francisco Disaster Council and Corps, with the following amendments recommended by the Finance Committee, be approved:

##### S. F. Disaster Council and Corps—Director's Office (Index 2.78)

Sheet No.	Line No.	Description	From	To	Balance
3	29	Unappropriated Reserve	\$240,000	\$ -0-	\$240,000
4	7	General Clerk-Stenographer	0	7	2,880
4	17	Overtime	300	-0-	300
4	21	Temporary Salaries	1,000	-0-	1,000
5	6	Maintenance and Repair, Auto Equipment	200	36	164

Sheet No.	Line No.	Item	From	To	Reduction
5	12	Blueprinting and Mimeographing	4,000	1,967	2,033
5	15	Rental—Other Equipment	500	-0-	500
5	16	Other Professional Services	1,800	500	1,300
5	17	Entertainment of Visitors	100	-0-	100
5	18	Other Contractual Services	400	155	245
6	10	Stationery and Office Supplies	5,750	3,365	2,385
7	4	Office Machines	1,035	190	845

**Disaster Corps—Warden Service (Index 2.78.1)**

9	2	General Clerk-Typist	12	11	2,880
9	18	Blueprinting and Mimeographing	1,000	492	508
9	21	Window Washing	3,000	1,200	1,800
9	23	Other Contractual Services	500	192	308
10	4	Electrical Supplies	100	69	31
10	10	Stationery and Office Supplies	5,000	2,926	2,074

**Disaster Corps—Plant Protection (Index 2.78.2)**

12	6	Blueprinting and Mimeographing	300	148	152
12	7	Other Contractual Services	200	77	123
12	24	Stationery and Office Supplies	200	117	83

**Disaster Corps—Ground Observer Corps (Index 2.78.3)***Adopt budget as submitted by Mayor.***Disaster Corps—Communications (Index 2.78.4)**

17	3	Maintenance and Repair Automotive Equipment	100	18	82
17	14	Electrical Supplies	1,500	1,041	459

**Disaster Corps—Emergency Medical (Index 2.78.6)***Adopt budget as submitted by Mayor.***Disaster Corps—Rescue and First Aid (Index 2.78.7)**

21	7	Blueprinting and Mimeographing	600	295	305
21	3	Other Contractual Services	100	38	62
21	21	Electrical Supplies	538	374	164
21	26	Stationery and Office Supplies	100	59	41

**Disaster Corps—Transportation (Index 2.78.8)**

24	17	Stationery and Office Supplies	765	448	317
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**Disaster Corps—Auxiliary Police Reserve (Index 2.78.9)**

26	6	Blueprinting and Mimeographing	200	98	102
26	10	Other Contractual Services	100	38	62
27	4	Electrical Supplies	150	104	46
27	10	Stationery and Office Supplies	1,000	585	415

**Disaster Corps—Auxiliary Fire Service (Index 2.78.10)**

29	2	Maintenance and Repair Automotive Equipment	3,000	546	2,454
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*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, Mancuso—2.

**INDEX 3—ASSESSOR**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Assessor, with the following amendments recommended by the Finance Committee, be approved.

Sheet No.	Line No.	Item	From	To	Reduction
2	11	Key Punch Operator	5	4	\$ 2,760
	23	Land Appraiser	12	11	4,800
	29	Property Auditor	26	25	4,800
3	8	Overtime	\$ 5,000	\$ 4,000	1,000
	14	Temporary Salaries	117,000	105,000	12,000

**Motion to Amend.**

Supervisor MacPhee, seconded by Supervisor Christopher, moved that on Sheet 2, Line 26, Building Appraiser, 2 new employments, be deleted.

Motion defeated by the following vote.

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee, Mead—3.

Noes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Sullivan—8.

Motion to approve budget carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

No: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

**INDEX 4—CITY ATTORNEY**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the City Attorney, with the following amendments recommended by the Finance Committee, and including the following supplemental budget request, be approved.

Sheet No.	Line No.	Item	From	To	Reduction
3	20	Litigation Expense	\$12,000	\$10,000	\$ 2,000
	23	Carpets	1,000	950	50
4	3	Office Furniture	750	500	250

Supplemental budget request:

Sheet No.	Line No.	Item	Amount
1	1	Rate Litigation	\$1,125

Motion carried by the following vote.

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**INDEX 5—DISTRICT ATTORNEY**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the District Attorney, as submitted by the Mayor, and including the following supplemental budget request, be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

Sheet No.	Line No.	Item	Amount
1	10	Temporary Salaries (Investigations— recipients of Foster Care Aid)	\$2,010

Motion carried by the following vote.

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Christopher—1.

**INDEX 6—TREASURER**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Treasurer, as submitted by the Mayor, be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Christopher—1.

**INDEX 7—SHERIFF**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Sheriff, with the following amendments recommended by the Finance Committee, be approved.

Sheet No.	Line No.	Item	From	To	Reduction
10	7	Meat	\$14,000	\$12,880	\$ 1,120
	9	Total Foodstuffs County Jail No. 1			
			34,150	32,224	1,926
22		Meat	35,000	32,200	2,800
24		Total Foodstuffs County Jail No. 2			
			81,600	76,936	4,664

Sheriff Gallagher explained the necessity for additional employments that had been recommended by the Finance Committee.

**Motion to Amend.**

Supervisor Mancuso moved that on Sheet 4, Line 29, Jailer, the number of employments be reduced from 36 to 34.

*Motion lost for want of a second.*

*Motion to approve carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Christopher—1.

**INDEX 8—PUBLIC DEFENDER**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Public Defender as submitted by the Mayor, be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Christopher—1.

**INDEX 9—POLICE DEPARTMENT**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Police Department, with the following amendments recommended by the Finance Committee, be approved.

Sheet No.	Line No.	Item	From	To	Reduction
5	17	Policeman	1,250	1,231	\$66,120
	21	Sergeant	193	189	18,480
7	8	Heat, Light and Power	\$17,500	\$15,000	2,500
	9	Telephone and Telegraph	33,000	30,000	3,000
9	14	Gas and Oil	75,000	70,000	5,000
10	7	Meat	7,200	6,624	576
	10	Foodstuffs—Total	27,650	26,256	1,394
11	18	Equipment (Gas Pump and Tank)	2,000	-0-	2,000
C-1	8	Land, Mission Station	28,500	-0-	28,500



**Motion to Amend.**

Supervisor MacPhee, seconded by Supervisor Christopher, moved that on Sheet 7, Line 16, Subsistence and Care of Animals, the amount of \$2,500 be reduced to \$1,500.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

Supervisor MacPhee, seconded by Supervisor Christopher, moved that on Sheet 9, Line 14, Forage and Feed, the amount of \$3,200 be reduced to \$5,000.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

Supervisor McMurray, seconded by Supervisor Dobbs, moved that the recommendation of the Finance Committee relative to Sheet 5, Line 17, Policeman, be deleted.

Chair ruled the motion *out of order*.

**Seriatim Consideration.**

Supervisor MacPhee moved seriatim consideration.

Supervisor Sullivan moved that on Sheet 5, Line 17, Policeman, the number be reduced from 1,250 to 1,240.

*Motion withdrawn.*

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that on Sheet 5, Line 17, Policeman, the number be reduced from 1,250 to 1,231.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty—6.

Noes: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—5.

Supervisor Mancuso, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved the approval of the balance of the recommendations of the Finance Committee.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Approval of Budget.**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Police Department, as amended by the Board pursuant to the recommendations of the Finance Committee, and as further amended by the Board, without recommendation from the Finance Committee, be approved.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**INDEX 10—FIRE DEPARTMENT**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Fire Department, with the following amendment recommended by the Finance Committee, be approved.

Sheet No	Line No	Item	From	To	Reduction
4	5	Fireman (State Funds)	4	3	\$3,480

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Dobbs—1.

**INDEX 11—BOARD OF PERMIT APPEALS**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Board of Permit Appeals, as submitted by the Mayor, be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Dobbs—1.

**INDEX 12—RECREATION AND PARK DEPARTMENT**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Recreation and Park Department, with the following amendments recommended by the Finance Committee, be approved.

Sheet No.	Line No.	Item	From	To	Reduction
15	17	Heat, Light and Power	\$65,000	\$58,000	\$ 7,000
18	3	Office Furniture	757	325	432
23	2	Heat, Light and Power	6,000	5,400	600
28	2	Heat, Light and Power	5,800	5,400	400
33	10	Overtime	500	300	200
36	19	Stationery	1,550	1,250	300
C-1	24	Landscaping	6,000	-0-	6,000
C-3	30	Band Stand—Heating	1,975	-0-	1,975

**Discussion.**

Mr. Dave Lewis, General Manager, explained the necessity for the various items in the Recreation and Park Department budget.

**Request for Information.**

Supervisor MacPhee requested that the Clerk secure a report from the Controller as to the loss or profit from the operation of the various restaurants and food vending services during the past year.

Request granted.

**Approval of Budget.**

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

No: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

**INDEX 14—PUBLIC LIBRARY**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Public Library, with the following amendments recommended by the Finance Committee, be approved.

Sheet No.	Line No.	Item	From	To	Reduction
3	8	General Clerk (Part-Time)	4	2	\$ 1,908
8	16	Fire Fighting Equipment	\$ 1,000	-0-	1,000
C-1	27	Land—Park Merced	10,000	-0-	10,000
C-1	28	Land—Excelsior	10,000	-0-	10,000

**Motion to Amend.**

Supervisor Mancuso moved that on Sheet C1, Line 17, North Beach Library, the amount of \$150,000 be restored to the budget.

Motion lost for want of a second.

**Approval of Budget.**

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9.

No: Supervisor Mancuso—1.

Absent: Supervisor Sullivan—1.

**Motion to Recess.**

Supervisor McMurray, seconded by Supervisor MacPhee, moved that the Board, sitting as a Committee of the Whole, recess until the hour of 2:00 p. m.

No objection and motion carried.

**RECESS.**

The Board, sitting as a Committee of the Whole, recessed at the hour of 12:15 p. m., to reconvene at 2:00 p. m.

JOHN R. McGRATH, Clerk

TUESDAY, MAY 6, 1952—2:00 P. M.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Tuesday, May 6, 1952, 2:00 p. m.

The Board, sitting as a Committee of the Whole, met in recessed session.

**CALLING THE ROLL.**

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

Quorum present.

President Dewey Mead presiding.

Supervisor Lewis excused from attendance until 4:00 p. m.

Supervisor McMurray noted present at 2:35 p. m.

Supervisor Sullivan noted present at 3:00 p. m.

Supervisor Lewis noted present at 4:10 p. m.

Supervisor Mancuso noted present at 4:30 p. m.

Supervisor Ferdon excused from attendance at 5:30 p. m.

**Continuation of Budget Consideration.****INDEX 15—WAR MEMORIAL**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor Christopher, moved that the budget of the War Memorial as submitted by the Mayor be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Sullivan—4.

**INDEX 15.1—WAR MEMORIAL—ART MUSEUM**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor Christopher, moved that the budget of the War Memorial, Art Museum, with the following amendment recommended by the Finance Committee, be approved.

Sheet No.	Line No.	Item	From	To	Reduction
8	18	Heat, Light and Power	\$ 6,892	\$ 6,000	\$ 892

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Sullivan—4.

**INDEX 16—ART COMMISSION**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor Christopher, moved that the budget of the Art Commission, as submitted by the Mayor, be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

Mr. Hagopian explained the necessity for the money for the art show.

**Motion to Temporarily Postpone.**

Supervisor MacPhee, seconded by Supervisor McMurray, moved temporary postponement of the budget.

No objection and motion *carried*.

**INDEX 17—CALIFORNIA PALACE OF THE LEGION OF HONOR**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor Christopher, moved that the budget of the California Palace of the Legion of Honor, with the following amendment recommended by the Finance Committee, be approved.

Sheet No.	Line No.	Item	From	To	Reduction
4	13	Printing, etc.	\$ 4,500	\$ 3,015	\$ 1,485

Motion *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Sullivan—4.

**INDEX 17.1—CALIFORNIA PALACE OF THE LEGION OF HONOR—ACHENBACH FOUNDATION**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor Christopher, moved that the budget of the California Palace of the Legion of Honor, Achenbach Foundation, with the following amendment recommended by the Finance Committee, be approved.

Sheet No.	Line No.	Item	From	To	Reduction
2	2	General Clerk-Stenographer (Part-Time)	1	-0-	\$ 954

Motion *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Sullivan—4

**INDEX 18—M. H. deYOUNG MEMORIAL MUSEUM**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor Christopher, moved that the budget of the M. H. deYoung Memorial Museum, with the following amendments recommended by the Finance Committee, be approved.

Sheet No.	Line No.	Item	From	To	Reduction
5	2	Travel Expense	\$ 500	\$ 100	\$ 400
	3	Freight, Express	750	500	250
	9	Heat, Light and Power	6,000	5,700	300
7	29	Fuel Oil	3,300	3,100	200
8	15	Exhibition Equipment	7,500	5,500	2,000

Motion *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Sullivan—4.

## INDEX 19—CALIFORNIA ACADEMY OF SCIENCES STEINHART AQUARIUM & MUSEUM BUILDINGS

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor Christopher, moved that the budget of the California Academy of Sciences, Steinhart Aquarium & Museum Buildings, with the following amendments recommended by the Finance Committee, be approved:

Item	From	To	Reduction
25—Plans and Specifications for Aquarium Building Repair	\$ 6,000	\$ 4,000	\$ 2,000
29—General Expense	5,000	4,000	1,000
31—Replace certain mechanical and electrical equipment		20 years	

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, Mead—7.

Absent—Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Sullivan—4.

## INDEX 20—MUNICIPAL COURT

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor Christopher, moved that the budget of the Municipal Court, as submitted by the Mayor, be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, Mead—7.

Absent—Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Sullivan—4.

## INDEX 21—SUPERIOR COURT

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor Christopher, moved that the budget of the Superior Court, as submitted by the Mayor, be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, Mead—7.

Absent—Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Sullivan—4.

## INDEX 22—LAW LIBRARY

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor Christopher, moved that the budget of the Law Library, as submitted by the Mayor, be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, Mead—7.

Absent—Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Sullivan—4.

## INDEX 23—YOUTH GUIDANCE CENTER—PROBATION OFFICE

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Youth Guidance Center, Juvenile Hall, with the following amendments recommended by the Finance Committee, and including the following supplemental budget request, be approved.

Sheet No.	Line No.	Item	From	To	Reduction
2	7	General Clerk-Stenographer (Part-Time)	9	8	\$ 1,500
3	28	Auto Allowance	\$ 5,000	\$ 4,500	500

## Supplemental budget request:

Sheet No.	Line No.	Item	Amount
2	3	Maintenance of Minors . . .	\$114,540

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso, Sullivan—3.

**INDEX 16—ART COMMISSION**

The Board resumed consideration of motion for approval of budget.

Supervisor MacPhee in explaining his vote stated that he would have to vote against the budget because he was opposed to the money to be expended for the art show; that he was of the belief that the money should be raised by public subscription.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—7.

No: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso, Sullivan—3.

**Presentation of Guest.**

The Chair presented Mr. Niles Asterick, member of the Municipal Board and Traffic Board of Stockholm, Sweden.

**INDEX 24—YOUTH GUIDANCE CENTER—JUVENILE HALL**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Youth Guidance Center, Juvenile Hall, with the following amendments recommended by the Finance Committee, be approved.

Sheet No.	Line No.	Item	From	To	Reduction
4	6	Heat, Light and Power	\$22,500	\$18,000	\$ 4,500
6	27	Services of Other Departments	3,900	3,000	900
	7	Meat	20,000	18,400	1,600
	10	Total Foodstuffs	70,350	66,736	3,614

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso, Sullivan—3.

**INDEX 24.2—YOUTH GUIDANCE CENTER—LOG CABIN RANCH SCHOOL**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Youth Guidance Center, Log Cabin Ranch School, with the following amendments recommended by the Finance Committee, and including the following supplemental budget request, be approved.

Sheet No.	Line No.	Item	From	To	Reduction
5	7	Meat	\$11,500	\$10,580	\$ 920
	10	Total Foodstuffs	31,080	29,377	1,703

Supplemental budget request:

Sheet No.	Line No.	Item	Amount
2	9	Medical and Dental Care (Doctor)	\$ 600

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso, Sullivan—3.

#### INDEX 25—ADULT PROBATION

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Adult Probation, as submitted by the Mayor, be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso, Sullivan—3.

#### INDEX 26—CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Chief Administrative Officer, as submitted by the Mayor, be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso, Sullivan—3.

#### INDEX 26.78—CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER— HOSPITALITY HOUSE

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Chief Administrative Officer, Hospitality House, as submitted by the Mayor, be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso, Sullivan—3.

#### INDEX 26-1—CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER— RECORDS CENTER

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the following supplemental budget of the Chief Administrative Officer, Records Center, be approved.

Street No.	Line No.	Desc.	Amount
2	2	2 General Clerk	\$ 5,720
	3	1 Head Clerk	4,220
	7	Maintenance and Repair of Buildings	2,180
	8	Heat, Light and Power	600
	9	Telephone and Telegraph	360
	10	Postage	40
	11	Scavenger	60
	12	Janitorial and Window Washing	1,200
	13	Other Contractual	300
	22	Stationery	240
	23	Wrapping Paper, Twine, Etc	240
	29	Steel Shelving	8,000
	30	Storage Cases	4,000

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso, Sullivan—3.

**INDEX 27—DIRECTOR OF FINANCE AND RECORDS**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Director of Finance and Records, as submitted by the Mayor, be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso, Sullivan—3.

**INDEX 28—FINANCE AND RECORDS—TAX COLLECTOR**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Finance and Records, Tax Collector, as submitted by the Mayor, and including the following supplemental budget request, be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

Sheet No.	Line No.	Item	Amount
2	11	1 Attorney, Civil	
		1 Attorney, Bureau Del. Revenue	\$ 1,500
2	19	Services Other Departments	1,440

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso—2.

**INDEX 29—FINANCE AND RECORDS—REGISTRAR OF VOTERS**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Finance and Records, Registrar of Voters, with the following amendment recommended by the Finance Committee, be approved.

Sheet No.	Line No.	Item	From	To	Reduction
3	33	Auto Allowance	\$ 400	\$ 250	\$ 150

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso—2.

**INDEX 30—FINANCE AND RECORDS—RECORDER**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Finance and Records, Recorder, as submitted by the Mayor, be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso—2.

**INDEX 31—FINANCE AND RECORDS—COUNTY CLERK**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Finance and Records, County Clerk, as submitted by the Mayor, be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso—2.



### INDEX 32—FINANCE AND RECORDS— PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Finance and Records, Public Administrator, as submitted by the Mayor, be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso—2.

### INDEX 33—CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER— PURCHASING DEPARTMENT

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Chief Administrative Officer, Purchasing Department, as submitted by the Mayor, be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso—2.

### INDEX 34—CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER— REAL ESTATE DEPARTMENT

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Chief Administrative Officer, Real Estate Department, with the following amendment recommended by the Finance Committee, be approved.

Sheet No	Line No	Item	From	To	Reduction
5	1	Services of Other Departments	\$ 1,500	\$ 1,000	\$ 500

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso—2.

### INDEX 35—REAL ESTATE DEPARTMENT— CIVIC AUDITORIUM

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Real Estate Department, Civic Auditorium, with the following amendments recommended by the Finance Committee, be approved.

Sheet No	Line No	Item	From	To	Reduction
3	34	Heat, Light and Power	\$ 9,400	\$ 8,000	\$ 1,400
C-1	11	Plans and Specifications— Exhibit Hall	28,000	5,000	23,000

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso—2.

### INDEX 36—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS— GENERAL OFFICE

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Department of Public Works, General Office, as submitted by the Mayor, be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso—2.

### INDEX 36.01—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS— BUREAU OF ARCHITECTURE

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Department of Public Works, Bureau of Architecture, as submitted by the Mayor, be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso—2.

### INDEX 37—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS— BUREAU OF ACCOUNTS

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Department of Public Works, Bureau of Accounts, as submitted by the Mayor and including the following supplemental budget request be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

Sheet No.	Line No.	Item	Amount
2	5	Services Other Departments	\$ 3,280

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso—2.

### INDEX 38—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS— BUREAU OF BUILDING REPAIR

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Department of Public Works, Bureau of Building Repair, with the following amendments recommended by the Finance Committee, be approved.

Sheet No.	Line No.	Item	From	To	Reduction
2	10	Janitor	2	1	\$ 2,760
9	11	Services of Other Departments—Bureau of Accounts—1 General Clerk—recom. Mun. Govt. Survey Advisory Committee	\$ 6,226	\$ 3,653	2,573

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso—2.

## INDEX 39—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS— BUREAU OF BUILDING INSPECTION

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Department of Public Works, Bureau of Building Inspection, as submitted by the Mayor, be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent—Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso—2.

## INDEX 40—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS— BUREAU OF ENGINEERING

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Department of Public Works, Bureau of Engineering, as submitted by the Mayor, be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee, be approved.

Supervisor	From	To	Reduction
No. 14—Inspector	4	3	\$ 4,050

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent—Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso—2.

## INDEX 40.01—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—BUREAU OF ENGINEERING—SEWAGE AND WASTE TREATMENT

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Department of Public Works, Bureau of Engineering, Sewage and Waste Treatment, with the following amendments recommended by the Finance Committee, be approved.

Supervisor	From	To	Reduction
No. 2—General Clerk-Stenographer	4	3	\$ 2,850
No. 5—Assistant Engineer, Mech.	1	-0-	6,120

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent—Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso—2.

## INDEX 41—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS— CENTRAL PERMIT BUREAU

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Department of Public Works, Central Permit Bureau, as submitted by the Mayor, be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent—Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso—2.

## INDEX 42—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS— BUREAU OF STREET CLEANING

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Department of Public Works, Bureau of Street Cleaning, as submitted by the Mayor and including the following

supplemental budget request be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

Sheet No.	Line No.	Item	Amount
2	1	Permanent Salaries	\$ 950
	5	Wages	38.000

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso—2.

#### **INDEX 43—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS— BUREAU OF SEWER REPAIR**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Department of Public Works, Bureau of Sewer Repair, with the following amendment recommended by the Finance Committee, be approved.

Sheet No.	Line No.	Item	From	To	Reduction
2	11	Standby Service	\$ 1,500	\$ -0-	\$ 1,500

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso—2.

#### **INDEX 43.02—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS— SEWAGE PUMPING STATIONS**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Department of Public Works, Sewage Pumping Stations, as submitted by the Mayor, be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso—2.

#### **INDEX 44—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS— SPECIAL GAS TAX STREET IMPROVEMENT FUND**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Department of Public Works, Special Gas Tax Street Improvement Fund, as submitted by the Mayor and including the following supplemental budget request be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

Sheet No.	Line No.	Item	Amount
2	3	Repairs, Movable Bridges	\$10,000

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso—2.

#### **INDEX 45—ROAD COMMISSIONER—SPECIAL ROAD IMPROVEMENT FUND—STREET REPAIR**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Road Commissioner, Special Road Improvement Fund, with the following amendment recommended by the Finance Committee, be approved.

Sheet No.	Line No.	Item	From	To	Reduction
2	11	Overtime	\$ 250	\$ -0-	\$ 250

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso—2.

#### INDEX 46—ROAD COMMISSIONER—SPECIAL ROAD IMPROVEMENT FUND—STREET REPAIR—BRIDGES

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Road Commissioner, Special Road Improvement Fund—Street Repair—Bridges, as submitted by the Mayor, be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso—2.

#### INDEX 47—ROAD COMMISSIONER—SPECIAL ROAD IMPROVEMENT FUND

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Road Commissioner, Special Road Improvement Fund, with the following amendment recommended by the Finance Committee, be approved:

Section No.	Line No.	Item	From	To	Reduction
1	6	Surveys, Monuments	\$25,000	\$10,000	\$15,000

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso—2.

#### INDEX 48—ROAD COMMISSIONER—SPECIAL ROAD IMPROVEMENT FUND

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Road Commissioner, Special Road Improvement Fund, as submitted by the Mayor, and including the following supplemental budget request be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee:

Section No.	Line No.	Item	Amount
2	4	Total Construction—Twenty-fourth Street, South Van Ness Avenue to Vermont Street	\$136,100

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso—3.

#### INDEX 49—DEPARTMENT OF ELECTRICITY

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Department of Electricity, with the following amendment recommended by the Finance Committee, be approved:

Section No.	Line No.	Item	From	To	Reduction
6	8	Equipment (Fire Alarm Boxes)	\$ 3,795	\$ 3,450	\$ 345

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso—3.

**INDEX 50—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Department of Public Health, as submitted by the Mayor, be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso—3.

**INDEX 50.1—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH—  
CENTRAL OFFICE—ADMINISTRATION**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Department of Public Health, Central Office—Administration, with the following amendment recommended by the Finance Committee, be approved.

Sheet No.	Line No.	Item	From	To	Reduction
6	10	Heat, Light and Power	\$ 6,250	\$ 5,700	\$ 550

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso—3.

**INDEX 50.2—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH—  
CENTRAL OFFICE—ACCOUNTING**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Department of Public Health, Central Office, Accounting, as submitted by the Mayor, be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso—3.

**INDEX 50.3—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH—  
CENTRAL OFFICE—STATISTICS**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Department of Public Health, Central Office—Statistics, as submitted by the Mayor, be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso—3.

**INDEX 50.4—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH—  
CENTRAL OFFICE—MILK & ABBATOIR INSPECTION**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Department of Public Health, Central Office—Milk and Abbatoir Inspection, as submitted by the Mayor, be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso—3.

### INDEX 50-5—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH— CENTRAL OFFICE—COMMUNICABLE DISEASES

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Department of Public Health, Central Office--Communicable Diseases, as submitted by the Mayor, be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, Mancuso - 3.

### INDEX 50-6—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH—CENTRAL OFFICE—DIVISION OF VENEREAL DISEASE CONTROL

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Department of Public Health, Central Office--Division of Venereal Disease Control, with the following amendment recommended by the Finance Committee, be approved.

Sheet No.	Line No.	Item	From	To	Reduction
3	6	Heat, Light and Power	\$ 1,600	\$ 1,400	\$ 200

*Motion to Temporarily Postpone.*

Supervisor MacPhee, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, moved that consideration of the departmental budget be temporarily postponed and that Dr. Sox and Mr. Brooks be requested to appear and explain the budget.

No objection and *motion carried.*

### INDEX 50.06-1—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH— CENTRAL OFFICE—BUREAU OF MENTAL HYGIENE

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Department of Public Health, Central Office--Bureau of Mental Hygiene, as submitted by the Mayor, be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, Mancuso - 3.

### INDEX 50-7—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH— CENTRAL OFFICE—BACTERIOLOGICAL LABORATORY

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Department of Public Health, Central Office--Bacteriological Laboratory, as submitted by the Mayor, be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, Mancuso- 3.

### INDEX 50-8—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH— CENTRAL OFFICE—BUREAU OF CHILD HYGIENE

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Department of Public Health, Central Office--Bureau of Child Hygiene, as submitted by the Mayor, and including

the following supplemental budget request be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

Sheet No.	Line No.	Item	Amount
2	10	Care of Crippled Children	\$121,000

Motion *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, Mancuso—3.

#### **INDEX 50-9—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH— CENTRAL OFFICE—DENTAL BUREAU**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Department of Public Health, Central Office—Dental Bureau, as submitted by the Mayor be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

Motion *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, Mancuso—3.

#### **INDEX 50-10—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH— CENTRAL OFFICE—PUBLIC HEALTH EDUCATION**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Department of Public Health, Central Office—Public Health Education, as submitted by the Mayor, be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

Motion *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, Mancuso—3.

#### **INDEX 50-11—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH— CENTRAL OFFICE—FOOD & SANITARY INSPECTION**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Department of Public Health, Central Office—Food and Sanitary Inspection, as submitted by the Mayor, be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

Motion *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, Mancuso—3.

#### **INDEX 50-12—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH— CENTRAL OFFICE—CHEMICAL LABORATORY**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Department of Public Health, Central Office—Chemical Laboratory, as submitted by the Mayor, be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

Motion *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, Mancuso—3.



**INDEX 50-13—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH—  
CENTRAL OFFICE—PLUMBING INSPECTION**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Department of Public Health, Central Office—Plumbing Inspection, as submitted by the Mayor, be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes—Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent—Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, Mancuso—3.

**INDEX 50-16—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH—  
CENTRAL OFFICE—CITY PHYSICIANS**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Department of Public Health, Central Office—City Physicians, as submitted by the Mayor, be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes—Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent—Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, Mancuso—3.

**INDEX 50-17—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH—  
CENTRAL OFFICE—PUBLIC HEALTH NURSING**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Department of Public Health, Central Office—Public Health Nursing, with the following amendment recommended by the Finance Committee, be approved.

Sheet No.	Line No.	Item	From	To	Reduction
3	6	Heat, Light and Power	\$ 1,100	\$ 750	\$ 350

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes—Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent—Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, Mancuso—3.

**INDEX 50-21—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH—  
CENTRAL OFFICE—TUBERCULOSIS BUREAU**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Department of Public Health, Central Office—Tuberculosis Bureau, as submitted by the Mayor, be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes—Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent—Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, Mancuso—3.

**INDEX 50-25—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH—  
CENTRAL OFFICE—ADULT GUIDANCE CENTER**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Department of Public Health, Central Office—Adult Guidance Center, as submitted by the Mayor, be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes—Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent—Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, Mancuso—3.

# **INDEX 50-99—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH— CENTRAL OFFICE—INTERDEPARTMENTAL**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Department of Public Health, Central Office—Interdepartmental, as submitted by the Mayor, be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, Mancuso—3.

# **INDEX 51—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH— LAGUNA HONDA HOME**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Department of Public Health—Laguna Honda Home, with the following amendments recommended by the Finance Committee, including the supplemental budget request set forth below, be approved.

Sheet No.	Line No.	Item	From	To	Reduction
3	27	Senior Orderly	2	-0-	\$ 5,230
12	7	Heat, Light and Power	\$ 70,000	\$ 64,000	6,000
14	6	Meat	206,000	189,520	16,480
	9	Total Foodstuffs	562,200	531,472	30,728
<i>Transfers to Laguna Honda Meat Shop</i>					
14	14	Sheriff—County Jail No. 1	14,000	12,880	1,120
	15	Sheriff—County Jail No. 2	35,000	32,200	2,800
	16	Police Department	7,200	6,224	576
	17	Youth Guidance— Juvenile Hall	20,000	18,400	1,600
	18	Youth Guidance—Log Cabin Ranch School	11,500	10,580	920
	19	Laguna Honda Home	206,000	189,520	16,480
	20	S. F. Hospital	134,000	123,280	10,720
	21	Hassler Health Home	26,000	23,920	2,080
	22	Totals	\$453,700	\$417,404	\$36,296

Supplemental budget request:

Sheet No.	Line No.	Item	Amount
C-1	20	Mortuary Refrigerators	\$ 4,600

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, Mancuso—3.

# **INDEX 53—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH— SAN FRANCISCO HOSPITAL**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Department of Public Health—San Francisco Hospital, with the following amendments recommended by the Finance Committee, including the supplemental budget requests set forth below, be approved.

Sheet No.	Line No.	Item	From	To	Reduction
7	6	Registered Nurse	25	-0-	\$86,928
	11	Head Nurse	4	-0-	15,228
20	8	Heat, Light and Power	\$ 73,000	\$ 68,000	5,000
24	7	Meat	134,000	123,280	10,720
	10	Total Foodstuffs	568,250	540,160	28,090

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Sheet No.	Line No.	Description	Amount
2	1	Per Diem, 100 Days	1,400
		Average	
	15	Diary Stamps	500
	16	Office Assistant	
16	16	1st. Sec. Nurse, Night	900
		1st. Sec. Adm. Day	
		1st. Sec. Nurse, S. U. Host	
		1st. Sec. Room Nurse	
		1 Supvr. Oper. Room Nurse	
		1 Head Nurse, S. U. Host	
		2 Head Nurse, Special Ped.	
		1 Head Nurse, Special Psych.	
		4 Head Nurse	
	1	Temporary Salaries	1,440
	2	Temporary Sick Pay (paid just to 1952-53 rate)	900
		Total Temporary Salaries	6,543
2	20	2 Orderlies	4,710
11		Maintenance and Repair of Buildings, Misellaneous	19,000

## Motion to Temporarily Postpone.

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, moved that on the 10th of the department's budget be temporarily postponed. *Noted for an action carried.*

INDEX 54—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH—  
EMERGENCY HOSPITALS

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Department of Public Health—Emergency Hospitals, as submitted by the Mayor, be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso—2

INDEX 55—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH—  
HASSLER HEALTH HOME

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Department of Public Health, Hassler Health Home, with the following amendments recommended by the Finance Committee, be approved:

Sheet No.	Line No.	Description	From	To	Reduction
8	3	Heat, Light and Power	\$ 21,000	\$ 20,000	\$ 1,000
10	7	Meat	26,000	23,920	2,080
	9	Total Foodstuffs	107,600	101,296	5,304

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso—2

## INDEX 56—PUBLIC WELFARE DEPARTMENT

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Public Welfare Department, with the following

amendments recommended by the Finance Committee, and including the supplemental budget requests set forth below, be approved.

Sheet No.	Line No.	Item	From	To	Reduction
6	8	Heat, Light and Power	\$ 5,400	\$ 4,800	\$ 600
6	11	Tabulating Services			
		Clerical Error	11,000	1,100	9,900

Supplemental budget requests:

Sheet No.	Line No.	Item	Amount
1	6	1 General Clerk-Typist (deleted in error)	\$ 3,080
	3	Foster Care of Children	35,000

#### Motion to Temporarily Postpone.

Supervisor MacPhee, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, moved that consideration of the departmental budget be temporarily postponed and that Mr. Born be requested to appear to explain the budget.

No objection and motion *carried*.

#### INDEX 58—AGRICULTURAL COMMISSION

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Agricultural Commission, as submitted by the Mayor and including the following supplemental budget request, be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

Sheet No.	Line No.	Item	Amount
1	20	Permanent Salaries—Premium Pay for Inspectors	\$ 571

Motion *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso—2.

#### INDEX 50-6—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH—CENTRAL OFFICE—DIVISION OF VENEREAL DISEASE CONTROL

The Board resumed its consideration of the departmental budget.

#### Discussion.

Supervisor MacPhee inquired as to the increase of the budget in view of the new type of medicine that is being used to counteract the effects of the disease.

Dr. Sox explained why the departmental budget showed an increase.

Supervisor MacPhee requested that Dr. Sox and Mr. Brooks review the budget and see if anything could be cut without impairing the essential functions.

#### Motion to Temporarily Postpone.

Supervisor MacPhee, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, moved that consideration be temporarily postponed.

No objection and motion *carried*.

#### INDEX 53—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH—SAN FRANCISCO HOSPITAL

The Board resumed consideration of the departmental budget.

Motion to approve *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors Mancuso, Sullivan—2.

**INDEX 57—CORONER**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Coroner, as submitted by the Mayor, be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan -11.

**INDEX 56—PUBLIC WELFARE DEPARTMENT**

The Board resumed consideration of the departmental budget

**Discussion.**

Mr. Larter, representing the Director of Public Welfare, explained the necessity for the various items in the budget and the work that was being accomplished pursuant to the adoption program.

**Motion to Amend.**

Supervisor MacPhee, seconded by Supervisor Christopher, moved that on Sheet 3, Line 29, Child Welfare Worker, the number of employments be reduced from 14 to 7; and on Sheet 3, Line 31, Child Welfare Supervisor, the number of employments be reduced from 2 to 1.

Supervisor Mancuso moved as an amendment that on Sheet 3, Line 29, Child Welfare Worker, the number of employments be reduced from 14 to 10 and on Sheet 3, Line 31, Child Welfare Supervisor, the number of employments remain at 2.

*Motion lost for want of a second.*

*Motion to amend lost by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Dobbs, MacPhee, Mancuso—3.

Noes: Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon, Lewis, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisor Christopher - 1.

Supervisor Mancuso, seconded by Supervisor MacPhee, moved that on Sheet 3, Line 29, Child Welfare Worker, the number of employments be reduced from 14 to 10.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, Mead - 7.

Noes: Supervisors Arnold, McCarty, McMurray, Sullivan - 4.

Supervisor McCarty, seconded by Supervisor MacPhee, moved that the budget of the Public Welfare Department, as amended by the Board pursuant to the recommendations of the Finance Committee, as further amended by the Board without recommendation from the Finance Committee, and including the supplemental budget requests set forth hereinabove, be approved.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan - 9.

Noes: Supervisors Arnold, McMurray—2.

**Motion to Recess.**

Supervisor MacPhee, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the Board recess for 10 minutes.

No objection and motion *carried*

**Request to Be Excused.**

Supervisor Ferdon requested that he be excused from attendance at 5:30 p. m.

No objection and *request granted*.

**Reconvening of Board.**

The Board reconvened at 5:20 p. m.

**INDEX 59—DEPARTMENT OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Department of Weights and Measures, as submitted by the Mayor, be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee, Mancuso—3.

**INDEX 59.50—DEPARTMENT OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES—FARMERS' MARKET**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Department of Weights and Measures—Farmers' Market, with the following amendment recommended by the Finance Committee, be approved.

Sheet No.	Line No.	Item	From	To	Reduction
C-1	2	Buildings and Grounds . . .	\$19,000	\$ 2,000	\$17,000

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee, Mancuso—3.

**INDEX 60—CONTROLLER**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Controller, as submitted by the Mayor and including the following supplemental budget request be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

Sheet No.	Line No.	Item	Amount
1	8	Tax Judgments and Interest—Y.M.C.A.	\$60,041

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, Mancuso—2.

**INDEX 61—DEPARTMENT OF CITY PLANNING**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Department of City Planning, with the following amendment recommended by the Finance Committee, be approved.

Sheet No.	Line No.	Item	From	To	Reduction
3	6	Temporary Salaries	\$ 1,500	\$ 1,000	\$ 500

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

## INDEX 62—PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION— GENERAL OFFICE

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Public Utilities Commission, General Office, as submitted by the Mayor, be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

## INDEX 63—PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION— BUREAU OF LIGHT, HEAT & POWER

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Public Utilities Commission, Bureau of Light, Heat & Power, as submitted by the Mayor, be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

## INDEX 64—PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION— SAN FRANCISCO AIRPORT

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Public Utilities Commission, San Francisco Airport, with the following amendments recommended by the Finance Committee, be approved.

Sheet No.	Line No.	Item	From	To	Reduction
3	18	Airport Attendant	32	31	\$ 3,300
	26	Operating Engineer	1	-0-	3,960
6	23	Pest Control	384	-0-	384

### Motion to Amend.

Supervisor MacPhee, seconded by Supervisor Christopher, moved that on Sheet 3, Line 18, Airport Attendant, the number of employments be reduced from 32 to 30.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, Sullivan—6.

Noes: Supervisors Arnold, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—4.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

### Adoption of Budget.

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Public Utilities Commission, San Francisco Airport, with the amendments recommended by the Finance Committee and as amended by the Board without recommendation from the Finance Committee, be approved.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

### INDEX 66—PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION— WATER DEPARTMENT

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Public Utilities Commission, Water Department, with the following amendments recommended by the Finance Committee, and including the supplemental budget request set forth below, be approved.

Sheet No.	Line No.	Item	From	To	Reduction
3	26	Junior Engineer, Civil . . .	2	1	\$ 4,560
4	28	Farmer . . . . .	2	1	2,880
10	6	Laborer . . . . .	43	41	6,909
	9	Chauffeur (Truck Driver) . . .	1	-0-	4,958
13	21	General Seasonal Clerical Offset—Inter. Tel. Opr. . . \$	4,790	\$ 4,054	736
15	5	Daytime Parking . . . . .	1,050	600	450
	6	Buildings, Repairs and Maintenance . . . . .	47,000	25,000	22,000
	33	Maintenance and Repair Trans- mission and Distribution . . .	17,000	7,000	10,000
16	12	Pipe, Plumbing . . . . .	58,750	50,000	8,750
	20	Drugs, Chemicals, etc. . . . .	85,000	74,000	11,000
	22	Stationery and Supplies . . .	17,000	15,000	2,000
22	22	Electric Range . . . . .	499	-0-	499
23	10	Replace 1 Eletrac . . . . .	3,400	-0-	3,400
24	6	Pleasanton Well Supply . . .	20,000	-0-	20,000
C-1	23	Primary Feeder Mains . . . .	301,200	251,200	50,000
C-1	29	Electrolysis Protection . . . .	20,000	-0-	20,000

Supplemental budget request:

Sheet No.	Line No.	Item	Amount
2	3	Maintenance, Automotive Equipment	\$14,332

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

### INDEX 65—PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION— MUNICIPAL RAILWAY

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Public Utilities Commission, with the following amendments recommended by the Finance Committee, and including the supplemental budget request set forth below, be approved.

Sheet No.	Line No.	Item	From	To	Reduction
5	7	Claims Investigator . . . . .	14	13	\$ 4,560
6	35	Overtime . . . . .	\$ 9,696	\$ 7,500	2,196
15	6	Repairs to Buildings . . . . .	8,410	6,000	2,410
	8	Maintenance and Repair of Streets . . . . .	47,113	25,000	22,113
	9	Maintenance and Repair Automotive Equipment . . . .	41,000	35,000	6,000
14		Advertising . . . . .	10,000	5,000	5,000
15		Printing . . . . .	7,000	6,000	1,000
16		Subscriptions . . . . .	1,000	500	500
17		Laundry Service . . . . .	9,613	6,000	3,613
16	26	Materials and Supplies . . . .	778,000	740,000	38,000
17	5	Accident Compensation . . . .	95,000	88,000	7,000



## Supplemental budget requests:

Sheet No	Line No	Item	Amount
1	4	Wages, Platform Employees	\$534,020
	5	Sick Leave, Per Diem	21,119
	8	Heat, Light and Power	54,719
	9	Tire Rental	27,029
	10	Fuel and Lubricants	90,174
	11	Passenger and Damage Claims Prior Years	185,000
	13	Miscellaneous Insurance	44,419
	14	Pension and Retirement Allowance	75,889
	15	Social Security	3,589
	16	Legal Service City Attorney	720
	17	Services Purchasing Department	4,794
	18	Surplus Fund- Charter Section 127	666,974

## Motion to Temporarily Postpone.

Supervisor MacPhee, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, moved temporary postponement.

No objection and motion carried.

## INDEX 50-6—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH—CENTRAL OFFICE—DIVISION OF VENEREAL DISEASE CONTROL

The Board resumed consideration of the departmental budget.

Mr. Brooks explained that Dr. Sox and himself had gone over the departmental budget very thoroughly and could not see where they could conscientiously reduce it any further but that they would watch it very closely during the year.

## Adoption of Budget

Motion to adopt the budget was carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

## INDEX 65—PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION—MUNICIPAL RAILWAY

The Board resumed consideration of the departmental budget.

## Statement by Supervisor Christopher.

I want to make a statement relative to the Municipal Railway budget. I believe that management should take every precaution to minimize the operating costs, in view of the fact that even with the 15-cent fare, a deficit of almost \$1,000,000 will be incurred. So that I was not holding up the entire budget by voting against it, I had Col. Mills come into the Finance Committee in order to discuss this urgent situation. I asked Col. Mills to point out to me the various items in the budget that could be eliminated in compliance with his heretofore made suggestion.

Col. Mills stated that while he had made many suggestions, he could not specifically locate the items in the budget. I thereupon asked Col. Mills to make an analysis of this budget and reconcile it with his previous suggestions. Col. Mills promised that he would do so and submit his report to the Public Utilities Commission. Not wishing to obstruct passage of the entire budget, nor to impair the operations by unqualified budget deletions, I am therefore voting

for this budget with the understanding that the Public Utilities Commission will immediately submit to us their report for economies and reforms as suggested by Col. Mills.

Motion to approve departmental budget *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Noes: Supervisors MacPhee, Mancuso—2.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, Lewis—2.

#### **INDEX 68—PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION— HETCH HETCHY PROJECT**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Public Utilities Commission, Hetch Hetchy Project, with the following amendments recommended by the Finance Committee, be approved.

Sheet No.	Line No.	Item	From	To	Reduction
14	C-1 5	Cottages (6)	\$79,200	-0-	\$79,200
	16	Streets, Sewers, Etc., for Cottages	25,000	-0-	25,000

Motion *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

#### **INDEX 68.2—PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION— BUREAU OF ENGINEERING**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Public Utilities Commission, Bureau of Engineering, as submitted by the Mayor, be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

Motion *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

#### **INDEX 69—DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION—COUNTY BUDGET**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Department of Education, County Budget, as submitted by the Mayor, be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

Motion *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

#### **INDEX 71—CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Civil Service Commission, as submitted by the Mayor, be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

Motion *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

**INDEX 72—SAN FRANCISCO CITY AND COUNTY  
EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the San Francisco City and County Employee's Retirement System, as submitted by the Mayor, and including the following supplemental budget request, be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee:

Sheet No.	Line No.	Item.	Amount
2	19	Allowances by Retirement System Tax Rate	\$214,636

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the Controller be directed to adjust the retirement allowance in the 1952-53 budget estimates to reflect the changes in personal services, as adopted by the Board of Supervisors.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

**INDEX 73—PUBLIC POUND**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Public Pound, as submitted by the Mayor, be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

**INDEX 79—CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT FUND**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Capital Improvement Fund, as submitted by the Mayor, be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

**INDEX 1—BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Board of Supervisors, as submitted by the Mayor, and including the following supplemental budget requests, be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee:

Sheet No.	Line No.	Item.	Amount
1	23	Civic Celebrations	\$10,000

(Supervisor Christopher dissenting)

2	4	Contractual (Official Advertising)	10,325
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**Motion to Amend.**

Supervisor Christopher, seconded by Supervisor Dobbs, moved that on Sheet 1. Line 23, Civic Celebrations, the amount of \$10,000 be deleted.

Motion *lost* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, MacPhee, Mead—4.

Noes: Supervisors Arnold, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Sullivan—6.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

Motion to approve budget *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Noes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, MacPhee—3.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

### **INDEX 1.03—BOARD OF SUPERVISORS—MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT SURVEY ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the following supplemental budget request of the Municipal Government Survey Advisory Committee be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

Sheet No.	Line No.	Item	Amount
2	4	Permanent Salaries .....	\$13,260
	6	Temporary Salaries .....	180
	9	Travel Expense .....	500
	10	Telephone and Telegraph .....	400
	11	Postage .....	200
	12	Official Printing .....	500
	13	Subscriptions .....	90
	14	Towel Service .....	36
	16	Miscellaneous Contractual .....	50
	22	Materials and Supplies .....	100
	23	Stationery, Etc. ....	300
	27	Rent .....	1,680

Motion *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

### **INDEX 12—RECREATION AND PARK DEPARTMENT**

Supervisor MacPhee, seconded by Supervisor Dobbs, moved that the Board rescind its action by which it approved the Recreation and Park Department budget.

No objection and motion *carried*.

**Motion to Amend.**

Supervisor MacPhee, seconded by Supervisor Christopher, moved that on Sheet 26, Line 15, the position of Supervisor of Restaurants and Playgrounds be deleted.

Motion *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, MacPhee, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—6.

Noes: Supervisors Arnold, Lewis, McCarty, McMurray—4.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

Supervisor MacPhee, seconded by Supervisor Christopher, moved that the budget of the Recreation and Park Department, as recommended by the Finance Committee and amended by the Board without recommendation from the Finance Committee, be approved.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

*Ayes:* Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

*No:* Supervisor Lewis—1.

*Absent:* Supervisor Ferdon—1.

#### **Motion to Rescind Action.**

Supervisor Lewis, seconded by Supervisor Arnold, moved that the Board rescind its action by which it approved the foregoing budget.

*No objection and motion carried.*

Supervisor Lewis, seconded by Supervisor Arnold, moved that the Board rescind its action by which it deleted the position of Supervisor of Restaurants and Playgrounds.

*No objection and motion carried.*

#### **Motion to Amend.**

Supervisor MacPhee, seconded by Supervisor Christopher, moved that on Sheet 26, Line 15, the position of Supervisor of Restaurants and Playgrounds be deleted.

*Motion lost by the following vote:*

*Ayes:* Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, MacPhee, Mancuso, Mead—5.

*Noes:* Supervisors Arnold, Lewis, McCarty, McMurray, Sullivan—5.

*Absent:* Supervisor Ferdon—1.

#### **Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the budget of the Recreation and Park Department be approved as recommended by the Finance Committee.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

*Ayes:* Supervisors Arnold, Lewis, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—6.

*Noes:* Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, MacPhee, Mancuso—4.

*Absent:* Supervisor Ferdon—1.

#### **Motion to Rise and Report.**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, moved that the Board, sitting as a Committee of the Whole, rise and report.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

*Ayes:* Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

*Absent:* Supervisor Ferdon—1.

#### **Motion Re Adoption of the Budget.**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that consideration for the adoption of the budget in its entirety be postponed to May 19th.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

*Ayes:* Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

*Absent:* Supervisor Ferdon—1.

TUESDAY, MAY 6, 1952

**Statement by Supervisor MacPhee.**

Supervisor MacPhee stated that based upon the votes that had been had today he would not vote for the adoption of the budget, but that he desired to compliment Supervisor Arnold for the manner in which he handled the budget.

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the Controller be authorized to pay from such funds as are available such expenses as were incurred in connection with the 1952-1953 budget hearings by the Board of Supervisors and its staff and the Controller and his staff.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Maneuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

**ADJOURNMENT.**

There being no further business the Board, at the hour of 6:50 p. m., adjourned.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors June 9, 1952.

1, John R. McGrath, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, hereby certify that the foregoing are true and correct copies of the Journals of Proceedings of said Board of the dates hereon stated and approved as recited.

JOHN R. McGRATH,  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.







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MONDAY, MAY 12, 1952—2:00 P. M.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, May 12, 1952  
2:00 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

## CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent—Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan—2.

Quorum present.

President Dewey Mead presiding.

Supervisor Arnold excused from attendance on official leave of absence.

Supervisor Sullivan excused from attendance on official leave of absence.

## Communications.

From the Redwood Empire Supervisors' Unit, asking that the Board be present at the regular hearing of the Highway Commission, Sacramento, May 15th, 10 a. m.

*Board adj. called; Supervisor McMurray to attend.*

From the City Planning Commission and the Redevelopment Agency, reporting on alternative redevelopment plans for Diamond Heights.

*Set as Special Order of Business, May 26th, 4 p. m.*

From the City Attorney, legal opinion, subject: Legality of proposed ordinance concerning consideration by Board of Supervisors of utility rates fixed by Public Utilities Commission of the City and County of San Francisco.

*Considered in the calendar matter—referred to Judiciary Committee.*

From Mrs. Robert B. Hutchins objecting to the displaying of the painting entitled "Miner Going to Church."

Supervisor Christopher requested that the matter be referred to Finance Committee and that the people who are responsible for the showing of the various forms of art that are presented at the shows be invited to attend the meeting, in order that the sentiments of the Board members may be made known.

No objection and request granted, communication referred to Finance Committee.

## UNFINISHED BUSINESS

### Final Passage.

The following recommendations of Finance Committee, heretofore considered, were taken up:

Present—Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty

**Appropriating \$750, Public Welfare, for Purchase of a Station Wagon.**

File No. 8902, Ordinance No. 7315 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan—2.

**Appropriating \$10,500, Water Department, for Extension to Dehydrator Building and Improvements to Drying Process at the Walnut Orchard.**

File No. 8904, Ordinance No. 7316 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan—2.

**Authorizing Payment to Henry Boyen, Attorney for the Public Administrator, of Travel Expense and Other Necessary Expenses Incurred While Attending the Annual Convention of Public Administrators and Coroners, Held in Los Angeles, August 24-25, 1951.**

File No. 8912, Ordinance No. 7317 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan—2.

**Appropriating \$24,000, San Francisco Airport, for Removal of Silt from Drainage Canals.**

File No. 8927, Ordinance No. 7318 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan—2.

**Appropriating \$450, Municipal Railway, for New Position of Inspector; Abolishing Position of Day Dispatcher.**

File No. 8928-1, Ordinance No. 7319 (Series of 1939).

(Reallocation of position:

Inspector	\$300-350 per month
Day Dispatcher	320-370 per month)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan—2.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 72.3, Public Utilities Commission, Municipal Railway—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 8928-2, Ordinance No. 7320 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan—2.

Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 86(a), Health Service System, by Adding Three New Positions of General Clerk-Typist and by Abolishing One Position of Senior Clerk.

File No. 8932, Ordinance No. 7321 (Series of 1939)

(System is not supported by City and County funds and positions are included in Salary Ordinance for payroll checking purpose only.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan—2

Appropriating \$220.04, Municipal Railway, for Reissuance of Pay Warrants to Alvin Calloway and James Boland.

File No. 8937, Ordinance No. 7323 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan—2

Appropriating \$1,300, deYoung Memorial Museum, for Installation of Coved Ceilings in Period Rooms.

File No. 8956, Ordinance No. 7324 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan—2

### Consideration Continued.

The following recommendations of Streets Committee, heretofore considered, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Ferdon, McMurray, Sullivan.

Changing or Modifying the Official Grades on Mansell Street Between Points Respectively Fifty Feet Easterly and Fifty Feet Westerly from Dartmouth Street, and on Dartmouth Street Between a Line 215 Feet Southerly from Olmstead Street and Harkness Avenue.

File No. 8730-2, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

### Motion to Continue Consideration.

Supervisor Ferdon, seconded by Supervisor Dobbs, moved that consideration of the legislation be continued for two weeks.

No objection and motion carried.

### Final Passage.

Ordering the Improvement of Esmeralda Avenue Between Bernal Heights Boulevard and Peralta Avenue, Including the Southerly Intersection of Esmeralda and Peralta Avenues; Extending City Aid in Approximate Amount of \$2,600, and Providing for Work in Front of City Property in Sum of \$1,800.

File No. 8933, Ordinance No. 7322 (Series of 1939)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan—2

**Re-reference to Committee.**

The following recommendation of Judiciary Committee, heretofore considered, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis.

**Prescribing the Information to Be Furnished Whenever the Public Utilities Commission Shall Submit to the Board of Supervisors a Proposal to Fix, Change or Adjust Utility Rates, Charges or Fares, and Prescribing the Procedure to Be Followed by the Board of Supervisors in Its Consideration Thereof.**

File No. 8832, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

April 28, 1952—Consideration continued to May 12, 1952.

**Motion to Re-refer.**

Supervisor Dobbs, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, moved that the legislation be re-referred to Judiciary Committee.

No objection and motion *carried*.

**Announcement of Committee Meeting.**

Supervisor Dobbs announced a meeting of the Judiciary Committee for Tuesday, May 20th, 3 p. m.

**NEW BUSINESS.****Adopted.**

The following recommendations of Finance Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

**Approving Supplemental Recommendations, Public Welfare Department, Relative to Categorical Aids: Letters Dated May 6, 1952.**

File No. 7821, Resolution No. 12240 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan—2.

**Authorizing Extension of Granting of Emergency Relief to Dependent Non-Residents for May and June, 1952: List Dated May 12, 1952.**

File No. 7822, Resolution No. 12241 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan—2.

**Authorizing Refund of Duplicate and Erroneous Payment of Taxes for the Fiscal Years 1950-51 and 1951-52.**

File No. 7827, Resolution No. 12244 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan—2.

**Authorizing Release of Lien Against Real Property Recorded by the Department of Public Health for Care and Treatment Furnished to Louise Bogardus.**

File No. 7-96, Resolution No. 12245 (Series of 1939)

Payment in full \$174.31

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Fardon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead - 9

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan - 2

**Authorizing Release of Lien Against Real Property Recorded by the Public Welfare Department for Aid Extended to Frank and Kathie Manegold.**

File No. 7-97, Resolution No. 12246 (Series of 1939)

Payment in full \$292.57

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Fardon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead - 9

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan - 2

**Authorizing Release of Lien Against Real Property Recorded by the Public Welfare Department for Aid Extended to Chester and Marion Lima.**

File No. 7-97, Resolution No. 12247 (Series of 1939)

Partial repayment of \$500, balance of \$97.88 to be secured by recordation of a new lien.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Fardon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead - 9

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan - 2

**Authorizing Release of Lien Against Real Property Recorded by the Public Welfare Department for Aid Extended to Allie Lue Kairy.**

File No. 7-97, Resolution No. 12248 (Series of 1939)

Payment in full \$9.35

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Fardon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead - 9

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan - 2

**Authorizing Cancellation of Taxes on Property Acquired by the State of California for Highway Purposes.**

File No. 9000, Resolution No. 12250 (Series of 1939)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Fardon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead - 9

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan - 2

**Authorizing Cancellation of Taxes on Property Acquired by the United States of America for Hunters Point Naval Drydock.**

File No. 9001, Resolution No. 12251 (Series of 1939)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Fardon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead - 9

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan - 2

**Authorizing Attendance of Treasurer at the Convention of State Association of County Treasurers, to Be Held in San Jose, California, June 19-21, 1952.**

File No. 9009, Resolution No. 12253 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan—2.

**Passage for Second Reading.**

**Appropriating \$1,590, deYoung Memorial Museum, for Temporary Salaries.**

File No. 8676, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan—2.

**Appropriating \$12,035, Mayor, San Francisco Disaster Council and Corps, for Purchase of Communications Equipment.**

File No. 8995, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan—2.

**Appropriating \$270, Department of Electricity, for Light, Heat and Power.**

File No. 8996, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan—2.

**Authorizing City Attorney to Dismiss, With Prejudice, Three Defendants from Superior Court Action No. 411,638, Concerning Contracts for Work at the Youth Guidance Center.**

File No. 8998, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Action brought against Beverly O. Brace and Mark H. Gregg, Jr., dba Herman Lawson Co., United Pacific Insurance Company, Western Casualty and Surety Company, Olof Monson and Arthur Monson, dba Monson Bros. and United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, for work defectively done by defendants at Youth Guidance Center. Olof and Arthur Monson and their surety, United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company have now fully performed their contract.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan—2.



**Authorizing Director of Property to Arrange for the Leasing of Store Building at California and Hyde Streets.**

File No. 9002, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Three-story building acquired from California Street Railroad Company. Lease to be for three years; cost of rehabilitating premises to be at expense of lessee. Lease not in conflict with the Master Plan.)

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan—2.

**Final Passage.**

**Appropriating \$10,000, Fire Department, for Maintenance and Repair of Fire Department Equipment; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 8874, Ordinance No. 7314 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan—2.

**Appropriating \$8,000, Public Utilities, Hetch Hetchy Project, for Materials and Supplies; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 8983, Ordinance No. 7326 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan—2.

**Appropriating \$1,560.60, Retirement System, for Fees and Special Compensations; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9003, Ordinance No. 7327 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan—2.

**Temporarily Postponed.**

(*Supervisor Christopher dissenting.*)

**Appropriating \$20,180, Public Utilities, Hetch Hetchy Project, for Wages and Maintenance and Repair of Automotive Equipment; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 8982, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Wages	\$14,180
Maintenance and Repair of Automotive Equipment	6,000)

**Discussion.**

Supervisor Christopher explained that he was opposed to the \$6,000 for maintenance and repair of automotive equipment.

Mr. Ross explained the procedure as to interdepartmental service for repairs of automotive equipment.

**Motion to Temporarily Postpone.**

Supervisor Christopher, seconded by Supervisor MacPhee, moved temporary postponement.

No objection and motion *carried*.

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**Passage for Second Reading.**

The following from Finance Committee, with recommendation "Do Pass" after amendment, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

Appropriating \$8,500, Public Utilities, Hetch Hetchy Project, for Accident Compensation, Awards, Indemnities, Damages and Sundry Judgments.

File No. 8936, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939)

( Accident Compensation	\$7,500
Awards, Indemnities, Etc.	1,000)

(Proposed amendment is as follows:

Reduce amount allocated for accident compensation from \$7,500 to \$6,500 and reduce total appropriation from \$8,500 to \$7,500.)

**Request for Information.**

Supervisor MacPhee requested that the Public Utilities Commission be asked to furnish a complete list of the judgments which, at the present time, are against the Municipal Railway.

No objection and request *granted*.

Supervisor Ferdon requested that the Clerk secure information from the Retirement Board as to the number of accidents reported, claims awarded for the current fiscal year, and present status of the case load.

No objection and request *granted*.

**Motion to Amend.**

Supervisor McCarty, seconded by Supervisor MacPhee, moved the amendment as printed above.

No objection and motion *carried*.

**Passage for Second Reading.**

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan—2.

**Adopted.**

The following recommendations of Streets Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Ferdon, McMurray, Sullivan.

**Granting Revocable Permit to Consumers Ice Company to Erect a Fence on a Portion of Florida Street and Occupy Same as a Storage Yard for Their Trucks.**

File No. 8814, Resolution No. 12249 (Series of 1939).

(Easterly one-half of Florida Street from northerly line of Division Street to the northerly termination of Florida Street.)

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan—2.

**Passage for Second Reading****Creating Underground District No. 127, Lombard Street from Leavenworth Street to Hyde Street.**

File No. 5154, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan—2

**Adopted.**

The following recommendations of Streets Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Ferdon, McMurray.

**Requesting Approval by State Department of Public Works of Petition for Additional Mileage in Connection With Maintenance of County Roads Within the City and County of San Francisco.**

File No. 9004, Resolution No. 12252 (Series of 1939).

(Increase from 750 miles to 764.77 miles.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan—2.

**Passage for Second Reading.****Fully Accepting the Roadway and Curbs of Acevedo Avenue and Certain Other Streets, Crossings and Intersections, Within the Boundaries of the Parkmerced Subdivision.**

File No. 8952, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(In 1945 the hereinafter named streets were conditionally accepted by the Board because the underground street lighting system was incomplete. Lighting system has now been completed.)

Acevedo Avenue, Arballo Drive, Arcellano Avenue, Bucareli Drive, Cambon Drive, Cardenas Avenue, Castelo Avenue, Crespi Drive, Diaz Avenue, Font Boulevard, Fuente Avenue, Garces Drive, Gonzales Drive, Grijalva Drive, Higuera Avenue, Josepha Avenue, Juan Bautista Circle, Nineteenth Avenue, Pinto Avenue, Rivas Avenue, Serrano Drive, Tapia Drive, Varela Avenue and Vidal Drive.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan—2.

**Conditionally Accepting Roadway and Curbs of Poplar Street from Twenty-fifth Street Southerly to Existing Pavement.**

File No. 8979, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939)

(Not necessary to install main sewer or water and gas mains; property being served from other streets.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan—2.

**Accepting Roadway and Curbs of Portions of Glenview Drive, Dawnview Drive and Campbell Avenue, Including Certain Intersections.**

File No. 8992, Ordinance No. . . (Series of 1939).

(Glenview Drive from Portola Drive to 975 feet more or less northerly to its termination;

Dawnview Drive from Glenview Drive to 135 feet more or less easterly to its termination, including the intersection of Dawnview and Glenview Drives;

Campbell Avenue between Brussels and Goettingen Streets, including the intersections of Campbell Avenue and Goettingen Street.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan—2.

**Establishing Grades on Mangels Avenue Between Congo and Detroit Streets.**

File No. 8999, Ordinance No. . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan—2.

**Protest Overruled—Assessment Confirmed.**

The following from the Streets Committee, with recommendation that the protest be denied and assessment be confirmed, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Ferdon, McMurray.

**Hearing of Protests—Improvement of Shafter Avenue Between Industrial Street and a Line Approximately 145 Feet Southeast, Including the Intersection of Shafter Avenue and Elmira Street.**

File No. 7501

(The Board of Supervisors at its meeting on Monday, March 24, 1952, received a protest from Stanley W. Taylor in connection with the foregoing improvement, and the matter was subsequently referred to committee for further study and action. The Committee now recommends that the protest be overruled.)

**Motion to Confirm Assessment.**

Supervisor Ferdon, seconded by Supervisor Dobbs, moved that the protest be overruled and the assessment confirmed.

No objection and motion *carried*.

**Reference to Finance Committee.**

The following emergency measures, appearing on the Board's supplemental calendar, were taken up:

(Note: In each of the following instances, Supervisor Christopher, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, moved that the measure be referred to Finance Committee. No objection and motion *carried*.)

**Appropriating \$5,000, Superior Court, from the Emergency Reserve Fund, for Maintenance and Transportation of Criminal Insane and Narcotics; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9014, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

**Appropriating \$450, Finance and Records, Public Administrator, from the Surplus Existing in the General Fund Compensation Reserve, for Temporary Salaries; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9015, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939)

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

**Appropriating \$4,400, Youth Guidance, from the Surplus Existing in Maintenance of Minors (Youth Guidance—Probation Office), for Maintenance and Repairs of Automotive Equipment, Probation Office, and Dry Goods and Wearing Apparel for Juvenile Hall; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9016, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

Maintenance and Repair Automotive Equipment—

<b>Probation Office</b>	\$1,400
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Dry Goods and Wearing Apparel for Juvenile Hall	3,000
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\$4,400

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

### Final Passage.

The Board resumed consideration of the following:

(*Supervisor Christopher dissenting.*)

**Appropriating \$20,180, Public Utilities, Hetch Hetchy Project, for Wages and Maintenance and Repair of Automotive Equipment; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 8982, Ordinance No. 7325 (Series of 1939).

(Wages	\$14,180
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Maintenance and Repair of Automotive Equipment	6,000)
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### Discussion.

Mr. Ross explained the procedure that would be followed by the change-over in the method of showing the actual cost for the maintenance of automotive equipment in the Hetch Hetchy Project.

### Request for Information.

Supervisor MacPhee requested that Mr. Ross furnish information as to the breakdown of the \$27,000 appropriated during the year for the maintenance and repair of automotive equipment.

### Withdrawing Objection.

Supervisor Christopher explained that he would withdraw his objection to the legislation on the basis that Mr. Ross would provide the requested information.

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9

Absent, Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan—2.

### OFF-CALENDAR LEGISLATION.

The following recommendation of his Honor, the Mayor, was presented by the Clerk:

#### Adopted.

**Leaves of Absence—**Ralph A. Stern, May 12-July 1; Dan S. Hewitt, June 1-August 1; and Frank A. Flynn, May 7-14, All Members of the Board of Trustees of the War Memorial, All With Permission to Leave the State.

File No. 7824, Resolution No. 12242 (Series of 1939)

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**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor McCarty, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, moved the adoption of the foregoing measure.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan—2.

**ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF MEASURES AND COMMUNICATIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.****Adopted.**

**Fixing Price for Fourth Supplement to the 1948 Edition of the Charter.**

Supervisor Christopher presented:

File No. 9033, Resolution No. 12254 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Christopher, seconded by Supervisor Dobbs, moved the adoption of the foregoing measure.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan—2.

**Reference to Committee.**

**Urging System of Paying Fines for Non-Moving Traffic Violations by Mail.**

Supervisor Christopher presented:

File No. 9034, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Police Committee.*

**Consideration Continued.**

**Statements of the Various Supervisors Relative to the Damage Claims Outstanding Against the Municipal Railway.**

Supervisor Christopher called the attention of the Board to the large amount of claims that are outstanding against the Municipal Railway at 7 per cent interest, while the Public Utilities Commission has only \$6,000 on hand to cover them. He remarked that it was his belief that the method of settling judgments should be adjusted.

**Request.**

Supervisor Christopher requested that Mr. Turner be invited to the meeting on next Monday to explain his views on the subject and see if ways and means cannot be determined to pay off the judgments.

No objection and request *carried*.

Supervisor Ferdon stated that he believed that it merited much thought and that Mr. Turner should be requested to appear at the meeting prepared to answer questions on the matter, and also that a program should be established in the matter.

Supervisor Lewis added his voice of approval to the ideas suggested. He further stated that it was his opinion that the cases

should be settled without going to trial, but in order for the monies would have to be available.

Supervisor MacPhee said that the settlement of claims was critical of the manner in which the railroad was operated and that he believed that the members of the Commission should also be invited to attend the meeting next Monday.

Supervisor Mancuso remarked that he believed that the City Attorney should also be invited to come to the Board meeting next week prepared to submit data concerning the procedure followed by his office with respect to Municipal Railway claims; that the Controller also be requested to appear.

Supervisor Christopher stated that the only thing he wanted to know was what was going to be done when all legal steps had been exhausted, why should not the money be available for immediate payment?

Supervisor Mancuso requested that Mr. Turner be advised to be prepared to advise the members of the Board as to what recommendations he was going to make concerning the questions brought up by Supervisor Christopher relative to economies in the Municipal Railway; what would be done about the free pass privileges and whether or not any of the recommendations made by Mr. Mills would be put into effect.

No objection and request *granted*.

#### Set as a Special Order.

The Chair inquired as to whether or not the Board would like to set the matter as a special order.

Supervisor Mancuso, seconded by Supervisor MacPhee, moved that the matter be set as a special order for 2:30 p. m. on Monday, May 19, 1952.

No objection and motion *carried*.

#### Adopted.

**Requesting Mayor to Appoint a Citizens' Committee to Arrange for the Proper Observance of Flag Day.**

Supervisor MacPhee presented.

File No. 9035, Resolution No. 12254 (Series of 1939).

#### Motion to Adopt.

Supervisor MacPhee, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, moved the adoption of the foregoing measure.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan—2

#### Adopted.

**In Memoriam—Reverend George J. Searles.**

**Supervisors MacPhee and Mancuso jointly presented:**

File No. 7824, Resolution No. 12243 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor MacPhee, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, moved the adoption of the foregoing measure.

*Adopted by a rising vote as follows:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan—2.

**Discussion as to Whether or not Funds Should Be Provided for the Continued Operation of the Municipal Government Survey Advisory Committee.**

Supervisor MacPhee remarked that he had contacted the Municipal Government Survey Advisory Committee relative to their proceeding with the survey under a budget of some \$13,000. If the Board is desirous of having the Committee continue with the survey it would be necessary that funds be appropriated, but if the Board does not want the Committee to go ahead the money should be deleted from the budget.

Supervisor MacPhee stated that in view of the fact that Supervisor Arnold was interested in the matter it should be placed on the calendar pending Supervisor Arnold's return.

Supervisor Mancuso explained that he was against the original appropriation but that he did vote for the money for the Committee to complete the first steps of the survey. He stated that he was opposed to appropriating any more money until it was shown that the departments were going to put the recommendations into effect and that an actual saving would be realized.

Supervisor McCarty remarked that it was his belief that between now and next Monday the Board should give serious consideration to the question as to whether or not they wanted the Committee to continue. He further stated that he was in favor of any survey that would reduce costs of operation but not in favor of surveys which rebudget for the Board; that any savings must be in money and not theoretical savings.

**Request for Information as to the Status of Legislation Creating a Transit Authority.**

Supervisor Mancuso inquired of Mr. Peddicord as to whether or not the City Attorney would have the proposed legislation creating a Transit Authority ready for submission to the Board in the immediate future.

Mr. Peddicord replied that Mr. Holm was checking with certain insurance companies on the matter and he believed that the matter would be ready in the near future.

Supervisor Mancuso requested that the Clerk ask the City Attorney to be prepared to answer, at next Monday's meeting, the question as to the status of the legislation and whether or not it would be ready for consideration by the Board prior to June 1st.

No objection and request *granted*.

**Query as to Whether or not the Mayor or Public Utilities Commission Could Appoint an Individual to Take Charge of the Operation of the Municipal Railway.**

Supervisor Mancuso inquired of Mr. Peddicord as to whether or not it would be possible to adopt a resolution authorizing the Mayor or the Public Utilities Commission to appoint an individual to take charge of the operation of the Municipal Railway without the necessity of a charter amendment.



Mr. Peddicord informed the Supervisor that the charter set up the Public Utilities Commission and prescribed the appointment of department heads; that the Commission was following the charter at the present time.

Mr. Peddicord further remarked that Section 124 of the Charter set forth the procedure in the matter, and that a resolution as suggested would not be in accordance with the charter provision.

### ADJOURNMENT.

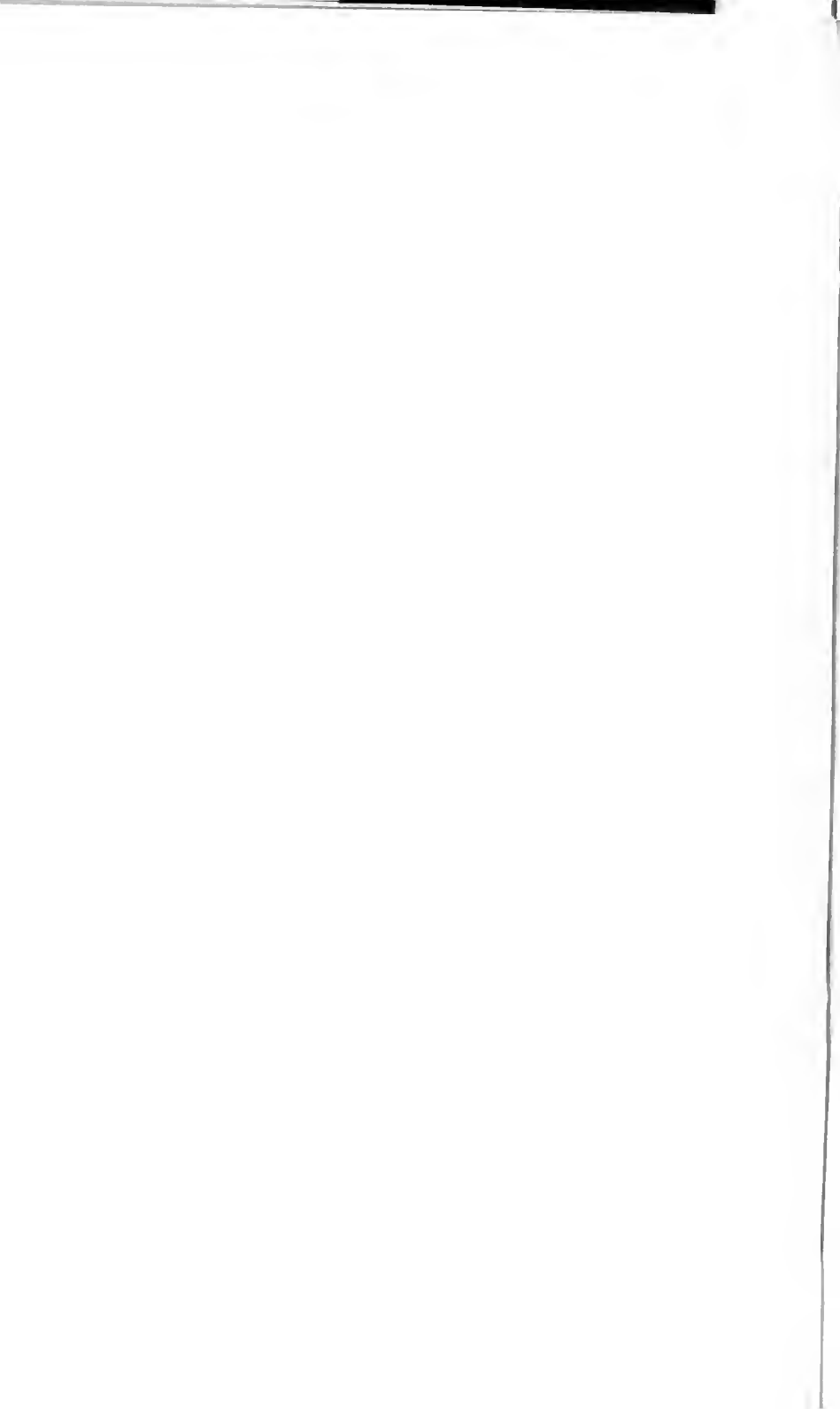
There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 4:00 p. m., adjourned.

JOHN R. McGRATH, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors June 9, 1952.

I, John R. McGrath, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the date hereon stated and approved as recited.

JOHN R. McGRATH,  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.







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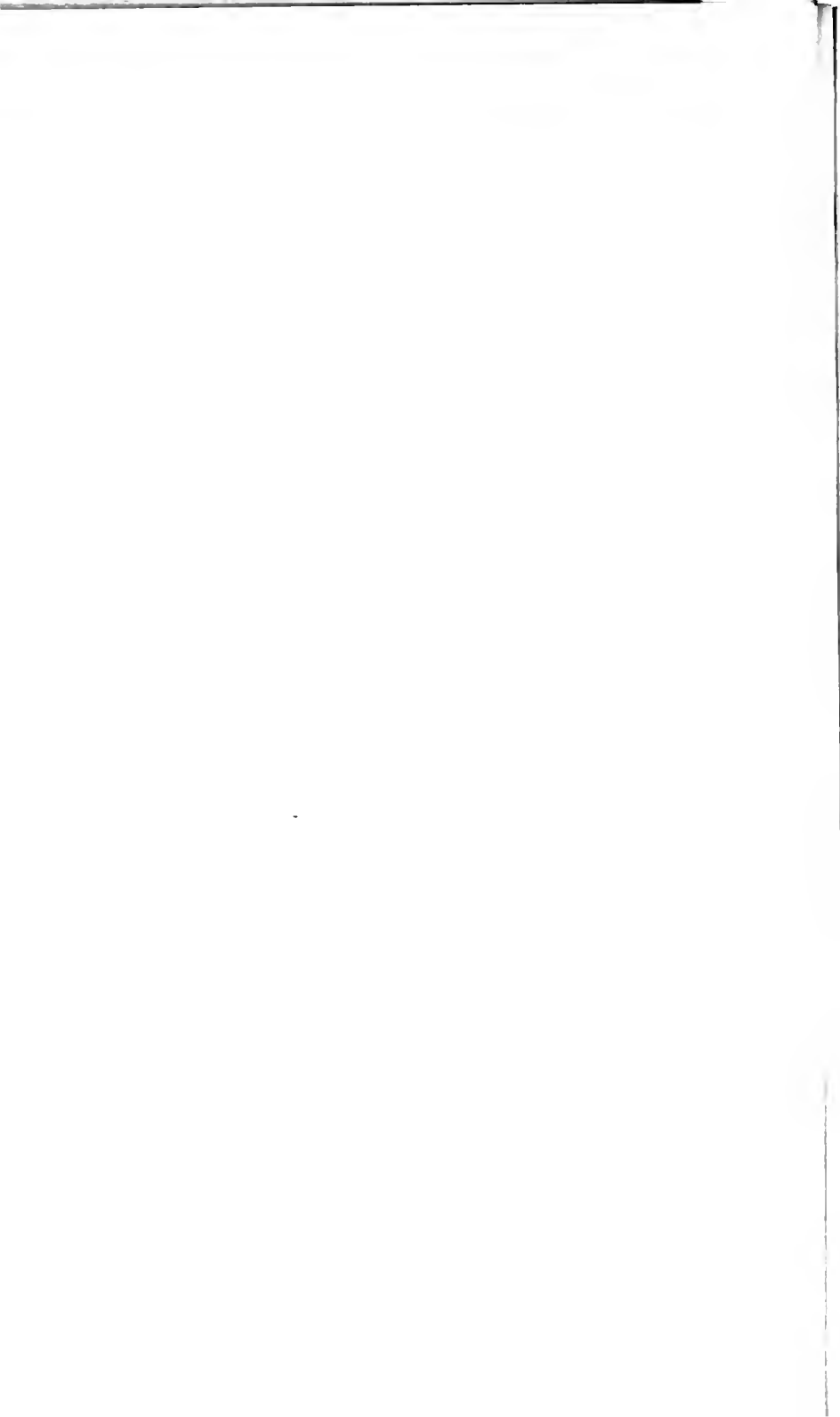
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MONDAY, MAY 19, 1952—2:00 P. M.

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In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, May 19, 1952,  
2:00 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

## CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present.

Supervisors DeBbs, Ferdinand, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, Murphy, McMurray, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Sullivan—3.

Quorum present.

President Mead presiding.

Supervisor Christopher noted present at 2:35 p. m.

Supervisor Arnold excused from attendance on official leave of absence.

Supervisor Sullivan excused from attendance on official leave of absence.

## Communication.

From His Honor, the Mayor, advising the Board that as soon after the November election as possible he will call a meeting in connection with the refinancing of the San Francisco-Oakland Bay Bridge.

Filed.

## APPROVAL OF JOURNAL.

The Journal of Proceedings for Monday, April 14, 1952, was considered read and approved.

## SPECIAL ORDER—2:00 P. M.

Referred to Real Estate Department.

Hearing of Persons Interested in or Objecting to the Proposed Vacation of Portion of the Easterly Side of Locksley Avenue North of Moraga Street.

File No. 6546

(Pursuant to notice of intention given in Resolution No. 12163 (Series of 1939).)

There appearing no interested parties, the foregoing matter was referred to the Real Estate Department for further action.

**Consideration Continued.**

**Hearing of Persons Interested in or Objecting to the Proposed Vacation of Wattson Place Between Ruth and Leo Streets.**

File No. 7032

(Pursuant to notice of intention given in Resolution No. 12169 (Series of 1939).)

Supervisor Ferdon, seconded by Supervisor Dobbs, moved that consideration be continued for two weeks.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray—7.

No: Supervisor Mead—1.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Sullivan—3.

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS.****Consideration Temporarily Postponed.**

The following from the Board of Supervisors sitting as a Committee of the Whole was taken up:

**Proposed Budget of the City and County for the Fiscal Year 1952-53.**

File No. 8603

May 6, 1952—Consideration continued to May 19, 1952.

Supervisor MacPhee, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, moved temporary postponement.

No objection and motion carried.

**Final Passage.**

The following recommendations of Finance Committee, heretofore considered, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

**Appropriating \$500, Youth Guidance Center, Probation Office, for Use of Employees' Cars.**

File No. 8934, Ordinance No. 7331 (Series of 1939).

Finally Passed by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Sullivan—3.

**Amending Ordinance No. 6784 (Series of 1939), Annual Appropriation Ordinance, by Adding Thereto Section 12.1, Providing for a War Memorial Tenants' Overtime Appropriation.**

File No. 8900, Ordinance No. 7329 (Series of 1939).

Finally Passed by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Sullivan—3.

**Authorizing Reimbursement of Two Employees of the Department of Public Health of Tuition Fees for a Course on Operating Room, Central Supply Room and Blood Bank Techniques Held at Fort Miley Veterans' Administration Hospital, November 12-17, 1951.**

File No. 8919, Ordinance No. 7330 (Series of 1939).

(Tuition fees, \$100.)



*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Sullivan—3.

**Appropriating \$782, Recreation and Park Department, for Temporary Patrolling of Lake Merced.**

File No. 8935, Ordinance No. 7332 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Sullivan—3.

**Appropriating \$100, Adult Probation Department, for Overtime.**

File No. 8953, Ordinance No. 7333 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Sullivan—3.

**Appropriating \$3,000, Department of Public Works, Special Road Improvement Fund, for the Widening of Garden Street at Broderick Street.**

File No. 8954, Ordinance No. 7334 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Sullivan—3.

**Appropriating \$570, Agricultural (Horticultural) Inspection Department, for Premium Pay for Inspectors.**

File No. 8969, Ordinance No. 7335 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Sullivan—3.

**Appropriating \$329.86, Police Department, for Retroactive Compensation to Be Paid to Estate of Sergeant Edward A. Oliva.**

File No. 8970, Ordinance No. 7336 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Sullivan—3.

**Appropriating \$20,000, Department of Public Works, Special Road Improvement Fund, for Contractual Services and Materials and Supplies.**

File No. 8971, Ordinance No. 7337 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Sullivan—3.

**Authorizing and Directing Controller and Public Utilities Commission to Account as a Loss the Sum of \$9 in Counterfeit Currency Received With Water Department Collections.**

File No. 8972, Ordinance No. 7338 (Series of 1939).  
(\$1 postal note was altered to \$10.)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Sullivan—3.

**Providing for Per Diem Traveling Expenses of Officers and Employees on Official Business During Fiscal Year 1952-53.**

File No. 8973, Ordinance No. 7339 (Series of 1939).  
(\$20 per day.)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Sullivan—3.

**NEW BUSINESS.**

**Adopted.**

The following recommendations of Finance Committee was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Christopher, McCarty.

**Approving Supplemental Recommendations, Public Welfare Department, Relative to Categorical Aids; Letter Dated May 13, 1952.**

File No. 7821, Resolution No. 12256 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Sullivan—3.

**Authorizing Extension of Granting of Emergency Relief to Dependent Non-Residents for May and June; List Dated May 19, 1952.**

File No. 7822, Resolution No. 12257 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Sullivan—3.

**Authorizing Correction of Clerical Errors in 1951-1952 Assessment Roll.**

File No. 7825, Resolution No. 12261 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Sullivan—3.

**Temporarily Postponed.**

**Waiving Statute of Limitations, and Authorizing Payment from Employees' Retirement Fund of Warrants to Four Employees.**

File No. 9017, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

(William J. Chow, \$475.39; Clarence Rosenbrock, \$136.61; Josephine Stennet, \$523.37 and Charles Zuber, \$362.62, consisting of return of employee contributions and interest.)

Supervisor Mancuso, seconded by Supervisor MacPhee, moved temporary postponement.

No objection and motion *carried*.

**Adopted.**

**Authorizing Attendance of Chief Probation Officer, Adult Probation Department, at Annual Conference of California Probation and Parole Officers Association to Be Held in Santa Monica, June 5-7, 1952.**

File No. 9019, Resolution No. 12263 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Sullivan—3.

**Authorizing Purchase of Real Property from Walter C. Zweig and Mrs. Joseph Eyster for \$750; Required for School Project No. 14.**

File No. 9020, Resolution No. 12264 (Series of 1939).

(Lot 32, Block 2341, vacant land, located on south side of Santiago Street, west of Twelfth Avenue. Size: 30 feet by 100 feet. No street work. In conformity with the Master Plan.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Sullivan—3.

**Authorizing Purchase of Real Property from Paul Babow et ux. for \$2,000; Required for School Project No. 14.**

File No. 9021, Resolution No. 12265 (Series of 1939).

(Lots 10 and 12, Block 2336, vacant land, located on westerly line of Funston Avenue north of Santiago Street. Size of each lot: 25 feet by 100 feet. No street work. In conformity with the Master Plan.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Sullivan—3.

**Authorizing Purchase of Real Property from Matthew A. Schmitt for \$250; Required for School Project No. 14.**

File No. 9022, Resolution No. 12266 (Series of 1939).

(Lot 3, Block 2336, vacant land, located on westerly line of Funston Avenue south of Rivera Street. Size: 25 feet by 120 feet. No street work. In conformity with the Master Plan.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Sullivan—3.

**Temporarily Postponed.**

**Authorizing Purchase of Real Property from Alice B. Brown et al. for \$51,500; Required for School Project No. 25.**

File No. 9023, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

(Lot 12, Block 21, located on northwest corner of Clay and Collier Streets. Size: 56 feet 9 inches by 57 feet 6 inches. Improvements consist of a 3-story reinforced concrete apartment building of 13 apartments. In conformity with the Master Plan.)

Supervisor Ferdon, seconded by Supervisor Dobbs, moved temporary postponement.

No objection and motion carried.

**Adopted.**

**Authorizing Purchase of Real Property from City Title Insurance Company for \$800; Required for School Project No. 53.**

File No. 9024, Resolution No. 12268 (Series of 1939).

(Lots 30 and 31, Block 6232, vacant land, located on Teddy Avenue east of Sawyer Street. Size of each lot: 25 feet by 100 feet. No street work. In conformity with the Master Plan.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Sullivan—3.

**Authorizing Agreement With State of California for Purchase of Real Property for \$5.00; Required for School Project No. 14.**

File No. 9025, Resolution No. 12269 (Series of 1939).

(Lot 31, Block 2341, tax deeded, vacant land, located on southerly side of Santiago Street west of Twelfth Avenue. Size: 30 feet by 100 feet. Title to vest in City and County unless property is redeemed before City has complied with terms of purchase. In conformity with the Master Plan.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Sullivan—3.

**Passage for Second Reading.**

**Authorizing Compromise and Settlement of Claim of T. H. Dionne Against the City and County by the Payment of \$2,000.**

File No. 8975, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Damages allegedly sustained by plaintiff by reason of defective sidewalk in front of 955 Larkin Street.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Sullivan—3.

**Appropriating \$60, Public Utilities, Bureau of Light, Heat and Power, for Purchase of a Distance Measuring Wheel.**

File No. 9028, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Sullivan—3.

**Temporary Postponement.**

**Appropriating \$450, Finance and Records, Public Administrator, for Temporary Salaries; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9015, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

Supervisor McCarty, seconded by Supervisor Dobbs, moved temporary postponement.

No objection and motion *carried*.

**Adopted.**

**Motion for Intra-Fund Transfer of \$200, Board of Supervisors, for Stationery and Office Supplies.**

File No. 9049

(It is moved that the Clerk of the Board be and he is hereby authorized to submit to the Controller a request for an inter-fund transfer of \$200 from Appropriation No. 101,200.00, Contractual Services, to Appropriation No. 101,300.00, Materials and Supplies, in order to provide necessary funds for stationery and office supplies during the balance of the current fiscal year.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Sullivan—3.

**Temporary Postponement.**

The following from Finance Committee, with recommendation "Do Pass" after amendment, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Christopher, McCarty.

**Appropriating \$4,400, Youth Guidance Center, Probation Office and Juvenile Hall, for Repairs of Automotive Equipment and Dry Goods and Wearing Apparel; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9016, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Maintenance and Repair of Automotive Equipment	\$1,400
Dry Goods and Wearing Apparel	3,000)

(Proposed amendment is as follows:

Reduce allocation for maintenance and repair of automotive equipment from \$1,400 to \$500; dry goods and wearing apparel from \$3,000 to \$900, and total appropriation from \$4,400 to \$1,400.)

Supervisor McCarty, seconded by Supervisor Dobbs, moved temporary postponement.

No objection and motion *carried*.

**Passage for Second Reading.**

The following from Finance Committee without recommendation was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Christopher, McCarty.

**Appropriating \$125, Public Utilities, General Office, for Overtime.**

File No. 9027, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Amend.**

Supervisor McCarty, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, moved that the amount of \$125 be reduced to \$100.

### Explanation of Vote.

Supervisor Christopher explained that he would vote for the amendment but would vote against the passage of the legislation because he did not believe that overtime should be paid for the employment.

Motion to amend *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan—2.

*Passed for Second Reading, as amended*, by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—7.

Noes: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan—2.

### Adopted.

The Board resumed consideration of the following matter heretofore temporarily postponed:

**Authorizing Purchase of Real Property from Alice B. Brown et al. for \$41,500; Required for School Project No. 25.**

File No. 9023, Resolution No. 12267 (Series of 1939).

### Discussion.

The Chair inquired of Mr. Riordan as to what disposition would be made of the building on the land.

Mr. Riordan replied that the City would call for bids for the demolition of the building.

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Sullivan—3.

**Consideration of Procedure for Payment of Claims Filed and Judgments Rendered Against the City and County.**

### Discussion.

Supervisor Christopher remarked that he noticed that an appropriation for \$212,500 was being requested to pay certain claims outstanding against the Municipal Railway and inquired as to why this had not been done before this time.

Mr. Turner explained why the money was not available until the present time and how it happened that the Municipal Railway had been unable to make cash settlement of claims for a number of years.

Mr. Turner informed the Board as to the procedure in the handling of claims and the disposition thereof.

In response to inquiry by Supervisor MacPhee as to the matter of settlement of claims by the Claims Investigator, Mr. Turner said that in every case an attempt is made to get a settlement before the matter gets into a court case, and that he believed if the Claims Investigator had some working capital available he would be able to make cash settlements immediately and thus save the City a good deal of money.

Supervisor MacPhee inquired of Mr. Holm as to whether or not there was any recommendation for a charter amendment that would improve the situation.

Mr. Holm informed the Board that the matter of 7 per cent interest was a statute of the State and the only way it could be done away with would be to amend the statute.

He said that in his opinion the way to improve the situation was to expand the claims department and give them more people to investigate the various claims. In that way, he continued, it would be possible for the City to keep in contact with key witnesses.

Mr. Mazzoni, head of the Claims Department, explained the procedure that was followed by his department and stated that sometimes it becomes necessary to ask a certain attorney to file a friendly suit against the City so that the statute of limitations will not run against the claimant. For this service Mr. Mazzoni explained the attorney was permitted to add \$50 to the claim to cover his costs.

**Adopted.**

The Board resumed consideration of the following matters heretofore temporarily postponed.

**Waiving Statute of Limitations and Authorizing Payment from Employees' Retirement Fund of Warrants to Four Employees.**

File No. 9017, Resolution No. 12262 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9.

**Absent:** Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan—2.

**Finally Passed.**

**Appropriating \$450, Finance and Records, Public Administrator, for Temporary Salaries; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9015, Ordinance No. 7340 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9.

**Absent:** Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan—2.

**Temporary Postponement.**

**Appropriating \$4,400, Youth Guidance Center, Probation Office and Juvenile Hall, for Repairs of Automotive Equipment and Dry Goods and Wearing Apparel; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9016, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Maintenance and Repair of Automotive Equipment	\$1,400
Dry Goods and Wearing Apparel	3,000)

(Proposed amendment is as follows:

Reduce allocation for maintenance and repair of automotive equipment from \$1,400 to \$500; dry goods and wearing apparel from \$3,000 to \$900, and total appropriation from \$4,400 to \$1,400.)

**Motion to Amend.**

Supervisor McCarty, seconded by Supervisor Christopher, moved the amendment as printed above.

**Motion to Temporarily Postpone.**

Supervisor MacPhee, seconded by Supervisor Dobbs, moved temporary postponement.

No objection and motion *carried*.

**Adopted.**

**Proposed Budget of the City and County for the Fiscal Year 1952-53.**

File No. 8603

May 6, 1952— Consideration continued to May 19, 1952.

### Discussion.

Supervisor Mancuso inquired of Mr. Ross as to whether or not any additional information had been submitted relative to the budget for the Municipal Railway.

Mr. Ross replied that the budget included a surplus of \$840,000 which would permit an increase in wages of approximately 15 cents per hour.

Supervisor Mancuso asked Mr. Turner as to what steps would be taken by the Public Utilities Commission to economize the operation of the railway.

Mr. Turner answered that the matter was under consideration by the Commission; that studies would be made by the staff, traffic checks taken and a survey would be undertaken after the increase in fares goes into effect.

### Motion to Recess.

Supervisor MacPhee, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the Board recess for 10 minutes.

No objection and motion *carried*.

### Reconvening of Board.

The Board reconvened at 4:05 p. m. and resumed its consideration of the budget.

Supervisor McCarty made the following motion, seconded by Supervisor MacPhee:

I recommend amendment of the budget as recommended by the Finance Committee and as amended by the Board sitting as a Committee of the Whole.

Motion *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan—2.

Supervisor McCarty made the following motion, seconded by Supervisor MacPhee:

I move that all new positions set up under interdepartmental services in the 1952-53 budget be included, insofar as rates and classifications are concerned, in accordance with the Civil Service classifications of positions and the Salary Standardization Ordinance, but that any and all reference to the number of such positions be deleted and that the tenure of such positions be determined by the Civil Service Commission.

I further move that the Civil Service Commission include in the Annual Salary Ordinance only those interdepartmental positions which are filled by permanent appointments or are ordered filled as permanent positions by the Civil Service Commission under the authority granted by the Board of Supervisors.

Motion *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan—2.

Supervisor McCarty made the following motion, seconded by Supervisor MacPhee:

I move that the Controller be directed to adjust the retirement allowances in the 1952-1953 budget estimates, as adopted by the



Board of Supervisors based upon personal service change and anticipated savings because of amounts transferred to compensation reserves.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan—2.

Supervisor McCarty made the following motion, seconded by Supervisor MacPhee:

I move that in accordance with the recommendations of the Mayor and the respective Boards, Commissions and Department heads, that the departmental budget estimates for the fiscal year 1952-1953 be adjusted to make effective July 1, 1952, the new compensation schedules set forth in the Salary Standardization Ordinance, Charter Sections 151 and 151.1, Ordinance No. 7225 (Series of 1939).

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan—2.

Supervisor McCarty made the following motion, seconded by Supervisor MacPhee:

I move that the Civil Service Commission be directed to establish in the Annual Salary Ordinance rates of pay for employments known as disability transfers in accordance with the rates of pay established by the Civil Service Commission under the provisions of Section 156 of the Charter, and that the Controller be directed to prepare the Annual Appropriation Ordinance to reflect such rates of pay.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan—2.

Supervisor McCarty made the following motion, seconded by Supervisor MacPhee:

I move the adoption of the budget, as amended in the Board of Supervisors, and that the Controller be instructed to prepare the Annual Appropriation Ordinance to reflect the budget as adopted by the Board of Supervisors; and the Civil Service Commission be instructed to prepare the Annual Salary Ordinance in conformity with the Civil Service Commission classification of positions and the Salary Standardization Ordinance enacted by the Board of Supervisors, to reflect the positions continued or created by the Board of Supervisors in the adoption of the budget; the Annual Appropriation Ordinance and the Annual Salary Ordinance to be transmitted to the Board of Supervisors for its action on May 21, 1952.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan—2.

#### Final Passage.

Appropriating \$4,400, Youth Guidance Center,\* Probation Office and Juvenile Hall, for Repairs of Automotive Equipment and Dry Goods and Wearing Apparel; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9016, Ordinance No. 7341 (Series of 1939).

(Maintenance and Repair of Automotive Equipment	\$1,400
Dry Goods and Wearing Apparel	3,000)

### Withdrawing of Motion.

Supervisor McCarty stated that he desired to withdraw the pending motion to amend.

No objection and motion *withdrawn*.

### Motion to Amend.

Supervisor McCarty, seconded by Supervisor Christopher, moved that the foregoing legislation be amended by reducing the amount for maintenance and repair of automotive equipment from \$1,400 to \$500, the amount for dry goods and wearing apparel from \$3,000 to \$2,000, and the total appropriation from \$4,400 to \$2,000.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan—2.

Finally Passed by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan—2.

### Reference to Finance Committee.

The following emergency measure, appearing on the Board's supplemental calendar, was taken up:

Appropriating \$410, Finance and Records, County Clerk, from the General Compensation Reserve, Allowance for Overtime; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9054, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

### Motion to Refer.

Supervisor Christopher, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, moved that the legislation be referred to Finance Committee.

No objection and motion *carried*.

### OFF-CALENDAR LEGISLATION.

The following recommendation of his Honor, the Mayor, was presented by the Clerk:

#### Adopted.

Leaves of Absence—Fred Dettmering, Library Commissioner, June 7-12 and July 7-28; John R. McGrath, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, May 17-30; Reed W. Robinson, Vice President of Board of Permit Appeals, May 28-June 1; Harold L. Zellerbach, President of the Art Commission, May 23-29 and June 14-22; and Rene A. Vayssie, Library Commissioner, May 21-31, All With Permission to Leave the State.

File No. 7823, Resolution No. 12258 (Series of 1939).

### Motion to Adopt.

Supervisor McCarty, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, moved adoption of the legislation.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan—2.

## ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF MEASURES AND COMMUNICATIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

### Informing Department Heads That They Are Expected to Operate Within Their Departmental Budget.

Supervisor Christopher remarked that he was sorry that at each department would have to conduct its operations within its respective departmental budget as approved by the Board.

### Urging Appointment of Labor-Management Committee to Study Conditions on the Waterfront.

Supervisor Christopher called the Board's attention to the strike that was making it impossible for the Longline to sail. He pointed out the fact that a couple of years ago he had requested the Mayor to appoint a Labor-Management Committee to study the conditions on the waterfront in an effort to prevent such strikes and idleness, and that it was his suggestion that the Mayor be requested to appoint a 5-man committee to discuss the conditions on the waterfront.

No objection and request granted.

### Urging Public Utilities Commission to Give Consideration to Having a Complete Survey in Connection With the Method in Which Claims Are Handled.

Supervisor Ferdon called the hearing that was held in connection with the Public Utilities Commission about the method of handling claims and he stated that it was his belief that steps should be taken to correct the situation. He then requested that the Clerk be directed to send a communication to the Public Utilities Commission urging them to give serious consideration to having a complete survey in connection with the manner in which claims are underwritten, investigated and disposed of and that also thought should be given to the establishment of a reserve for the settlements of claims.

No objection and request granted.

Adopted.

In Memoriam—Reverend Charles Murphy.

Supervisor Ferdon presented.

File No. 7324 Resolution No. 12260 (Series of 1939)

Motion to Adopt.

Supervisor Ferdon, seconded by Supervisor Dobbs, moved adoption of the legislation.

*Adopted by a rising vote as follows:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Mancuso, Sullivan—3.

Set as Special Order.

### Urging Meeting With West Portal Merchants, Members of Parking Authority and Board of Supervisors Relative to Parking Conditions in West Portal District.

Supervisor Lewis mentioned the fact that the merchants in the West Portal District were very concerned about the parking conditions in the area. He explained that they had contacted the Parking Authority in the matter, but that no satisfaction had been received.

Supervisor Lewis, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, moved that the matter be set as a special order of business at 3 p. m., Monday, May 26th, and that the West Portal merchants, members of the Parking Authority and neighborhood improvement associations be invited to attend.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan—2.

**Adopted.**

**In Memoriam—William Mitchell.**

Supervisor MacPhee presented:

File No. 7824, Resolution No. 12259 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor MacPhee, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, moved adoption of the legislation.

*Adopted by a rising vote as follows:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan—2.

**Remarks by Supervisor Mancuso Relative to Disposition of Annual Budget.**

Supervisor Mancuso stated that he desired to congratulate the Mayor for the budget he submitted to the Board and also the members of the Finance Committee for the intelligent manner in which they handled it.

Supervisor Mancuso further remarked that he was very happy to have been able to vote for the adoption of the budget.

**Final Passage.**

**Appropriating \$7,600, Department of Finance and Records, Registrar of Voters, for Overtime and Temporary Salaries; an Emergency Measure.**

Supervisor McCarty presented:

File No. 9059, Ordinance No. 7328 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Finally Pass.**

Supervisor McCarty, seconded by Supervisor Christopher, moved that the legislation be finally passed.

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan—2.

**Motion to Recess.**

Supervisor Mead, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that when the Board concluded its meeting it recess until Friday, May 23, at the hour of 3:00 p. m. to pass for second reading the Annual Appropriation Ordinance and the Annual Salary Ordinance.

No objection and motion *carried*.

Supervisor MacPhee, seconded by Supervisor Christopher, moved that the Board rescind its action.

No objection and motion *carried*.

Supervisor MacPhee, seconded by Supervisor Christopher, moved that the Board recess until Wednesday, May 21, 11:00 a. m., to pass the Annual Appropriation Ordinance and the Annual Salary Ordinance for second reading.

No objection and motion carried.

### RECESS.

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 5:15 p. m., recessed to reconvene on Wednesday, May 21, at 11:00 a. m.

JOHN R. McGRATH, Clerk.

### WEDNESDAY, MAY 21, 1952—11:00 A. M.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Wednesday, May 21, 1952, 11:00 a. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in recessed session.

### CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan—2.

Quorum present.

President Mead presiding.

Supervisor Arnold excused from attendance on official leave of absence.

Supervisor Sullivan excused from attendance on official leave of absence.

### Passage for Second Reading.

The following recommendations of the Committee of the Whole were taken up:

**An Ordinance Appropriating All Estimated Receipts and All Estimated Expenditures for the City and County of San Francisco for the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1953.**

File No. 8930, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan—2.

**An Ordinance Enumerating All Positions Continued or Created by the Board of Supervisors in Adopting the Annual Budget and Appropriation Ordinance for the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1953, Continuing, Creating or Establishing These Positions; Enumerating and Including Therein All Positions Established Under the San Francisco Unified School District and All Positions Created by Charter of State Law for Which Compensations Are Paid from City and County Funds and Appropriated in the Annual Appropriation Ordinance; Authorizing Appointments or Continuation of Appointments Thereto; Specifying and Fixing the Compensations and Work Schedules Thereof; and Authorizing Appointments to Temporary Positions and Fixing Compensations Therefor.**

File No. 9060, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939)

**Motion to Amend.**

Supervisor McCarty, seconded by Supervisor Christopher, moved that the legislation be amended by amending Section 1.35 thereof to provide that the charges and deductions to be included therein be established at the same rates as contained in the Annual Salary Ordinance for the fiscal year 1951-52.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan—2.

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Sullivan—2.

**ADJOURNMENT.**

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 11:20 a. m., adjourned.

JOHN R. McGRATH, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors June 16, 1952.

I, John R. McGrath, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, hereby certify that the foregoing are true and correct copies of the Journals of Proceedings of said Board of the dates hereon stated and approved as recited.

JOHN R. McGRATH,  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.







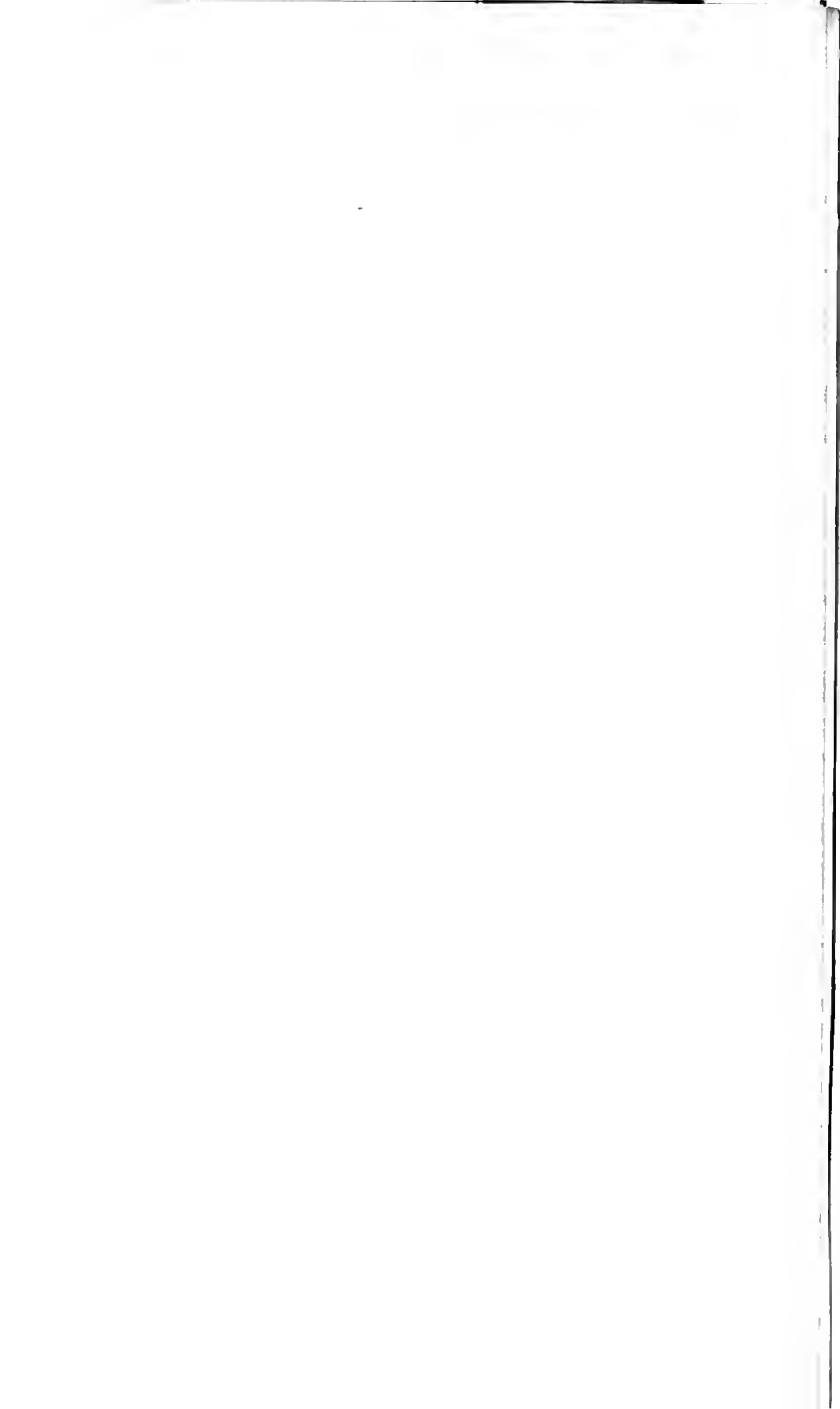
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# JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MONDAY, MAY 26, 1952—2:00 P. M.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, May 26, 1952,  
2:00 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

## CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present.

Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Fardon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan 10

Absent Supervisor Lewis 1

Quorum present.

Supervisor Lewis noted present at 3:00 p. m.

Supervisor Dobbs excused from attendance at 5:30 p. m.

Supervisors Lewis and MacPhee excused from attendance at 6:30 p. m.

## APPROVAL OF JOURNALS

The Journals of Proceedings for Monday, April 21, and Monday, April 23, 1952, were considered read and approved.

## SPECIAL ORDER—2:00 P. M.

Referred to Real Estate Department.

Hearing of All Persons Interested in or Objecting to the Proposed Vacation of Public Service Easements Located in Block 7240-A and Block 7241, Vicinity of Holloway Avenue and Junipero Serra Boulevard.

File No. 8029

(Pursuant to notice of intention given in Ordinance No. 7272 (Series of 1939).)

There appearing no protestants, the foregoing measure was referred to the Real Estate Department for further action.

## SPECIAL ORDER—2:00 P. M.

Hearing of All Persons Interested in or Objecting to the Proposed Vacation of a Portion of a Public Service Easement Located in Ventura Avenue, Between Lots 2 and 3, Block 2816.

File No. 8089

(Pursuant to notice of intention given in Ordinance No. 7273 (Series of 1939).)

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS.****Final Passage.**

The following recommendations of Finance Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

**Appropriating \$1,590, deYoung Memorial Museum, for Temporary Salaries.**

File No. 8676, Ordinance No. 7343 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Sullivan—2.

**Appropriating \$12,035, Mayor, San Francisco Disaster Council and Corps, for Purchase of Communications Equipment.**

File No. 8995, Ordinance No. 7350 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Sullivan—2.

**Appropriating \$270, Department of Electricity, for Light, Heat and Power.**

File No. 8996, Ordinance No. 7351 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Sullivan—2.

**Authorizing City Attorney to Dismiss, With Prejudice, Three Defendants from Superior Court Action No. 411,638, Concerning Contracts for Work at the Youth Guidance Center.**

File No. 8998, Ordinance No. 7352 (Series of 1939).

(Action brought against Beverly O. Brace and Mark H. Gregg, Jr., dba Herman Lawson Co., United Pacific Insurance Company, Western Casualty and Surety Company, Olof Monson and Arthur Monson, dba Monson Bros., and United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, for work defectively done by defendants at Youth Guidance Center, Olof and Arthur Monson and their surety, United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company have now fully performed their contracts.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Sullivan—2.

**Authorizing Director of Property to Arrange for the Leasing of Store Building at California and Hyde Streets.**

File No. 9002, Ordinance No. 7354 (Series of 1939).

(Three-story building acquired from California Street Railroad Company. Lease to be for three years; cost of re-

habilitating premises to be at expense of lessee. Lease not in conflict with the Master Plan.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Sullivan—2.

**Appropriating \$7,500, Public Utilities, Hetch Hetchy Project, for Accident Compensation, Awards, Indemnities, Damages and Sundry Judgments.**

File No. 8936, Ordinance No. 7346 (Series of 1939).

(Accident Compensation	\$6,500
Awards, Indemnities, Etc.	1,000)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee—2.

#### Final Passage.

The following recommendations of Committee of the Whole were taken up:

**An Ordinance Appropriating All Estimated Receipts and All Estimated Expenditures for the City and County of San Francisco for the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1953.**

File No. 8930, Ordinance No. 7345 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee—2.

**An Ordinance Enumerating All Positions Continued or Created by the Board of Supervisors in Adopting the Annual Budget and Appropriation Ordinance for the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1953, Continuing, Creating or Establishing These Positions; Enumerating and Including Therein All Positions Established Under the San Francisco Unified School District and All Positions Created by Charter or State Law for Which Compensations Are Paid from City and County Funds and Appropriated in the Annual Appropriation Ordinance; Authorizing Appointments or Continuation of Appointments Thereto; Specifying and Fixing the Compensations and Work Schedules Thereof; and Authorizing Appointments to Temporary Positions and Fixing Compensations Therefor.**

File No. 9060, Ordinance No. 7357 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee—2.

#### Final Passage.

The following recommendations of Streets Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Ferdon, McMurray, Sullivan.

**Changing or Modifying the Official Grades on Mansell Street Between Points Respectively Fifty Feet Easterly and Fifty Feet Westerly from Dartmouth Street, and on Dartmouth Street Between a Line 215 Feet Southerly from Olmstead Street and Harkness Avenue.**

File No. 8730-2, Ordinance No. 7344 (Series of 1939).

May 12, 1952—Consideration continued to May 26, 1952.

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Creating Underground District No. 127, Lombard Street from Leavenworth Street to Hyde Street.**

File No. 5154, Ordinance No. 7342 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

#### **Final Passage.**

The following recommendations of Streets Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Ferdon, McMurray.

**Fully Accepting the Roadway and Curbs of Acevedo Avenue and Certain Other Streets, Crossings and Intersections, Within the Boundaries of the Parkmerced Subdivision.**

File No. 8952, Ordinance No. 7347 (Series of 1939).

(In 1945 the hereinafter named streets were conditionally accepted by the Board because the underground street lighting system was incomplete. Lighting system has now been completed:

Acevedo Avenue, Arballo Drive, Arellano Avenue, Bucareli Drive, Cambon Drive, Cardenas Avenue, Castelo Avenue, Crespi Drive, Diaz Avenue, Font Boulevard, Fuente Avenue, Garces Drive, Gonzales Drive, Grijalva Drive, Higuera Avenue, Josepha Avenue, Juan Bautista Circle, Nineteenth Avenue, Pinto Avenue, Rivas Avenue, Serrano Drive, Tapia Drive, Varela Avenue and Vidal Drive.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Conditionally Accepting Roadway and Curbs of Poplar Street from Twenty-fifth Street Southerly to Existing Pavement.**

File No. 8979, Ordinance No. 7348 (Series of 1939).

(Not necessary to install main sewer or water and gas mains: property being served from other streets.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Accepting Roadway and Curbs of Portions of Glenview Drive, Dawnview Drive and Campbell Avenue, Including Certain Intersections.**

File No. 8992, Ordinance No. 7349 (Series of 1939).

(Glenview Drive from Portal Drive to 975 feet more or less northerly to its termination;

Dawnview Drive from Glenview Drive to 135 feet more or less easterly to its termination, including the intersection of Dawnview and Glenview Drives;

Campbell Avenue between Brussels and Goettingen Streets, including the intersections of Campbell Avenue and Goettingen Street.)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Establishing Grades on Mangels Avenue Between Congo and Detroit Streets.**

File No. 8999, Ordinance No. 7353 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**NEW BUSINESS.****Adopted.**

The following recommendations of Finance Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Christopher, McCarty.

**Approving Supplemental Recommendations, Public Welfare Department, Relative to Categorical Aids; Letter Dated May 20, 1952.**

File No. 7821, Resolution No. 12271 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Authorizing Extension of Granting of Emergency Relief to Dependent Non-Residents for May and June; List Dated May 26, 1952.**

File No. 7822, Resolution No. 12272 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Authorizing Extension of Granting of Emergency Relief to Dependent Non-Residents for June and July; List Dated May 26, 1952.**

File No. 7822, Resolution No. 12273 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Confirming Lease of Certain City-Owned Property Located Opposite St. Mary's Square, to Barrett Garages, Inc., Required for Automobile Parking Purposes.**

File No. 8871-1, Resolution No. 12279 (Series of 1939).

(Property to be leased for period of 8 months commencing June 1, 1952, the city to receive the following rental:

- (a) \$1.00 for the first month.
- (b) During remaining seven months, 62 per cent of gross revenues received by Lessee from all sources, exclusive of California sales tax, if any, provided that rental shall not be less than \$1,000 per month except as further provided.
- (c) During first month, lessee shall expend a minimum of \$8,500 to develop premises. In compensation for such expense, lessee may deduct one-seventh of said sum of \$8,500 from each month's rental due City for period of seven consecutive months after the first month. If any monthly rental is less than one-seventh of \$8,500, City shall not be required to pay or credit lessee for any deficiency. Any holding over of the term created shall be a month to month tenancy only, at a rental of 62 per cent of the gross revenues received each month by lessee, provided that in no event shall rental be less than \$1,000 per month during such holding over period.
- (d) Deposit of \$500 made by Barrett Garages, Inc., to guarantee execution of lease.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Authorizing Attendance of Superintendent of Airport Operations at Conference of California Association of Airport Executives, Inc., to Be Held in Stockton During Period June 4, 5 and 6, 1952.**

File No. 9043, Resolution No. 12296 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Authorizing Purchase of Certain Real Property from Walter E. McGuire et al. for \$9,750, Required for School Project No. 62.**

File No. 9044, Resolution No. 12297 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Lots 30 33, Block 2370 located on east side of Forty-second Avenue, north of Taraval Street. Size of each lot 25 feet by 100 feet. Vacant land.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Authorizing Purchase of Certain Real Property from Gladys H. Burke and S. Walter Burke for \$64, Required for School Project No. 29.**

File No. 9045, Resolution No. 12298 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. 8 per cent interest in Lots 15 and 16, Block 6164. Located on north side of Harkness Avenue west of Bowdoin Street. Vacant land.)



*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Authorizing Acceptance, on Behalf of the San Francisco Public Library, of Gift in Sum of \$100 from the Pan-American Society to Be Used for the Purchase of Books Relating to Latin America.**

File No. 9048, Resolution No. 12299 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Authorizing Purchase of Certain Real Property from Morris Munowitch et ux. for \$1,000, Required for School Project No. 14.**

File No. 9050, Resolution No. 12300 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Lot 11, Block 2336, located on westerly line of Funston Avenue north of Santiago Street. Size: 25 feet by 120 feet. Vacant land.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Authorizing Preparation of Necessary Legal Documents for Reissue of Joint Call for Bids by the City and County of San Francisco and Recreation and Park Commission for Lease of St. Mary's Square Area and Construction of Garage Thereon.**

File No. 9051, Resolution No. 12301 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

#### **Rescission of Action.**

Supervisor MacPhee moved, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, that the Board rescind its action whereby it had adopted the foregoing measure.

No objection and motion *carried*.

#### **Query Concerning Acquisition of Land.**

Supervisor MacPhee asked if all necessary land had been acquired to be used in connection with the construction of the proposed garage. The Supervisor was assured by Mr. Vining T. Fisher, representing the Parking Authority, that all necessary land had been acquired.

#### **Roll Call.**

The roll was thereupon called and the foregoing measure was *adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Authorizing Preparation of Necessary Legal Documents for Call for Bids for Lease of Mission-Bartlett Street Parking Lot.**

File No. 9052, Resolution No. 12302 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Passage for Second Reading.**

**Appropriating \$600, Electricity, for Installation of Two-Way Radio Equipment Required by the Disaster Corps.**

File No. 8955, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Amending Section 1.26 of Ordinance No. 4942 (Series of 1939), Membership Ordinance, by Authorizing the Public Utilities Commission to Acquire Membership in the California Personnel Management Association.**

File No. 9026, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Authorizing Attendance of Chief Food and Sanitary Inspector, Department of Public Health, at the National Air Pollution Symposium Held in Pasadena on May 5 and 6, 1952.**

File No. 9036, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Appropriating \$35,000, Public Health, for Rheumatic Heart Program.**

File No. 9038, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(City to be reimbursed by the State.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Authorizing Adjustment of Public Library Revolving Fund to Reflect Theft of \$4.00 and Directing Controller to Reimburse Said Fund.**

File No. 9047, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Authorizing Dismissal of Appeal and Compromise of Superior Court Judgment Relative to Retirement Status of Frank T. Kennedy, Former Secretary of the Fire Commission.**

File No. 9053, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Mr. Kennedy was classed as a "miscellaneous employee" by the Retirement System and pensioned in accordance with Section 165.2 of the Charter, effective July 1, 1949. In June, 1949, Mr. Kennedy petitioned for retirement in accordance with provisions of Section 169, claiming that he was a member of the Fire Department. Petition was rejected by Retirement Board and claim was filed in Superior Court and upheld. Mr. Kennedy has now expressed a willingness to accept pension allowance under Section 165.2 of the Charter.)

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Appropriating \$1,394, Police, for Overtime Allowance and Wages for Civilian Employees.**

File No. 9055, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Appropriating \$212,500, Municipal Railway, for Payment of Judgments and Interest on Claims.**

File No. 9056, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Appropriating \$16,000, Recreation and Park, for Construction of a Shelter at Kezar Stadium for Hospitalized Personnel of the Armed Forces.**

File No. 9057, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Appropriating \$397.50, Water Department, for Three New Positions of Special Collector; Abolishing Three Positions of General Clerk.**

File No. 9061-1, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Special Collector	\$265-315 per month
General Clerk	225-285 per month)

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 73.6, Public Utilities Commission, San Francisco Water Department—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 9061-2, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Final Passage.**

Appropriating \$5,000, Superior Court, from Emergency Reserve Fund, for Transportation and Maintenance of Criminally Insane and Narcotic Addicts; an **Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9014, Ordinance No. 7355 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

Appropriating \$410, County Clerk, for Overtime Allowance; an **Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9054, Ordinance No. 7356 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Adopted.**

The following recommendation of Streets Committee was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Ferdon, McMurray.

Approving Map of Midtown Subdivision No. 2 and Accepting Deed to Certain Land to Be Declared as Open Public Streets.

File No. 9032, Resolution No. 12291 (Series of 1939).

(Panorama Drive, Mountview Court, Longview Court, Cityview Way, Knollview Way, Skyview Way and Midcrest Way. In Conformity with Master Plan.)

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Adopted.**

The following recommendation of the Education, Parks and Recreation Committee was taken up:

Present: Supervisors MacPhee, Dobbs.

Memorializing the State Park Commission to Make Application to the United States Department of the Interior, Through the National Park Service, for an Extension of Time Within Which the State Park Commission May Be Permitted to Acquire Angel Island for the City and County of San Francisco.

File No. 7660-6, Resolution No. 12270 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Ordered Submitted.**

The following recommendations of Judiciary Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon.

Proposed Charter Amendment, Section 5.1, Prohibiting Any Person from Serving as Mayor for More Than Two Successive Terms.

File No. 8373

## Discussion.

Supervisor Christopher opposed the measure and suggested that it be re-committed and that the committee bring before the Board that measure which he had introduced some two years ago relating to the method of electing a Mayor.

Supervisor MacPhee likewise opposed the measure, contending that such a Charter amendment would bar the people from reelecting a man whom they considered to be an exceptional Mayor for a third consecutive term.

## Calling Measures from Committee.

Supervisor Christopher requested that the measures which he introduced two years ago relating to the method of electing a Mayor and other officials be taken out of the Judiciary Committee and brought before the Board for its consideration on Monday, June 2, 1952.

No objection and Clerk was directed to comply.

## Measure Lost.

The roll was thereupon called and the foregoing measure was refused submission by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Fardon, McMurray, Sullivan—5.

Noes: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—5.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

## Rescission of Action.

Supervisor Dobbs moved, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, that the Board rescind its action whereby it had defeated the foregoing measure.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Fardon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Sullivan—9.

No: Supervisor Mead—1.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

## Motion to Re-refer to Committee—Withdrawn.

Supervisor Dobbs moved, seconded by Supervisor Fardon, that the foregoing measure be re-referred to committee.

There being no objection, motion was *withdrawn*.

## Discussion.

Supervisor Mancuso echoed the sentiment expressed by Supervisor MacPhee, that the people should be permitted to decide just how long a Mayor should remain in office and not summarily restrict his tenure in office to two consecutive terms.

## Amendment—Lost.

Supervisor Mancuso moved that the foregoing measure be amended by inserting after the phrase found in Section 5.1, and reading as follows: "No person elected as Mayor . . ." the words "or Supervisor."

Motion lost for want of a second.

## Amendment—Withdrawn.

Supervisor Mancuso moved as an amendment, that the words "elective officer" be inserted in Section 5.1, after the word "No . . .", found in the first sentence. Motion seconded by Supervisor MacPhee.

At this point, Supervisor Christopher asked Deputy City Attorney O'Connor if the passage of the proposed Charter amendment would affect the incumbent Mayor, and he was advised that the City Attorney's office had ruled that it would.

#### Supervisor Lewis Noted Present.

Supervisor Lewis noted present at 3:00 p. m.

#### Amendment Withdrawn.

There being no objection, Supervisor Mancuso *withdrew* his proposed amendment.

#### Ordered Submitted.

The roll was thereupon called and the foregoing Charter amendment was *ordered submitted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, McCarty, McMurray, Sullivan—7.

Noes: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee, Mancuso, Mead—4.

#### Introduction of Distinguished Guest.

The President of the Board introduced the Honorable Franck R. Havenner, Member of Congress.

#### Talk on Construction of Bay Model.

The Honorable Franck R. Havenner stated that his visit to the Chambers was for the purpose of seeing if something could not be done to hasten definite action with respect to the adoption of plans looking to the construction of a southern crossing. The Congressman stated that success had been achieved in stimulating some interest back in Washington and that the Civil Defense Administration had gone on record officially in expressing the belief that a second bay crossing is of urgent importance. The Secretary of Defense, at the instance of the Chairman of the Armed Services Committee, recently wrote to the United States District Corps of Engineers here, inquiring whether any studies had been made on the possibility of locating a particular type of crossing which would not interfere with the flow of tides. The Congressman stated that he and others had consulted with the Army engineers and had been advised that no check had ever been made as to the effect of tidal conditions, and that there was no official information available on the subject. There has been a considerable variance of opinion with respect to the type of structure needed here. The United States engineers, in making studies of this kind, depend upon a bay harbor model, which is used to determine tides and currents.

The Congressman concluded his remarks by asking if the Board would consider making a contribution toward the construction of such a bay harbor model, which would assist the Army engineers to make an accurate report on the Reber plan and the type of crossing best suitable for San Francisco Bay, taking into consideration the various tidal flows, currents, shipping requirements, and the like.

#### Fixing Date for Meeting by County, State and National Affairs Committee.

Supervisor Christopher raised the question as to whether such an expense could be partially borne by the California Toll Bridge Authority.

Supervisor Lewis informed the Board that he was calling a meeting of the County, State and National Affairs Committee for Thursday, May 29, 2 p. m., for the purpose of considering the foregoing suggestion of Congressman Havenner, and requested that the Clerk of the Committee notify proper city and state officials, the Army

Engineers, the President of the Alameda County Board of Supervisors, and the Mayor of Oakland.

Objection was raised with respect to the propriety of having the County, State and National Affairs Committee consider the matter inasmuch as a matter of funds was involved. The President thereupon referred the subject to the Joint County, State and National Affairs and Finance Committee.

It was agreed that the proposed meeting date should be changed to Wednesday, May 28, 1:30 p. m.

No further objection and so ordered.

#### **SPECIAL ORDER—3:00 P. M.**

**Public Hearing to Be Held Jointly by the Board of Supervisors and the Parking Authority in Connection With Consideration of Policy Concerning Expenditure of Proceeds of 1947 Off-Street Parking Bonds to Provide Parking Facilities in Outlying Districts, Particularly the West Portal District.**

##### **Committee of the Whole.**

Supervisor Lewis moved, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, that the Board now resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole.

No objection and motion *carried*.

##### **President to Act as Chairman of Committee of the Whole.**

Supervisor Lewis moved, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, that the President of the Board act as Chairman of the Committee of the Whole.

No objection and motion *carried*.

##### **Motion Permitting West Portal District Representatives to Present Argument.**

Supervisor Lewis moved that the merchants in the West Portal District be permitted at this time to present their case.

The President ruled that the Parking Authority representatives should first be heard, and at the conclusion of their presentation, such individuals who desire to be heard, may exercise that privilege.

##### **Parking Authority Representative Heard.**

Mr. Vining T. Fisher, General Manager, outlined in brief what his Authority had done with respect to investigating off-street parking facilities in the West Portal area and presented a report entitled "Review of West Portal Avenue Parking Situation."

##### **Hearing from Various Interested Parties.**

The following persons were given the privilege of the floor:

John E. Sullivan, attorney-at-law, representing the West Portal Merchants and West Portal Property Owners Association. Mr. Sullivan stressed the need for off-street parking facilities in the area and called upon the Authority to make an immediate investigation and survey to determine the need and source of funds to be used for such purpose.

Edward I. Barry, 1410 Portola Drive.

Frank A. Parlato, 329 West Portal Avenue.

George Courting, 441 Magellan Avenue.

Arthur Ziegler, 1 Rossmoor Drive.

Thomas A. Gray, Downtown Association, 57 Post Street.

### Privilege of Rebuttal.

The President announced that he was granting ten minutes to both sides for the privilege of rebuttal. In this connection, Albert H. Jacobs, Chairman of the Parking Authority, and John E. Sullivan, representing the merchant and property owner groups, availed themselves of the privilege.

### Motion to Rise and Report.

Supervisor Sullivan moved, seconded by Supervisor McMurray, that the Committee arise and report.

No objection and motion *carried*.

### Discussion.

Supervisor McCarty suggested that the Parking Authority look into the feasibility of installing a mechanical type garage known as "Pigeon Hole Parking Garage," in the area. Mr. Jacobs of the Parking Authority assured Supervisor McCarty that his Authority would be glad to comply with his request.

Supervisor MacPhee opposed the idea of using funds derived from parking meters for the construction of off-street parking facilities. These funds, he said, have been and should be continued to be used for the benefit of all the taxpayers. He further averred that all facilities under City and County control should be self-supporting, and not be subsidized by increases in the tax rate.

### Motion for Survey in West Portal District.

Supervisor Christopher moved, seconded by Supervisor Lewis, that the Parking Authority be requested to conduct a survey of off-street parking facilities which may exist in the West Portal District and that a report and recommendation be made to the Board of Supervisors within thirty days.

Motion *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—11.

### Inquiry into Status of Study Relating to Off-Street Parking Facilities in North Beach Area.

Supervisor Mancuso inquired into the status of the study being conducted of off-street parking facilities in the North Beach area. He was informed by Mr. Jacobs of the Parking Authority that data was now being assembled and that a complete report would be ready in about a month.

### Privilege of the Floor.

There being no objection, the privilege of the floor was extended to Mr. Walter Nelson, representing Local No. 10 of the Longshoremen's Union, who requested that the Board fix a date for hearing his complaint that inadequate parking facilities exist on the waterfront to the detriment of working longshoremen. He desired time so he could contact certain organizations and firms in an effort to support his petition.

### Motion Relating to Study of Parking Conditions on the Waterfront.

Supervisor Mancuso moved, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, that the Parking Authority study the parking problem existing on the waterfront as it affects working longshoremen, with a view to providing them with adequate parking facilities; further, that the State Board of Harbor Commissioners be requested by the Authority to consider the removal of a number of parking meters located along a



certain portion of the waterfront, in order to afford parking convenience to the longshoremen.

Motion carried by the following vote:

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

**Absent:** Supervisors Lewis, McMurray—2.

### SPECIAL ORDER—4:00 P. M.

The following measure from the Redevelopment Agency was taken up:

#### Passage for Second Reading.

**Approving and Adopting Tentative Plan for Diamond Heights Redevelopment Project Area, and Establishing and Designating Area as Diamond Heights Redevelopment Project Area B-1; and Rejecting Alleged Alternative Plans.**

File No. 3775-1, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939)

#### Communications.

The Clerk presented communications from the following organizations: The Building Industry Conference Board; San Francisco Junior Chamber of Commerce; Fairmount Improvement Club; Cayuga Improvement Association; Mr. George Bratt; Florence van Hoff.

#### Discussion.

Supervisor Mancuso asked Mr. James E. Lash, Director of the Redevelopment Agency, if he was correct in his assumption that the rights of property owners in the district would not be jeopardized in the event the Board adopted the proposed Tentative Plan. Mr. Lash replied that the Supervisor's assumption was correct.

Supervisor Mancuso inquired if the Redevelopment Agency was acting within its rights in seizing land which has not been fully developed. Mr. Barrieklo, attorney for the Redevelopment Agency, replied to the effect that the Agency, under the provisions of the Community Redevelopment Law, could acquire such land if it has declared such an area a redevelopment area.

#### Committee of the Whole.

Supervisor Mancuso moved, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, that the Board resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole.

No objection and motion *carried*.

Supervisor Mancuso moved, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, that the President of the Board act as Chairman of the Committee of the Whole.

No objection and motion *carried*.

#### Privilege of the Floor.

The privilege of the floor was accorded the following:

Jack H. Werchick, attorney at law, representing the Diamond Heights property owners.

Teall Messer, 44 Miguel Street.

Frank White, secretary, C.I.O., 690 Market Street.

John van Hoff, 1921 Diamond Street.

Elsa Strait, League of Women Voters of San Francisco, 1215 St. Francis Hotel.

Charles D. Walker, 1714 Castro Street, president, East and West of Castro Street Improvement Club.

William G. Swicegood, 1058 Twenty-seventh Street.

George W. Johns, San Francisco Labor Council, 2940 Sixteenth Street.

Hervey Parke Clark, American Institute of Architects, 210 Post Street.

Douglass Kline, Upper Noe Valley Improvement Club, 14 Laidley Street.

George Uri, 2233 Divisadero Street.

Mrs. Freda Swicegood, 1058 Twenty-seventh Street.

Jonathan Bratt, 216 Bemis Street, requesting that communications under his father's name be read. (Communications read and ordered filed.)

Gloria Dunn, 821 Corbett Avenue.

J. Tietjen, 574 Day Street.

Edward Howden, Council for Civic Unity.

Jack H. Werchick, attorney at law, was given the privilege of summing up his case for the Diamond Heights Property Owners' Association.

#### Motion to Rise and Report.

Supervisor Sullivan moved, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, that the Committee rise and report.

No objection and motion *carried*.

#### Roll Call.

The roll was thereupon called on the pending measure and it was *passed for second reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Dobbs—1.

#### Supervisors to Be Excused.

There being no objection, Supervisors Lewis and MacPhee were given permission to excuse themselves at 6:30 p. m.

#### Consideration Continued.

Prescribing the Information to Be Furnished Whenever the Public Utilities Commission Shall Submit to the Board of Supervisors a Proposal to Fix, Change or Adjust Utility Rates, Charges or Fares, and Prescribing the Procedure to Be Followed by the Board of Supervisors in Its Consideration Thereof.

File No. 8832, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

May 12, 1952—Re-referred to Judiciary Committee.

Supervisor Ferdon moved, seconded by Supervisor Christopher, that consideration of the foregoing measure be continued for a period of one week.

No objection and motion *carried*.

*Consideration continued one week.*

#### Adopted.

The following recommendations of Police Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors, McMurray, Ferdon.

**Adding Bayshore Boulevard into Sunnydale Avenue, and Sunnydale Avenue into Bayshore Boulevard, to List of Street Intersections from Which Left-Hand Turns Are Prohibited at All Times, and Authorizing Installation of "Right Turn Only" Signs.**

File No. 8633, Resolution No. 12275 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Designating Southwest Corner of Wawona Street and Lower Great Highway as a "Stop" Intersection.**

File No. 8740, Resolution No. 12276 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Adding Fourteenth Street, South Side, Between Market and Landers Streets, to List of Streets on Which Parking Is Restricted to Sixty Minutes Between 7 A. M. and 6 P. M., Sundays and Holidays Excepted.**

File No. 8845, Resolution No. 12277 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Adding Portion of Egbert Avenue, West of Jennings Street, to List of Streets on Which Parking Is Prohibited Between 7 P. M. and 7 A. M., All Times.**

File No. 8846, Resolution No. 12278 (Series of 1939).

(South side, beginning at a point 62 feet west of Jennings Street and continuing for a distance of 250 feet westerly.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Adding Intersection of Park Presidio Boulevard into Lake Street to List of Street Intersections from Which Left-Hand Turns Are Prohibited at All Times.**

File No. 8940, Resolution No. 12280 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Approving Angle Parking on the West Side of Octavia Street Between Pacific Avenue and Broadway.**

File No. 8941, Resolution No. 12281 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Adding Octavia Street, East Side, Between Pacific Avenue and Broadway, to List of Streets on Which Parking is Prohibited Day or Night.**

File No. 8942, Resolution No. 12282 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Rescinding Designation of Northwest Corner of Laguna and Hermann Streets as a "Stop" Intersection.**

File No. 8944, Resolution No. 12283 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Designating and Rescinding Designation of Certain "Stop" Intersections.**

File No. 8967, Resolution No. 12284 (Series of 1939).

(Designate:

Northeast corner of Cayuga Avenue and Santa Ynez Street;

Northwest and southeast corners of Huron Avenue and Naglee Avenue;

Northwest corner of Ninth Avenue and Lawton Street.

Rescind designation of:

Northeast corner of Cayuga and Ocean Avenues;  
Circular and Santa Rosa Avenues.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Adding Portion of Bayshore Boulevard, East Side, Between the County Line and Third Street, to List of Streets on Which Stopping Is Prohibited Between 7 A. M. and 9 A. M., Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays Excepted.**

File No. 8968, Resolution No. 12285 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Designating Northeast and Southwest Corners of Eddy and Polk Streets as "Stop" Intersections.**

File No. 9006, Resolution No. 12286 (Series of 1939).

(Effective until such time as automatic traffic signals are installed.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Adding Ivy Street, Westbound, Between Van Ness Avenue and Polk Streets, to List of One-Way Streets, All Times; and Deleting Therefrom the Same Street, Eastbound.**

File No. 9007, Resolution No. 12287 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Deleting Intersection of Nineteenth Avenue into Winston Drive from List of Street Intersections at Which Left-Hand Turns Are Prohibited at All Times.**

File No. 9008, Resolution No. 12288 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Adding Portion of Illinois Street to List of Streets on Which Stopping Is Prohibited at Any Time.**

File No. 9029, Resolution No. 12289 (Series of 1939)

(West side for a distance of 300 feet north of Twentieth Street.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Deleting San Jose Avenue, Northbound, Between Randell and Guerrero Streets, from List of One-Way Streets, All Times.**

File No. 9030, Resolution No. 12290 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Deleting Portions of Masonic Avenue from, and Adding Portions of Clay and Webster Streets to, List of Streets on Which Parking Is Restricted to Two Hours Between 7 A. M. and 6 P. M., Sundays and Holidays Excepted.**

File No. 9039, Resolution No. 12293 (Series of 1939).

(Delete:

Masonic Avenue, east side, between Euclid Avenue and Geary Boulevard;

Add:

Clay Street, north side, between Buchanan and Webster Streets;

Clay Street, between Webster and Fillmore Streets, both sides;

Webster Street, between Sacramento and Washington, Streets, both sides.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Approving Angle Parking on North Side of Clay Street Between Buchanan and Fillmore Streets.**

File No. 9040, Resolution No. 12294 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Amending Parking Meter Zone No. 12 by Adding Thereto Portions of Clay and Webster Streets.**

File No. 9041, Resolution No. 12295 (Series of 1939).

(Webster Street, between Sacramento and Washington Streets;

Clay Street, north side, between Buchanan and Webster Streets.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Consideration Continued.**

**Amending Section 122, Traffic Code, to Prohibit Driving of Vehicles to the Left of Safety Zones on Market Street, Both Sides, from The Embarcadero to Van Ness Avenue, and on Market Street, North Side, at Its Intersection With Duboce Avenue, Between the Hours of 7 A. M. and 7 P. M.**

File No. 8820, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Hours were previously 7 a. m. to midnight.)

April 7, 1952—Re-referred to Police Committee.

Supervisor Arnold moved, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, that consideration of the foregoing measure be continued for a period of one week.

No objection and motion *carried*.

*Consideration continued one week.*

**Passage for Second Reading.**

**Authorizing the Establishment of a Pedestrian Crosswalk at the Main Entrance to St. Mary's Hospital Located on Hayes Street Between Shrader and Stanyan Streets.**

File No. 9042, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Reference to Finance Committee.**

The following emergency measures, appearing on the Board's supplemental calendar, were taken up:

(In each of the following instances, Supervisor Arnold moved, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, that the measure be referred to the Finance Committee. No objection and motion *carried*.)

**Appropriating \$5,000, Public Works, from the Emergency Reserve Fund, for Telephone Expense; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9066, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

Appropriating \$35,601, Public Health, Laguna Honda Home, from the General Fund Compensation Reserve and Emergency Reserve Fund, for Holidays, Permanent Employees' Maintenance Allowance, Sick Leave, Wages, Electricity and Gas; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9067, Ordinance No.	(Series of 1939)	
(Holidays)		\$ 730
Permanent Employees Maintenance Allowance		15,580
Permanent Employees Sick Leave		686
Wages		900
Electricity and Gas		17,785
		<hr/> \$35,601)

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

Appropriating \$43,416, Public Health, San Francisco Hospital, from General Fund Compensation Reserve and Emergency Reserve Fund, for Holiday Pay, Maintenance Allowances, Wages, Telephone and Telegraph, and Electricity and Gas; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9068, Ordinance No.	(Series of 1939).	
(Holidays)		\$ 9,800
Permanent Employees Maintenance Allowance		18,400
Wages		4,000
Telephone and Telegraph		975
Electricity and Gas		10,241
		<hr/> \$43,416)

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

#### OFF-CALENDAR LEGISLATION.

The following recommendations of his Honor the Mayor were presented by the Clerk:

##### Adopted.

Leaves of Absence—J. P. Crosson, Health Service Director, June 11-July 11; Supervisor Edward T. Mancuso, June 10-July 15; Francis P. Walsh, President of the Civil Service Commission, June 7-9, 1952. All With Permission to Leave the State.

File No. 7823, Resolution No. 12274 (Series of 1939).

##### Motion to Adopt.

Supervisor Arnold moved adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor Christopher

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

##### Adopted.

Approving Appointment of Paul T. O'Dowd to the Redevelopment Agency for Term Ending September 3, 1952, Vice Thor B. Gravem, Resigned.

File No. 9037, Resolution No. 12292 (Series of 1939).

##### Motion to Adopt.

Supervisor Arnold moved adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor Sullivan.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF MEASURES AND  
COMMUNICATIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED  
UPON BY A COMMITTEE.**

**Adopted.**

**Commending National Broadcasting Company and Its Station KNBC  
for Valuable Public Service.**

Supervisor Christopher presented on behalf of Supervisor MacPhee:  
File No. 9074, Resolution No. 12303 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Christopher moved adoption of the foregoing measure;  
motion seconded by Supervisor Sullivan.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty,  
McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Supervisor Ferdon Excused.**

There being no objection, Supervisor Ferdon was excused from  
Board attendance at Board meeting scheduled for Monday, June 9,  
1952.

**References to Committee.**

The Clerk of the Board, on behalf of Supervisor Lewis, presented  
the following measures:

**Opposing Proposed Construction of High Level Steel Bridge Between  
Richmond and San Rafael.**

File No. 9072, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to County, State and National Affairs Committee.*

**Urging the Public Utilities Commission to Retain Existing Municipal  
Railway Charge of Five Cents for School Tickets.**

File No. 9073, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Public Utilities Committee.*

**Motion Concerning Attendance of President of Board at Convention  
of National Association of County Officials.**

Supervisor Mancuso moved, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, that  
the President be authorized to attend the National Association of  
County Officials' convention to be held in San Antonio, Texas, during  
period June 15-18, 1952.

No objection and motion *carried*.

**Reference to Committee.**

**Amending the Building Code Relating to Advertising Structures or Signs  
Adjacent the Freeways.**

Supervisor Mancuso presented:

File No. 8252-3, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Joint Streets and Public Buildings, Lands and City  
Planning Committee.*

**Supervisor Mead Excused.**

There being no objection, Supervisor Mead, President of the Board,  
was excused from attending the Board meeting scheduled for Monday,  
June 2, 1952.



Reference to Committee.

**Adding Section 5.1 to the Charter, Making the Office of Tax Collector Elective.**

Supervisor Mead presented

File No. 9075

*Referred to Judiciary Committee.*

**ADJOURNMENT.**

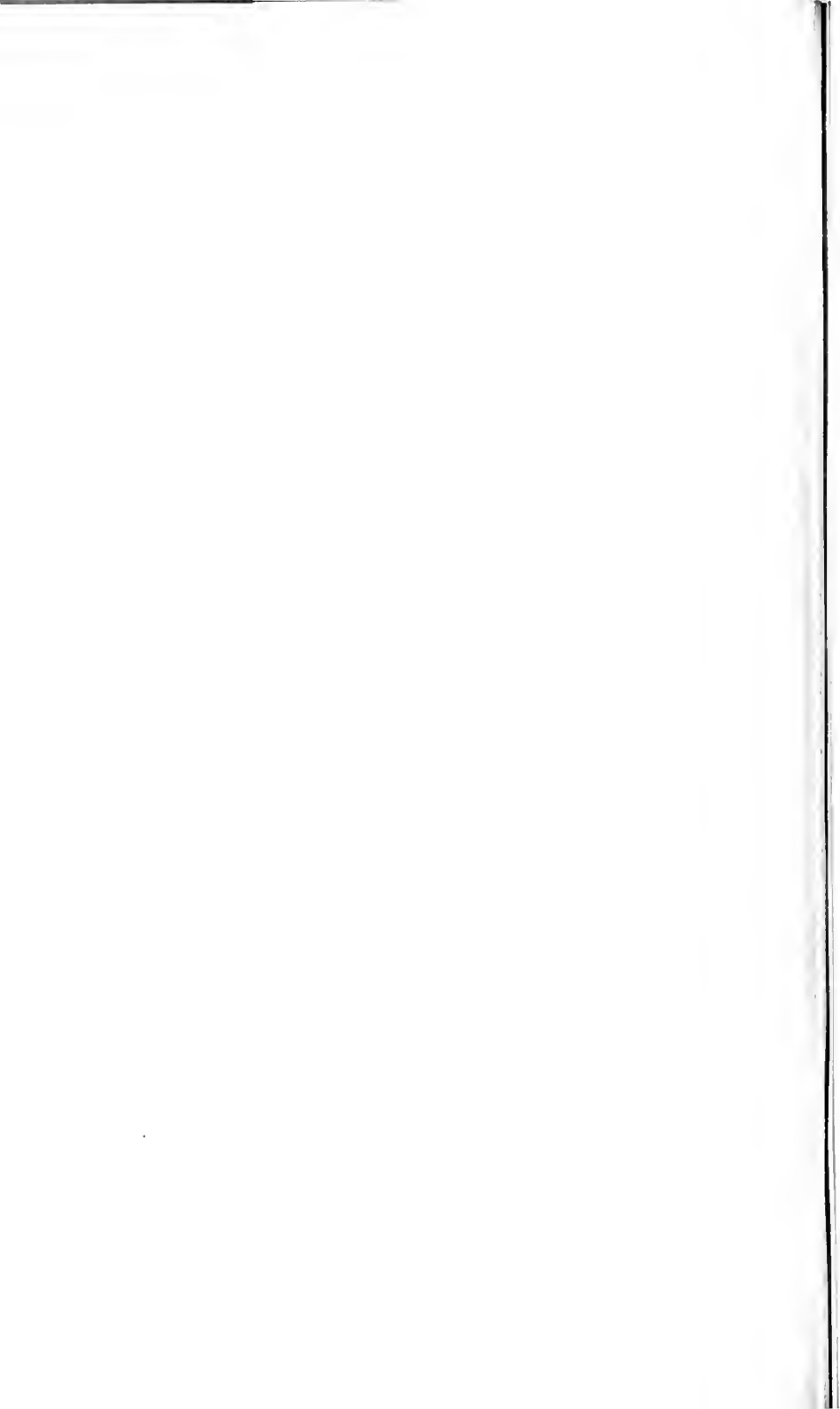
There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 6:47 p. m., adjourned.

JOHN R. McGRATH, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors June 16, 1952.

I, John R. McGrath, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the date hereon stated and approved as recited.

JOHN R. McGRATH,  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.







Monday, June 2, 1952

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# JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MONDAY, JUNE 2, 1952—2:00 P. M.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday June 2, 1952,  
2.00 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

## CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present

Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Sullivan 7.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Lewis, MacPhee, Mead 4

Quorum present

President Pro Tem, Supervisor Mancuso presiding. (See below.)

Supervisor Arnold noted present at 2:15 p. m.

Supervisors MacPhee and Sullivan noted present at 2:08 p. m.

Supervisor Mead excused from attendance (authorized at meeting of May 26, 1952)

## Appointment of President Pro Tem.

Supervisor Christopher moved, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, that Supervisor Mancuso be appointed President Pro Tem

No objection and motion carried.

## Communications.

From the Central Council of Civic Clubs, extending invitation to Board members to attend installation of officers to be held in the Odd Fellows' Building on Friday evening, June 6, 1952, at 8:30 p. m.

*Copy given to each member of Board, ordered filed*

## Supervisor Sullivan Excused.

Supervisor Sullivan requested permission to be excused at 2:55 p. m. There being no objection, *permission granted*

## Suspension of Rules.

Supervisor Sullivan moved, seconded by Supervisor McMurray, that the rules be suspended for the purpose of considering the following measure out of order

No objection and motion carried

## Adopted.

Requesting Mayor to Appoint Citizens' Committee for the Observance of "Citizenship Week," September 14-20, 1952.

Supervisor Sullivan presented

File No. 8648-1, Resolution No. 12309 (Series of 1939)

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Sullivan moved adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor McMurray.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Lewis, MacPhee, Mead—4.

**SPECIAL ORDER—2:00 P. M.****Consideration Continued.**

**Hearing of Persons Interested in or Objecting to the Proposed Vacation of Wattson Place Between Ruth and Leo Streets.**

File No. 7032

(Pursuant to notice of intention given in Resolution No. 12169 (Series of 1939).

May 19, 1952—Consideration continued to June 2, 1952.

**Motion to Defer Consideration.**

Supervisor Sullivan moved, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, that consideration of the foregoing measure be continued for one week.

No objection and motion *carried*.

*Consideration continued one week.*

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS.****Final Passage.**

The following recommendations of Finance Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Christopher, McCarty.

**Authorizing Compromise and Settlement of Claim of T. H. Dionne Against City and County by the Payment of \$2,000.**

File No. 8975, Ordinance No. 7358 (Series of 1939).

(Damages alleged sustained by plaintiff by reason of defective sidewalk in front of 955 Larkin Street.)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, McCarty, Mead—4.

**Appropriating \$60, Public Utilities, Bureau of Light, Heat and Power, for Purchase of a Distance Measuring Wheel.**

File No. 9028, Ordinance No. 7360 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mead—2.

**Final Passage.**

The following measure from Finance Committee without recommendation, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Christopher, McCarty.



**Appropriating \$100, Public Utilities, General Office, for Overtime.**

File No. 9027, Ordinance No. 7359 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Sullivan—7.

Noes: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mead—2.

#### **Passage for Second Reading.**

The following recommendation of Judiciary Committee, heretofore considered, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon.

**Prescribing the Information to Be Furnished Whenever the Public Utilities Commission Shall Submit to the Board of Supervisors a Proposal to Fix, Change or Adjust Utility Rates, Charges or Fares, and Prescribing the Procedure to Be Followed by the Board of Supervisors in Its Consideration Thereof.**

File No. 8832, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

May 26, 1952—Consideration continued to June 2, 1952.

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, McCarty, Mead—4.

#### **Passage for Second Reading.**

The following recommendation of Police Committee, heretofore considered, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors McMurray, Ferdon.

**Amending Section 122, Traffic Code, to Prohibit Driving of Vehicles to the Left of Safety Zones on Market Street, Both Sides, from The Embarcadero to Van Ness Avenue, and on Market Street, North Side, at Its Intersection With Duboce Avenue, Between the Hours of 7 A. M. and 7 P. M.**

File No. 8820, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Hours were previously 7 a. m. to midnight.)

May 26, 1952—Consideration continued to June 2, 1952.

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, McCarty, Mead—4.

### **NEW BUSINESS.**

#### **Adopted.**

The following recommendations of Finance Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

**Authorizing Extension of Granting of Emergency Relief to Dependent Non-Residents for June and July; List Dated June 2, 1952.**

File No. 7822, Resolution No. 12304 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, McCarty, Mead—4.

**Authorizing Refund of Duplicate and Erroneous Payment of Taxes for the Fiscal Years 1951-52 and 1952-53.**

File No. 7827, Resolution No. 12306 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, McCarty, Mead—4.

**Authorizing Release of Lien Recorded by the Department of Public Health for Care and Treatment Furnished Edward Coakley.**

File No. 7896, Resolution No. 12307 (Series of 1939).

(Full sum of \$995.94 paid.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, McCarty, Mead—4.

**Authorizing Release of Lien Recorded by the Public Welfare Department for Aid Extended to Louis and Jane Pena.**

File No. 7897, Resolution No. 12308 (Series of 1939).

(Full sum of \$37.17 paid.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, McCarty, Mead—4.

**Waiving Presentation of Municipal Railway Bond Coupon Due June 1, 1951, and Authorizing Payment in the Amount of \$12.50.**

File No. 9063, Resolution No. 12311 (Series of 1939).

(Coupon, in some unknown manner, became detached from Municipal Railway 5 per cent bond No. D-2100, payable to Central Bank of Oakland as trustee under will of Anne J. Crellin, deceased.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, McCarty, Mead—4.

**Re-reference to Committee.**

**Repealing Ordinance No. 5172 (Series of 1939), Authorizing Sale of Certain Water Department Land Located on the North Side of Ocean Avenue, West of Phelan Avenue.**

File No. 8842, Ordinance No. . (Series of 1939).

(Located in Assessor's Block 3180. Municipal Railway is constructing a terminal on the property. Study will be made of unused portion with view to disposing of it.)

**Discussion.**

Supervisor MacPhee asked questions as to the necessity of leasing any portion of the Water Department property, stating that he was opposed to keeping surplus lands for which there was no immediate use.

The Supervisor was informed that leasing, of the property in question, and designated as File No. 8842-1, was based on the fact that a portion of the land was needed by the Municipal Railway for terminal purposes and that additional land may be needed in the future. Hence it was deemed inadvisable to sell this particular portion since future requirements might dictate its repurchase.

Supervisor MacPhee suggested that the Finance Committee should definitely determine which portion of the property was proposed to be leased and the portion proposed to be sold.

#### Motion to Re-refer.

Thereupon Supervisor Arnold moved, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, that the foregoing measure, as well as the succeeding measure, designated as File No. 8842-1, be re-referred to the Finance Committee.

No objection and motion carried.

*Re-referred to Finance Committee.*

Authorizing Sale or Lease of Certain Water Department Land in Assessor's Block 3180, Located on the North Side of Ocean Avenue, West of Phelan Avenue.

File No. 8842-1 Ordinance No. \_\_\_\_\_ (Series of 1939).

*Re-referred to Finance Committee.*

#### Passage for Second Reading.

Appropriating \$14,372, Public Utilities, Bureau of Light, Heat and Power, for Improving the Street Lighting System on South Van Ness Avenue from Market Street to Howard Street.

File No. 9964 Ordinance No. \_\_\_\_\_ (Series of 1939)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mead—2.

#### Final Passage.

Appropriating \$5,000, Public Works, for General Telephone Charges and Operation of the City Hall Telephone Exchange; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9966 Ordinance No. 7361 (Series of 1939)

#### Discussion.

Supervisor MacPhee asked questions concerning the necessity for the foregoing appropriation, whereupon the Chief Administrative Officer gave an explanation for the request for funds.

Supervisor MacPhee volunteered the suggestion that in order to save the taxpayers money, all phones now installed in the City Hall should have the present HEmlock 1-2121 number.

Thereupon the roll was called and the foregoing measure was finally passed by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mead—2.

## Final Passage.

Appropriating \$35,601, Laguna Honda Home, for Holiday Pay, Maintenance Allowance, Sick Leave, Wages, Electricity and Gas; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9067, Ordinance No. 7362 (Series of 1939).

(Holiday Pay	\$ 730
Permanent Employees Maintenance Allowance	15,500
Permanent Employees Sick Leave	686
Wages	900
Electricity and Gas	17,785)

Finally Passed by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mead—2.

Appropriating \$43,416, San Francisco Hospital, for Holiday Pay, Maintenance Allowance, Wages, Telephone and Telegraph, Electricity and Gas; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9068, Ordinance No. 7363 (Series of 1939).

(Holiday Pay	\$ 9,800
Permanent Employees Maintenance Allowance	18,400
Wages	4,000
Telephone and Telegraph	975
Electricity and Gas	10,241)

Finally Passed by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Maneuso, McCarty, McMurray, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mead—2.

## Re-reference to Committee.

The following measures, called out of the Judiciary Committee by Supervisor Christopher, were taken up:

Charter Amendment—Providing for Runoff Election in Event no Candidate for Office of Mayor Receives a Majority of All Votes Cast for Said Office.

File No. 5512

## Discussion.

Supervisor Christopher spoke in advocacy of the foregoing measure, contending that since San Francisco has long been recognized as a "strong Mayor" town, the people should be accorded the privilege of deciding the type of executive they preferred, and in the interest of good government, the election of a Mayor should be governed by a majority vote.

## Motion to Re-refer.

Supervisor Arnold thereupon moved, seconded by Supervisor Dobbs, that the foregoing measure be re-referred to committee for further study and report.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mead—2.

**Notification Request.**

Supervisor Arnold requested that he be informed of the meeting of the Judiciary Committee when it will consider the foregoing measure as well as the next two measures designated as Files Nos 9087 and 9088.

*Clerk was directed to comply.*

**Re-referred to Judiciary Committee.**

**Charter Amendment—Providing for Runoff Election in Event no Candidate for Office of Mayor, Assessor, District Attorney, City Attorney, Sheriff, Treasurer or Public Defender Receives a Majority of All Votes Cast for Each Such Office.**

File No. 9087

Supervisor Arnold moved, seconded by Supervisor Dobbs, that the foregoing measure be re-referred to Judiciary Committee for further study and report.

*No objection and motion carried.*

*Re-referred to Judiciary Committee.*

**Charter Amendment—Providing for Runoff Election in the Event That the Number of Candidates for the Board of Supervisors Who Receive the Vote of More Than One-Half of the Qualified Electors Voting at the General Municipal Election Does Not Equal the Number of Offices of Supervisor to Be Filled at the General Municipal Election.**

File No. 9088

Supervisor Arnold moved, seconded by Supervisor Dobbs, that the foregoing measure be re-referred to Judiciary Committee for further study and report.

*No objection and motion carried.*

*Re-referred to Judiciary Committee.*

**Adopted.**

The following measure, presented by the Clerk, was taken up:

**Fixing Date of Monday, June 9, 1952, 2:00 P. M., for Hearing the Appeal from the Decision of the City Planning Commission by Its Resolution No. 4033, Dated April 15, 1952, Disapproving Application to Rezone Property Located on the Northeast Corner of Peru Avenue and Athens Street from First Residential District to Commercial District.**

File No. 9058, Resolution No. 12310 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor MacPhee moved adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor Arnold.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

*Ayes:* Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Sullivan—9.

*Absent:* Supervisors Lewis, Mead—2.

**Reference to Finance Committee.**

The following emergency measures, appearing on the Board's supplemental calendar, were taken up:

(In each of the following instances, Supervisor Arnold moved reference to the Finance Committee. Motion seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, and there being no objection motion carried.)

Appropriating \$7,500, Superior Court, from the General Fund Compensation Reserve, for Fees for Jurors and Witnesses; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9083, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

Authorizing the Public Welfare Department to Enter into an Agreement With the State Department of Social Welfare Regarding the Granting of Educational Leave Stipends from Federal Funds to Two Employees of the Public Welfare Department During Educational Leave Without Pay to Enable Them to Acquire Further Education in Child Welfare; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9084, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

### OFF-CALENDAR LEGISLATION.

The following recommendation of the Joint Police and Judiciary Committee was taken up:

Present: Supervisors McMurray, Dobbs, Ferdon.

#### Passage for Second Reading.

An Ordinance Providing for the Regulation and Supervision of Brokers and Other Persons Who Sell Passenger Space on Aircraft; Making It Illegal to Make Certain Representations and Providing a Penalty for the Violation of This Ordinance.

File No. 7726-1, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray—8.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mead, Sullivan—3.

#### Supervisor Arnold Excused.

Supervisor Arnold requested permission to be excused from further Board attendance. There being no objection, Supervisor Arnold was excused at 3:02 p. m.

#### Adopted.

The following recommendation of his Honor the Mayor was presented by the Clerk:

Leaves of Absence—Sam McKee, Public Utilities Commissioner, June 2-23; Fred D. Parr, Recreation and Park Commissioner, June 2-16; Harry J. Stewart, Member of Retirement Board, June 8-August 10, 1952, All With Permission to Leave the State.

File No. 7823, Resolution No. 12305 (Series of 1939).

#### Motion to Adopt.

Supervisor MacPhee moved adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor Sullivan.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray—8.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mead, Sullivan—3.

## ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF MEASURES AND COMMUNICATIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

### Report on Free Passes on Municipal Railway.

Supervisor Christopher requested that the Clerk remind James H. Turner, Manager of Utilities, that a report containing data regarding individuals and agencies or organizations which are enjoying the privilege of free transportation on the Municipal Railway, had been promised some time ago but to date had not been received.

*Clerk directed to determine status of matter.*

### Reference to Streets Committee.

Supervisor Ferdon presented a communication from William Ayoob, requesting that plans calling for the improvement of Mercury Street, between Thornton Avenue and its southerly termination, be changed to provide for the straightening of the street.

*Referred to Streets Committee.*

### Adopted.

Commending The Guardsmen, Public and Other Agencies for Their Efforts and Cooperation in Making the Auto Racing Contests Recently Held in Golden Gate Park an Outstanding Success.

Supervisor Ferdon presented.

File No. 9104, Resolution No. 12312 (Series of 1939).

### Motion to Adopt.

Supervisor Ferdon moved adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor MacPhee.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray—7.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Lewis, Mead, Sullivan—4.

### Reference to Committee.

Amending Ordinance No. 4537 (Series of 1939), "Purchase and Use Tax Ordinance," by Increasing Amount of Tax from One-Half to One Per Cent; Reducing Amount Applicable to Administrative Costs, and Limiting Use of Moneys Received Under Section 15.1 During Period July 1, 1952, to June 30, 1957.

Supervisor MacPhee presented:

File No. 9102, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

### Adopted.

Temporarily Closing Twenty-fourth Street Between Sanchez and Noe Streets to Vehicular Traffic on Thursday, June 12, 1952, Between 7 and 11 P. M., to Permit Festivities Sponsored by the Noe Valley Merchants on Occasion of the Resurfacing of the Street Area.

Supervisor MacPhee presented:

File No. 9105, Resolution No. 12313 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor MacPhee moved adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor Sullivan.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray—7.

**Absent:** Supervisors Arnold, Lewis, Mead, Sullivan—4.

**Reference to Committee.**

**Proposing Construction of Adequate Highways Through Sierra Nevada Mountains to San Francisco.**

Supervisor MacPhee presented:

File No. 9107, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to County, State and National Affairs Committee.*

**Adopted.**

**Commending Walter A. Dold, Chief Deputy City Attorney, Upon His Retirement from City Service.**

Jointly presented by all members of the Board:

File No. 9106, Resolution No. 12314 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Ferdon moved adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor Dobbs.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray—7.

**Absent:** Supervisors Arnold, Lewis, Mead, Sullivan—4.

**References to Committee.**

**Dissolving the Municipal Government Survey Advisory Committee.**

Supervisor MacPhee presented:

File No. 9100, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

**Commending Members of the Municipal Government Survey Advisory Committee.**

Supervisor MacPhee presented:

File No. 9101, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

**ADJOURNMENT.**

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 3:20 p. m., adjourned.

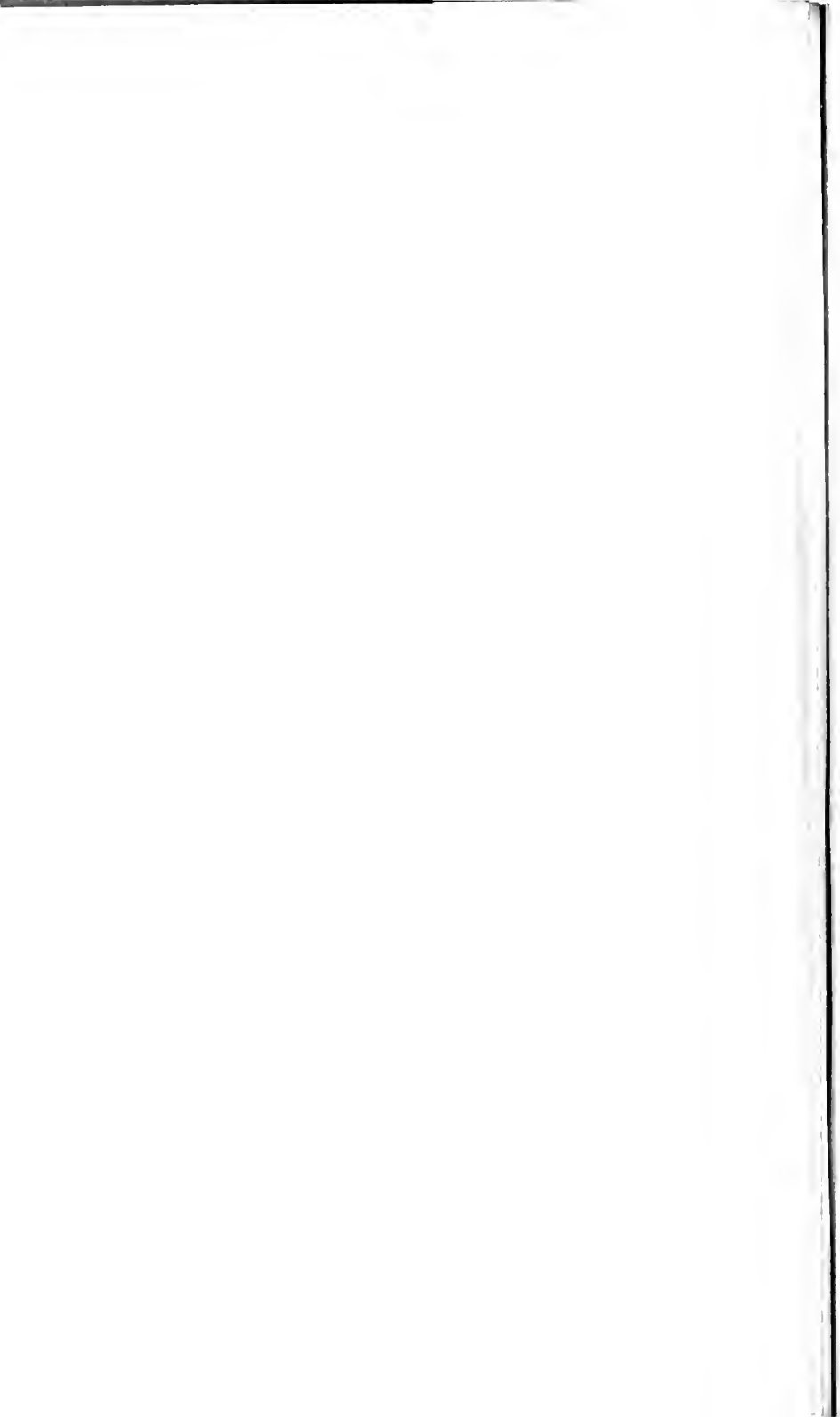
JOHN R. McGRATH, Clerk.



Approved by the Board of Supervisors, June 16, 1952.

I, John R. McGrath, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the date hereon stated and approved as recited.

JOHN R. McGRATH,  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.







Monday, June 9, 1952

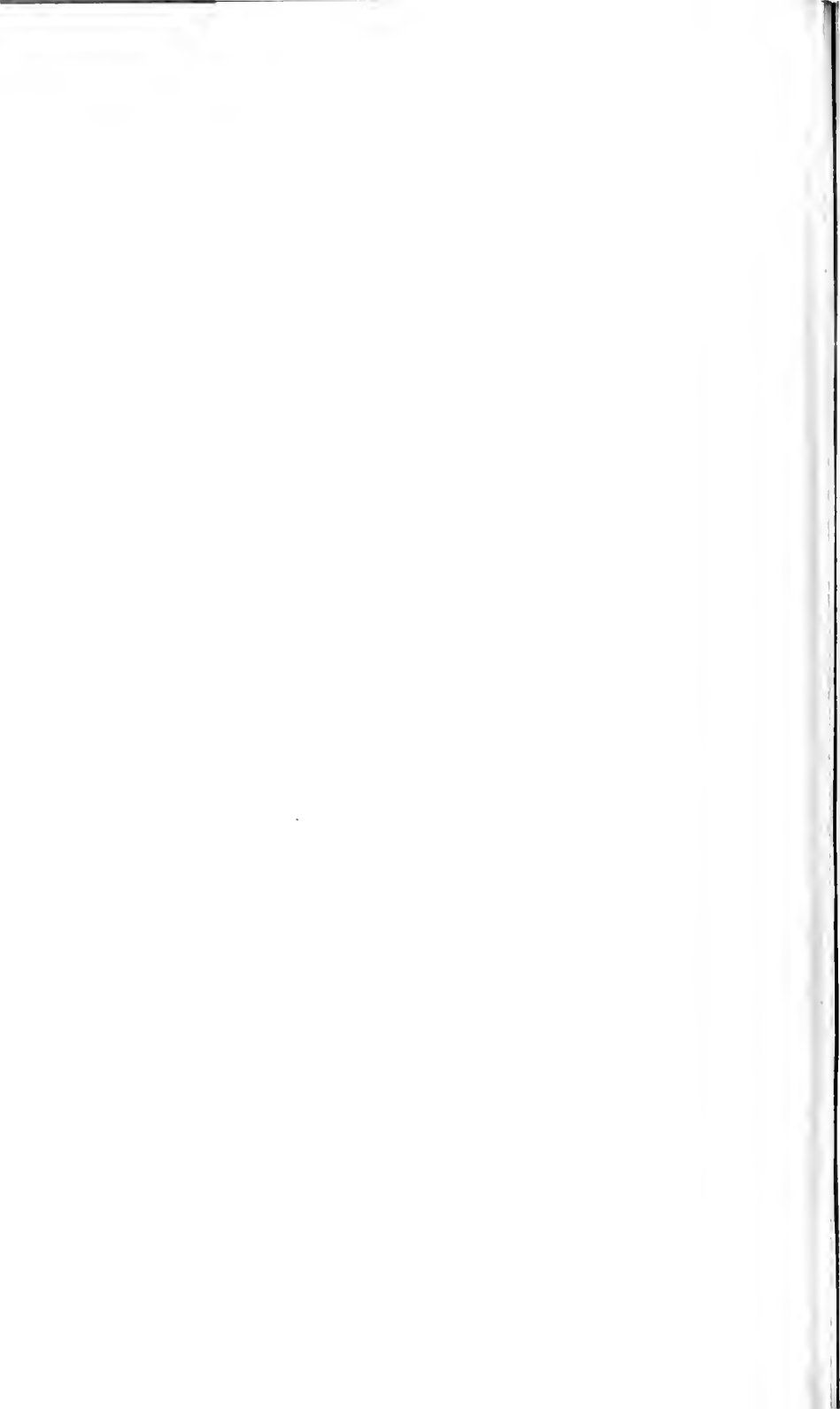
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The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

## CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present

Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, Lewis, McMurray—3.

Quorum present.

President Dewey Mead presiding.

Supervisor Ferdon excused from attendance. (Authorized on May 26, 1952 )

Supervisor Lewis noted present at 2:12 p. m.

Supervisor McMurray noted present at 2:45 p. m.

## APPROVAL OF JOURNALS.

The Journals of Proceedings for May 5-6, 1952, and May 12, 1952, were considered read and approved.

## Communications.

From family of William A. O'Brien, expression of appreciation for Board action in adopting resolution in connection with the passing of Mrs. Robena O'Brien.

*Ordered filed.*

From City Attorney, copy of opinion in connection with the taking of a civil service examination by a parolee from a state penal institution.

*Copy to Supervisor McMurray.*

From Christopher Bratt, protesting Board's silence in connection with his request that a night hearing be held on the tentative plan for the redevelopment of Diamond Heights.

*Ordered filed.*

## SPECIAL ORDER—2.00 P. M.

### Consideration Continued.

Hearing of Persons Interested in or Objecting to the Proposed Vacation of Wattson Place Between Ruth and Leo Streets.

File No. 7032.

(Pursuant to notice of intention given in Resolution No. 12169 (Series of 1939).)

June 2, 1952—Consideration continued to June 9, 1952.

### Protestants.

The privilege of the floor was accorded to Paul A. Eisler, attorney-at-law, and to Joseph Jackson, attorney-at-law, representing protestants against the proposed vacation.

### Motion to Refer to City Planning Commission.

Supervisor MacPhee moved, seconded by Supervisor Dobbs, that the foregoing matter be referred to the City Planning Commission for the purpose of ascertaining if such matter conforms with the Master Plan.

### Communication.

At this point, the Clerk read a communication from the City Planning Commission under date of March 16, 1951, wherein the Commission advised that the proposed vacation of Wattson Place does not conflict with the Master Plan.

### Substitute.

Supervisor Christopher moved as a substitute, that consideration of the foregoing matter be continued for a period of two weeks so that an opportunity may be afforded members of the Board to inspect the location in question. Motion seconded by Supervisor MacPhee and carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty—7.

Noes: Supervisors Mead, Sullivan—2.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, McMurray—2.

*Consideration continued two weeks.*

### Introduction of Distinguished Guests.

The President of the Board introduced the following distinguished guests:

The Honorable Rolf Bohnemeier, publisher of the Official Record for the German Government, West Germany; the Honorable Dr. Carl-Heinz Luders, legal adviser, Civil Service to the German Government, West Germany.

### SPECIAL ORDER—2:00 P. M.

#### City Planning Commission Sustained.

Hearing of Appeal from the Decision of the City Planning Commission by Its Resolution No. 4033, Dated April 15, 1952, Disapproving Application to Rezone Property Located on the Northeast Corner of Peru Avenue and Athens Street from First Residential District to Commercial District.

File No. 9058.

### Privilege of the Floor.

The privilege of the floor was extended to a representative of Mrs. Anita B. Monroy, petitioner, who explained that the request for a rezoning was based upon the petitioner's desire to provide marketing accommodations to the residents of the neighborhood and to those who would eventually purchase the new homes to be built in the area.

Mr. Paul Oppermann, Director of Planning, informed the Board that his Commission opposed the request because (1) it would constitute spot zoning, would violate the spirit and intent of the Planning Code and would be in disregard of the rights of others similarly situated, and (2) reclassification of this single parcel would not be in accordance with any comprehensive plan.



**Explanation of Vote.**

The President explained the voting as follows: A vote "Aye" overrides the action of the City Planning Commission and grants the appeal; a vote "No" sustains the City Planning Commission and denies the appeal.

The Clerk thereupon presented the following measure:

**Refused Adoption.**

**Disapproving Decision of the City Planning Commission by Its Resolution No. 4033, Dated April 15, 1952, Denying Application to Rezone Property Located on the Northeast Corner of Peru Avenue and Athens Street from First Residential District to Commercial District.**

File No. 9058-1, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

Thereupon the roll was called and the foregoing measure was *refused adoption* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors McCarty, Mead—2.

Noes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPherson, Mancuso, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, McMurray—2.

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS.****Final Passage.**

The following recommendations of Finance Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Christopher, McCarty.

**Appropriating \$600, Electricity, for Installation of Two-Way Radio Equipment Required by the Disaster Corps.**

File No. 3955, Ordinance No. 7365 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPherson, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, McMurray—2.

**Amending Section 1.25 of Ordinance No. 4942 (Series of 1939) Membership Ordinance, by Authorizing the Public Utilities Commission to Acquire Membership in the California Personnel Management Association.**

File No. 9026, Ordinance No. 7366 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPherson, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, McMurray—2.

**Authorizing Attendance of Chief Food and Sanitary Inspector, Department of Public Health, at the National Air Pollution Symposium Held in Pasadena on May 5 and 6, 1952.**

File No. 9036, Ordinance No. 7367 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPherson, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, McMurray—2.

**Appropriating \$35,000, Public Health, for Rheumatic Heart Program.**

File No. 9038, Ordinance No. 7368 (Series of 1939).

(City to be reimbursed by the State.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, McMurray—2.

**Authorizing Adjustment of Public Library Revolving Fund to Reflect Theft of \$4.00 and Directing Controller to Reimburse Said Fund.**

File No. 9047, Ordinance No. 7370 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, McMurray—2.

**Authorizing Dismissal of Appeal and Compromise of Superior Court Judgment Relative to Retirement Status of Frank T. Kennedy, Former Secretary of the Fire Commission.**

File No. 9053, Ordinance No. 7371 (Series of 1939).

(Mr. Kennedy was classed as a "miscellaneous employee" by the Retirement System and pensioned in accordance with Section 165.2 of the Charter, effective July 1, 1949. In June, 1949, Mr. Kennedy petitioned for retirement in accordance with provisions of Section 169, claiming that he was a member of the Fire Department. Petition was rejected by Retirement Board and claim was filed in Superior Court and upheld. Mr. Kennedy has now expressed a willingness to accept pension allowance under Section 165.2 of the Charter.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, McMurray—2.

**Appropriating \$1,394, Police, for Overtime Allowance and Wages for Civilian Employees.**

File No. 9055, Ordinance No. 7372 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, McMurray—2.

**Appropriating \$212,500, Municipal Railway, for Payment of Judgments and Interest on Claims.**

File No. 9056, Ordinance No. 7373 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, McMurray—2.

**Appropriating \$16,000, Recreation and Park, for Construction of a Shelter at Kezar Stadium for Hospitalized Personnel of the Armed Forces.**

File No. 9057, Ordinance No. 7374 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

**Absent:** Supervisors Ferdon, McMurray—2.

**Appropriating \$397.50, Water Department, for Three New Positions of Special Collector; Abolishing Three Positions of General Clerk.**

File No. 9061-1, Ordinance No. 7375 (Series of 1939).

(Special Collector	\$265-315 per month
General Clerk	\$225-285 per month.)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

**Absent:** Supervisors Ferdon, McMurray—2.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 73.6, Public Utilities Commission, San Francisco Water Department—a Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 9061-2, Ordinance No. 7376 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

**Absent:** Supervisors Ferdon, McMurray—2.

#### **Final Passage.**

The following recommendation of Police Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, was taken up:

**Present:** Supervisors McMurray, Ferdon.

**Authorizing the Establishment of a Pedestrian Crosswalk at the Main Entrance to St. Mary's Hospital Located on Hayes Street Between Shrader and Stanyan Streets.**

File No. 9042, Ordinance No. 7369 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

**Absent:** Supervisors Ferdon, McMurray—2.

#### **Consideration Continued.**

The following measure from the Redevelopment Agency, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, was taken up:

**Approving and Adopting Tentative Plan for Diamond Heights Redevelopment Project Area, and Establishing and Designating Area as Diamond Heights Redevelopment Project Area B-1; and Rejecting Alleged Alternative Plans.**

File No. 8775-1, Ordinance No. 7364 (Series of 1939).

#### **Motion to Defer Consideration.**

Supervisor MacPhee moved that consideration of the foregoing measure be postponed until 4 p. m. in order to permit the representative of the Diamond Heights Property Owners Association to present additional data. Motion seconded by Supervisor Dobbs.

It was unanimously agreed that should consideration of all matters before the Board be concluded well in advance of 4 p. m., the foregoing matter would be taken up immediately upon such conclusion.

No objection and motion carried.

(See later action for final passage of the measure.)

## NEW BUSINESS.

## Adopted.

The following recommendations of Finance Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, McCarty.

**Authorizing Supplemental Recommendations, Public Welfare Department, Relative to Categorical Aids; Letter Dated June 4, 1952.**

File No. 7821, Resolution No. 12316 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, McMurray—2.

**Authorizing Extension of Granting of Emergency Relief to Dependent Nonresidents for June and July; List Dated June 9, 1952.**

File No. 7822, Resolution No. 12317 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, McMurray—2.

**Authorizing Refund of Duplicate and Erroneous Payment of Taxes for the Fiscal Year 1951-52.**

File No. 7827, Resolution No. 12320 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, McMurray—2.

**Amending Resolution Nos. 11690 and 11929 (Series of 1939), Relating to the Vacation of Portions of Griffith Street and Hollister Avenue, by Deleting Therefrom Reference to Reimbursement of the Water Department, by the San Francisco Unified School District for Cost of Installing an Abandoned Water Main and Cost of Disconnecting and Installing a Blow-off Valve in the Street Area; Directing Controller to Cancel His Certification in Sum of \$1,342.**

File No. 5928-3, Resolution No. 12315 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, McMurray—2.

**Authorizing Purchase of Certain Real Property from Roy E. Meloche et al., for \$7,000, Required for School Project No. 19.**

File No. 9077, Resolution No. 12323 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan, Lot 36, Block 4219, located on Carolina Street north of Twenty-fifth Street. Size: 100 feet x 25 feet. Four-room frame residence.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, McMurray—2.

Approving Service of Notice Upon Trans World Airlines, Inc., for Readjustment for Lease of Hangar No. 4 and Adjoining Shop Space, San Francisco Airport.

File No. 9085, Resolution No. 12327 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, McMurray—2.

Authorizing Purchase of Water Pipe Easement Located in San Mateo County, from Herman G. Hahn et ux., for \$750, Required for the Sunset Supply Line.

File No. 9089, Resolution No. 12328 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, McMurray—2.

Authorizing Acquisition by Eminent Domain Proceedings of Certain Land Located in San Mateo County, Required for the Sunset Supply Line.

File No. 9090, Resolution No. 12329 (Series of 1939).

(Approximately 2.077 acres, located on east side of Junipero Serra Boulevard, north of Golden Gate National Cemetery. Not to exceed \$5,000.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, McMurray—2.

Authorizing Acceptance of Certain Property from the Atlas Realty Company, Without Cost, Required for the Straightening of the Boundary of the 50-foot Reservation Required for Slope Protection Purposes Located Along Twin Peaks Boulevard.

File No. 9091, Resolution No. 12330 (Series of 1939).

(Project not in conflict with Master Plan. Lot 25(a), Block 2673, inadvertently omitted by realty firm from deed to city of same map of Midtown Terrace was filed.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, McMurray—2.

Re-referred to Committee.

Dissolving the Municipal Government Survey Advisory Committee.

File No. 9092, Resolution No. 12331 (Series of 1939).

Motion to Authorize Supervisor Christopher to Confer With Mayor.

Supervisor MacPhee moved, seconded by Supervisor Christopher, that Supervisor Christopher be terminated in concert with the Mayor for the purpose of forming the advisory board of other controlling persons of the Municipal Government Survey Advisory Committee.

Supervisor McCarty spoke at length on the early hearing conducted by the Finance Committee on the entire matter.

Supervisor Mancuso expressed the opinion that the question of dissolution should be left to the Survey Committee itself and that adoption of the foregoing measure would be a premature move.

Supervisor Lewis concurred in the opinion of Supervisor Mancuso, stating that to adopt the foregoing measure would be a mistake which would be sorely regretted.

**Supervisor McMurray Noted Present.**

Supervisor McMurray noted present at 2:45 p. m.

**Substitute Motion.**

Supervisor Arnold moved as a substitute, seconded by Supervisor MacPhee, that the foregoing measure be re-referred to the Finance Committee, and that a hearing be held in two weeks, and that the Clerk invite the members of the Survey Committee, the Mayor, the members of the Board, and any other person who might be interested.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

**Commending Members of the Municipal Government Survey Advisory Committee.**

File No. 9101, Resolution No. . . . (Series of 1939).

Supervisor Arnold moved, seconded by Supervisor MacPhee, that the foregoing measure be re-referred to the Finance Committee. No objection and motion carried.

*Re-referred to Finance Committee.*

**Adopted.**

**Authorizing Agreement to Be Entered Into Between the Mayor and Francis V. Keesling, Jr., for Employment of the Latter as Congressional Public Relations Counsel for the Fiscal Year 1952-53.**

File No. 9112, Resolution No. 12332 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

**Passage for Second Reading.**

**Authorizing Payment of \$59,500 and Conveyance of Portion of Lot 38, Block 3530, to Eugene Rene LeRoy and Pine and Company, in Exchange for Portions of Lots 2 and 9, Block 3523, Required for the Widening of Thirteenth Street.**

File No. 9076, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(Lot 38, Block 3530: Located on Erie Street, east of South Van Ness Avenue—area: 13,438 square feet—vacant land.

Lot 2, Block 3523: Located on Eleventh Street, southeasterly from Harrison Street.

Lot 9, Block 3523: Located on south curve of Harrison Street, southwesterly from Eleventh Street. Total area—13,433 square feet. Improvements on land have no value. In conformity with Master Plan.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1

**Appropriating \$53,000, Public Works, from Unappropriated Balance of Special Road Improvement Fund, for Channelization of Intersections of Lincoln Way and Main Drive With Great Highway.**

File No. 9081-1, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939)

(In conformity with Master Plan. Provides series of islands with adequate lighting, so placed that moving traffic will be guided along an orderly and safe route.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

**Absent:** Supervisor Ferdon—1.

**Appropriating \$35,000, Public Works, from Unappropriated Balance of Special Road Improvement Fund, for Repair of the Laguna Honda Boulevard Slope at Castenada Avenue.**

File No. 9081-2, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(New sewer will be constructed so that storm water that concentrates on low point on Castenada Avenue, will be prevented from flowing over the surface and causing erosion, with damage to the Boulevard.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

**Absent:** Supervisor Ferdon—1.

**Appropriating \$195, Electricity, for Purchase of Typewriter.**

File No. 9095, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

**Absent:** Supervisor Ferdon—1.

#### Final Passage

**Authorizing the Public Welfare Department to Enter Into an Agreement With State Department of Social Welfare, Relative to the Granting of Educational Living Stipends, from Federal Funds, to Two Employees of the Public Welfare Department, for the Purpose of Permitting Them to Acquire Additional Education in Child Welfare; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9094, Ordinance No. 7376 (Series of 1939)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

**Absent:** Supervisors Ferdon, Lewis—2.

**Appropriating \$7,500, Superior Court, for Juror and Witness Fees; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9093, Ordinance No. 7377 (Series of 1939)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

**Absent:** Supervisors Ferdon, Lewis—2.

**Adopted.**

The following recommendations of Streets Committee were taken up

**Present:** Supervisors Ferdon, McMurray, Sullivan

**Granting Revocable Permit to Langley Porter Clinic of the State Department of Mental Hygiene, to Construct a Chain Link Fence and Wood Rail in the Sidewalk Area on the South Side of Parnassus Avenue, Opposite Hill Point and Hill View Avenues.**

File No. 8917, Resolution No. 12321 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, Lewis—2.

**Granting Revocable Permit to Grant E. and Alma M. Jacobson, to Construct a Wall in Portion of the Sidewalk Area on the North Side of Ortega Street East of Seventeenth Avenue.**

File No. 8978, Resolution No. 12322 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, Lewis—2.

**Authorizing Acceptance of Sewer Easement, Without Cost, from Mercy High School, Required for Access to the East End of Sewer Crossing Nineteenth Avenue.**

File No. 9005, Resolution No. 12323 (Series of 1939).

(Portion of Lot 3, Block 7231, Lakeside Subdivision No. 2. Contains approximately 580 square feet. Located on east side of Nineteenth Avenue, south of Rossmoor Drive. Easement granted with condition that City accept and maintain the sewer construction.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, Lewis—2.

**Authorizing Acceptance of Certain Land, Without Cost, from the Borden Company, Required for the Widening of Potrero Avenue.**

File No. 9001, Resolution No. 12324 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Portion of Lot 12, Block 4277. Located on the easterly side of Potrero Avenue, south of Twenty-fifth Street. Size: 53.76 feet by 17.358 feet by 47.526 feet.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, Lewis—2.

**Declaring Intention to Change or Modify the Official Grades on Peralta Avenue Between a Line 254.04 Feet Northerly from Mayflower Street and Powhattan Avenue.**

File No. 9069-1, Resolution No. 12325 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, Lewis—2.



Temporarily Closing to Vehicular Traffic, Portions of Leavenworth and Jones Streets and Golden Gate Avenue, on Sunday, June 8, 1952. Between 2 and 4 p. m., for Observance of the Founding of the Shrine of St. Anthony.

File No. 9110, Resolution No. 12331 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, Lewis—2.

#### Passage for Second Reading.

Ordering the Improvement of Phelps Street Between Galvez and Jerrold Avenues, Including the Intersections of Phelps Street at Hudson and Innes Avenues; Extending City Aid in Approximate Amount of \$4,000, and Providing for Work in Front of City Property in Approximate Amount of \$14,800.

File No. 5716, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, Lewis—2.

Amending Ordinance No. 1078 (Series of 1939), Providing for Full Acceptance of Certain Roadways, Intersections and Curbs, by Deleting Therefrom the Northerly Roadway of Junipero Serra Boulevard Service Road Between Rossmoor and Stonecrest Drives.

File No. 9078, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Portion has never been improved.)

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon, Lewis—3.

Accepting the Roadways and Curbs of Eucalyptus Drive Between Nineteenth Avenue and Junipero Serra Boulevard Service Road, Including the Intersections of Ocean Avenue and Junipero Serra Boulevard Service Road; and Junipero Serra Boulevard Service Road Between Stonecrest Drive, Southerly Roadway, and Stratford Drive, Including the Intersections of Stratford Drive, Holloway Avenue and Lyndhurst Drive.

File No. 9079, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

#### Final Passage.

The following emergency measures, recommendations of the Finance Committee, appearing on the Board's supplemental calendar, were taken up:

Appropriating \$1,159, Youth Guidance Center, Juvenile Hall, from the General Fund Compensation Reserve, for Temporary Salaries; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9108, Ordinance No. 7379 (Series of 1939).

## Statement by Supervisor McCarty.

Supervisor McCarty asserted that the Finance Committee was aware of the fact that rules of the Board and the provisions of the Charter must be complied with in connection with consideration of new measures brought before the Board. However, extreme urgency compelled consideration of the foregoing measure as well as subsequent files designated as Files Nos. 9109, 9120 and 9121. Supervisor McCarty made it clear that immediate consideration of the measures mentioned herein will be the swan song insofar as immediate consideration of similar legislation in the future is concerned, and that henceforth, such matters will be referred to the Finance Committee for consideration.

The roll was thereupon called and the foregoing measure was passed by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

Appropriating \$1,645, Youth Guidance, Probation Office, from the Surplus Existing in Maintenance of Minors Appropriation, for Materials and Supplies, Telephone and Telegraph, Fuel, Illuminants, and Lubricants; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9109, Ordinance No. 7380 (Series of 1939).

Finally Passed by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

Appropriating \$5,100, Sheriff, from the Emergency Reserve Fund, for Contractual Services—County Jails Nos. 1 and 2; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9120, Ordinance No. 7381 (Series of 1939).

Finally Passed by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon—2.

Appropriating \$1,825, Sheriff, from the Unappropriated Balance of the General Fund 1951-52, for Equipment—County Jails Nos. 1 and 2; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9121, Ordinance No. 7382 (Series of 1939).

Finally Passed by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon—2.

## Reference to Finance Committee.

Appropriating \$5,622, California Academy of Sciences, Steinhart Aquarium, from the Emergency Reserve Fund, for Salaries and Normal Operating Expenses; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9122, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

Supervisor Arnold moved, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, that the foregoing measure be referred to the Finance Committee. No objection and motion carried.

Referred to Finance Committee.

Appropriating \$8,500, Fire Department, from General Fund Compensation Reserve, for Holiday Overtime—Uniformed Force; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9123, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

Supervisor Arnold moved, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, that the foregoing measure be referred to the Finance Committee. No objection and motion carried.

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

### OFF-CALENDAR LEGISLATION.

The following recommendation of his Honor the Mayor was presented by the Clerk:

**Adopted.**

Leaves of Absence—Supervisors John J. Sullivan and Dewey Mead, for Period June 13-20, 1952, With Permission to Leave the State.

File No. 7823, Resolution No. 12313 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Arnold moved adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor McCarty.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Maneuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

### ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF MEASURES AND COMMUNICATIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

**Adopted.**

In Memoriam—Reynald J. Bianchi.

Jointly presented by all members of the Board:

File No. 7824, Resolution No. 12319 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Christopher moved adoption of the foregoing measure. Motion seconded by Supervisor MacPhee.

*Unanimously adopted by rising vote as follows:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Maneuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

**Adopted.**

Welcoming His Excellency, Moshe Sharett, Minister for Foreign Affairs, State of Israel.

Supervisor Christopher presented:

File No. 9127, Resolution No. 12333 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Christopher moved adoption of the foregoing measure. Motion seconded by Supervisor MacPhee.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

**Presentation of Financial Report Concerning Operations of City's Golf Courses and Cafes.**

Supervisor Christopher presented a financial report prepared by the Board's cost analyst and requested that in connection with said report, which detailed the operation of the city's four golf courses and three cafes located thereon, the representatives of the Recreation and Park Commission be invited to attend a meeting of the Finance Committee for the purpose of discussing the question of deficits existing in the accounts of said golf courses and cafes.

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

**Resumption of Consideration of File No. 8775-1, Dealing With Approval of the Tentative Plan for the Redevelopment of Diamond Heights.**

**Privilege of the Floor.**

The Board resumed consideration of File No. 8775-I, described hereinabove, and granted the privilege of the floor to Jack H. Werchick, attorney-at-law, representing the Diamond Heights Property Owners' Association. Mr. Werchick proceeded to add to the summation of his case made when the pending measure was up before the Board on first reading two weeks ago.

The privilege of the floor was also accorded James E. Lash, Director of the Redevelopment Agency, to reply to the remarks made by Mr. Werchick.

At the conclusion of the statement by Mr. Lash, the roll was called and the pending measure was *finally passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

**ADJOURNMENT.**

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 4:15 p. m., adjourned.

JOHN R. McGRATH, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors June 23, 1952.

I, John R. McGrath, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the date hereon stated and approved as recited.

JOHN R. McGRATH.

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.

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# JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

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MONDAY, JUNE 16, 1952—2:00 P. M.

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In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, June 16, 1952,  
2:00 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

## CALLING THE ROLL

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McMurray—7.

Absent: Supervisors Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—4.

Quorum present.

President Pro Tem., Supervisor Christopher presiding. (See appointment below.)

Supervisor McCarty noted present at 2:17 p. m.

Supervisors Mancuso, Mead and Sullivan on authorized leaves.

## Appointment of President Pro Tem.

Supervisor MacPhee moved, seconded by Supervisor Arnold, that Supervisor Christopher be appointed President Pro Tem. No objection and motion carried.

## APPROVAL OF JOURNALS.

The Journals of Proceedings for May 19-21, May 26 and June 2, 1952, were considered read and approved.

## Communication.

From Supervisor Mancuso, telegram, urging deferment of consideration of measure relating to the regulation of billboards.

*Ordered filed.*

## SPECIAL ORDER—2:00 P. M.

Reference to Streets Committee.

Hearing of Protests—Improvement of Campbell Avenue Between Brussels and Goettingen Streets (West Line).

Board of Supervisors to hear protests of all persons interested in the following described work done or in the assessment, diagram or warrant for pay of the cost of the same, or in any property affected thereby: Improvement of Campbell Avenue between Brussels and Goettingen Streets (west line), including the intersection of Campbell Avenue and Goettingen Street, by The Bernal Construction Company, as described in Declaration of Intention, Order No. 34870, passed November 22, 1950, of the Department of Public Works.

File No. 6840.

Supervisor MacPhee moved, seconded by Supervisor McMurray, that due to the number of protestants present, the foregoing measure be referred to the Streets Committee for further study. No objection and motion *carried*.

*Referred to Streets Committee.*

### UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

#### Final Passage.

The following recommendation of Finance Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

Appropriating \$14,372, Public Utilities, Bureau of Light, Heat and Power, for Improving the Street Lighting System on South Van Ness Avenue From Market Street to Howard Street.

File No. 9064, Ordinance No. 7385 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McMurray—7.

Absent: Supervisors Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—4.

#### Final Passage.

The following recommendation of Judiciary Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon.

Prescribing the Information to Be Furnished Whenever the Public Utilities Commission Shall Submit to the Board of Supervisors a Proposal to Fix, Change or Adjust Utility Rates, Charges or Fares, and Prescribing the Procedure to Be Followed by the Board of Supervisors in Its Consideration Thereof.

File No. 8832, Ordinance No. 7384 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McMurray—7.

Absent: Supervisors Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—4.

#### Final Passage.

The following recommendation of Police Committee, heretofore Passed for Second reading, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors McMurray, Ferdon.

Amending Section 122, Traffic Code, to Prohibit Driving of Vehicles to the Left of Safety Zones on Market Street, Both Sides, from The Embarcadero to Van Ness Avenue, and on Market Street, North Side, at Its Intersection With Duboce Avenue, Between the Hours of 7 a. m. and 7 p. m.

File No. 8820, Ordinance No. 7383 (Series of 1939).

(Hours were previously 7 a. m. to midnight.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray—8.

Absent: Supervisors Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—3.



**Consideration Continued.**

The following recommendation of Joint Police and Judiciary Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors McMurray, Arnold, Ferdon, Dobbs, Lewis.

**Providing for the Regulation and Supervision of Brokers Who Sell Passenger Space on Aircraft; Making It Illegal to Make Certain Representations in the Course of Such Activities, and Providing a Penalty for the Violation Thereof.**

File No. 7726-1, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

**Discussion.**

Supervisor Ferdon stated that he had a request from the American Society of Travel Agents, that consideration of the measure be continued for a period of one week, to enable that agency to confer with the District Attorney's office.

Accordingly, Supervisor Ferdon moved, seconded by Supervisor McMurray, that consideration of the foregoing measure be continued for one week.

**Substitute.**

Supervisor Lewis moved as a substitute, that the measure be referred to the Judiciary Committee for further study. Motion seconded by Supervisor MacPhee.

**Substitute Withdrawn and Amendment Offered.**

There being no objection, the substitute motion was withdrawn, and Supervisor Lewis thereupon moved as an amendment to Supervisor Ferdon's motion, that the Board sit as a Committee of the Whole next Monday, June 23, 1952, at the hour of 2 p. m., to consider the legislation.

Amendment *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray—8.

Absent: Supervisors Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—3.

The roll was then called on the motion as amended and it *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray—8.

Absent: Supervisors Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—3.

*Consideration continued one week.*

**Notification.**

Supervisor Dobbs requested that the Clerk inform all interested parties of the foregoing Special Order.

*No objection and so ordered.*

**NEW BUSINESS.****Adopted.**

The following recommendations of Finance Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

**Approving Supplemental Recommendations, Public Welfare Department, Relative to Categorical Aids; Letter Dated June 10, 1952.**

File No. 7821, Resolution No. 12334 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray—8.

Absent: Supervisors Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—3.

**Authorizing Extension of Granting of Emergency Relief to Dependent Nonresidents for June and July; List Dated June 16, 1952.**

File No. 7822, Resolution No. 12335 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray—8.

Absent: Supervisors Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—3.

**Authorizing Refund of Duplicate and Erroneous Payments of Taxes for the Fiscal Years 1950-51 and 1951-52.**

File No. 7827, Resolution No. 12338 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray—8.

Absent: Supervisors Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—3.

**Approving and Adopting St. Mary's Square Garage Legal Documents and Authorizing and Directing Republication of Joint Call for Bids.**

File No. 9051-1, Resolution No. 12339 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray—8.

Absent: Supervisors Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—3.

**Authorizing Cancellation of Taxes on City-Owned Property.**

File No. 9098, Resolution No. 12340 (Series of 1939).

(Designated as Lot 1, Block 6001, recently acquired for McLaren Park.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray—8.

Absent: Supervisors Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—3.

**Consideration Continued.**

**Dissolving the Municipal Government Survey Advisory Committee.**

File No. 9100, Resolution No. . . . (Series of 1939).

**Discussion.**

Supervisors Christopher, Ferdon and Lewis spoke against the proposed dissolution, expressing the opinion that in a measure the Board was responsible for the desire on the part of the committee to dissolve itself, as little encouragement had been offered by the Board to have the work completed.

Supervisor Lewis further commented on the possibility of the Board enacting an ordinance in compliance with the provisions of the Charter relating to the compilation of an administrative code, the provisions of which would impose an obligation on the city's

boards, commissions and departments to comply with recommendations such as those made by the Municipal Government Survey Advisory Committee.

**Consideration Continued.**

Supervisor MacPhee moved, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, that consideration of the foregoing measure be continued for a period of two weeks. No objection, motion *carried*.

*Consideration continued two weeks.*

**Request Concerning Compilation of Administrative Code.**

Supervisor MacPhee requested that the Clerk be directed to write the City Attorney asking for a written opinion concerning the authority of the Board to proceed with the compilation of an administrative code as outlined above by Supervisor Lewis.

*No objection and Clerk was directed to comply.*

**Consideration Continued.**

**Commending Members of the Municipal Government Survey Advisory Committee.**

File No. 9101, Resolution No. . . . (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Defer.**

Supervisor MacPhee moved, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, that consideration of the foregoing measure be continued for a period of two weeks. No objection and motion *carried*.

*Consideration continued two weeks.*

**Adopted.**

**Authorizing Acceptance of Quitclaim Deed, Without Cost, from Lenolt Securities Corporation, to a Ten-Foot Lane Located in San Mateo County, Required for Bay Division Pipe Line No. 3.**

File No. 9103, Resolution No. 12341 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray—8.

Absent: Supervisors Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—3.

**Authorizing Joseph F. Murphy, Deputy City Attorney, to Attend Law Science Short Course on Legal Medicine and Medical Litigation, to Be Given in San Francisco, July 14-19, 1952.**

File No. 9111, Resolution No. 12342 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray—8.

Absent: Supervisors Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—3.

**Approving Requisition No. 8 and Certificate of Purposes to Be Submitted by the Redevelopment Agency to the Housing and Home Finance Agency, Covering Advance Funds for Period July 1-September 30, 1952.**

File No. 9115, Resolution No. 12343 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray—8.

Absent: Supervisors Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—3.

**Authorizing Attendance of District Attorney and Two Assistants at the District Attorneys' Association Convention to Be Held at Santa Cruz, June 25-27, 1952.**

File No. 9118, Resolution No. 12344 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray—8.

Absent: Supervisors Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—3.

**Ordering Registrar of Voters to Canvass Votes Cast at Election Held on June 3, 1952.**

File No. 9130-1, Resolution No. 12345 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray—8.

Absent: Supervisors Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—3.

**Fixing Date of Monday, July 7, 1952, for Annual Meeting of Board of Supervisors Sitting as a Board of Equalization.**

File No. 9131-1, Resolution No. 12346 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray—8.

Absent: Supervisors Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—3.

**Passage for Second Reading.**

**Appropriating \$83,498, Recreation and Park, for Construction of Cages for Panthers and Primates in the Zoological Gardens.**

File No. 9080, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray—8.

Absent: Supervisors Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—3.

**Appropriating \$35,650, Recreation and Park, from Unappropriated Balance of 1947 Recreation Bond Fund, for Expenditures and Certification of Contracts in Connection With the Improvement of Phelan Beach.**

File No. 9082, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray—8.

Absent: Supervisors Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—3.

**Appropriating \$10,000, deYoung Memorial Museum, for Improvements to Period and Oakes Antique Rooms.**

File No. 9096, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray—8.

Absent: Supervisors Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—3.

**Consideration Continued.**

**Appropriating \$5,622, Steinhart Aquarium, from Emergency Reserve Fund, for Payment of Salaries and Normal Operating Expenses; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9122, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

Supervisor McCarty moved, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, that due to the lack of the necessary votes to enact the foregoing measure, its consideration be deferred for a period of one week. No objection and motion *carried*.

*Consideration continued one week.*

**Consideration Continued.**

**Appropriating \$8,500, Fire Department, for Holiday Overtime; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9123, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

Supervisor McCarty moved, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, that due to the lack of the necessary votes to enact the foregoing measure, its consideration be deferred for a period of one week. No objection and motion *carried*.

*Consideration continued one week.*

**Passage for Second Reading.**

The following recommendation of Streets Committee was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Ferdon, McMurray, Sullivan.

**Amending Section 88 of Ordinance No. 1061 Entitled, "Regulating the Width of Sidewalks," by Reducing the Width of Sidewalks on Juniper Street Between Harrison and Bryant Streets from Four Feet to One Foot.**

File No. 8324-1, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray—8.

Absent: Supervisors Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—3.

**Reference to Finance Committee.**

The following emergency measures, appearing on the Board's supplemental calendar, were taken up:

**Appropriating \$900, Public Health, Emergency Hospitals, from Allowance for Overtime and Holidays, for Permanent Employees' Sick Leave Allowance; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9135, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

Supervisor McCarty moved, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, that the foregoing measure be referred to the Finance Committee. No objection and motion *carried*.

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

**Appropriating \$250, Department of Electricity, from the Surplus Existing in the General Fund Compensation Reserve, for Overtime Allowance, Fire Alarm Office; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9134, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

Supervisor McCarty moved, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, that the foregoing measure be referred to the Finance Committee. No objection and motion *carried*.

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

**OFF-CALENDAR LEGISLATION**

The following off-calendar recommendation of his Honor the Mayor was presented by the Clerk:

Adopted.

Leaves of Absence—Mrs. J. Henry Mohr, Public Library Commissioner, June 23-July 15; Paul Oppermann, Director of Planning, June 20-25; Leo H. Shapiro, President of the Board of Fire Commissioners, June 28-July 12; Mrs. Clarence Coonan, Member of the Board of Education, June 16-August 15; Charles J. Foehn, Member of the Board of Education, June 12-18; John G. Levison, Vice-President of the Board of Education, June 17-28, 1952, All With Permission to Leave the State.

File No. 7823, Resolution No. 12336 (Series of 1939).

Motion to Adopt.

Supervisor MacPhee moved adoption; motion seconded by Supervisor Ferdon.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray—8.

Absent: Supervisors Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—3.

**Request for City Attorney's Opinion Concerning Billboard Ordinance.**

Supervisor Ferdon requested that, in connection with the proposed billboard ordinance which will shortly be before the Board for consideration, the Clerk be directed to write to the City Attorney for an opinion as to the number of votes required under Sections 116.1 and 117 of the Charter, i. e., whether a simple majority or two-thirds vote is required for its passage.

*No objection and the Clerk was directed to comply.*

**ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF MEASURES AND COMMUNICATIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.**

Adopted.

Authorizing Acceptance of Deposit of \$8,000 from the Stonestown Corporation to Defray the Portion of the Cost of the Extension of Winston Drive, for Which Said Corporation Would Normally Be Assessed.

Supervisor Arnold presented:

File No. 9141, Resolution No. 12347 (Series of 1939).

Motion to Adopt.

Supervisor Arnold moved adoption; motion seconded by Supervisor McCarty.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray—8.

Absent: Supervisors Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—3.

## Reference to Committee.

**Prohibiting Solicitation or Collection of Money for the Maintenance of Funds Within Offices or Departments of the City and County or Maintenance of Such Funds, by Officers, Employees and Members of Boards or Commissions, When Purpose Is to Further Candidacy or Promote Election of Any Elective Officer of the City and County.**

Supervisor Christopher presented:

File No. 8829-1, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Judiciary Committee.*

**Renewal of Request for Information Concerning Free Passes.**

Supervisor Christopher requested that the Clerk renew his request made some time ago with respect to the issuance of free passes on the Municipal Railway, contending that the report recently rendered by the Traffic Consultant did not contain the information sought.

*No objection and the Clerk was directed to comply.*

**Request for Information Concerning Examination for Position of Tax Collector.**

Supervisor Christopher declared the necessity for holding an early examination for the position of Tax Collector, and the Chief Administrative Officer proceeded to inform him that the Civil Service Commission had established a period of three weeks from June 13 within which all qualified persons could file, and that the Commission intended to hold the examination just as soon as possible thereafter. Mr. Brooks expressed the belief that the examination would probably be held in about five weeks.

Supervisor Christopher thereupon requested that the Clerk write the Civil Service Commission, stating that if, after a lapse of five weeks, the date of the examination is not known, he would then introduce a resolution in the Board, requesting the Civil Service Commission to fix a date forthwith.

*No objection and the Clerk was directed to comply.*

**Adopted.****In Memoriam—Mel Hertz.**

Jointly presented by all members of the Board:

File No. 7824, Resolution No. 12337 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Christopher moved adoption; motion seconded by Supervisor Arnold.

*Unanimously adopted by rising vote as follows:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray—8.

Absent: Supervisors Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—3.

**Adopted.**

**Welcoming Colonel Francis S. Gabreski of the United States Army Air Force.**

Supervisor Ferdon presented:

File No. 9142, Resolution No. 12348 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Ferdon moved adoption; motion seconded by Supervisor Christopher.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray—8.

Absent: Supervisors Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—3.

**Consideration of Feasibility of Inaugurating Downtown Transit Service at Reduced Fare.**

Supervisor Lewis called the Board's attention to the system inaugurated by the City of Denver wherein ten buses, each with a five-minute headway, serve that community's downtown area, stopping at leading hotels and department stores. This system is based on a five-cent fare and is making a profit.

Supervisor Lewis expressed the opinion that the Public Utilities Commission should study the feasibility of inaugurating a similar service and thereupon requested that the Clerk obtain information on the Denver plan, and when such data is available, that the Public Utilities Committee invite the representatives of the Public Utilities Commission to a meeting on the matter.

*Referred to Public Utilities Committee.*

**Adopted.****Urging Public Support of Campaign for Olympic Game Fund.**

Supervisor McCarty presented:

File No. 9143, Resolution No. 12349 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor McCarty moved adoption; motion seconded by Supervisor Ferdon.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray—8.

Absent: Supervisors Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—3.

**Reference to Committee.****Authorizing and Directing the Civil Service Commission to Conduct a Salary Standardization Survey.**

Supervisor McCarty presented:

File No. 9133, Resolution No. . (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

**Reference to Committee.****Authorizing Retirement System to Submit Actuarial Report on Proposed Charter Amendments Relating to Those Retired City Employees Whose Pensions Are Based on Sections 165 and 165.1.1 of the Charter.**

Supervisor McCarty presented:

File No. 9144, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

**Withdrawal of Sponsorship of Measure Increasing Percentage of Sales Tax.**

Supervisor McMurray stated that he was withdrawing his name as a co-sponsor of the measure introduced by Supervisor MacPhee recently, which would provide for an increase in the present purchase



and use tax from  $\frac{1}{2}$  to 1 per cent. The Supervisor reiterated his opposition to any type of a sales tax and stated that his original support was based upon a misunderstanding.

**Reference to Committee.**

**Appropriating \$9,372.60, Retirement System, for Compensation Insurance Under the Workmen's Compensation Laws; an Emergency Measure.**

Supervisor Arnold presented:

File No. 9140, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

**ADJOURNMENT.**

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 3:10 p. m., adjourned.

JOHN R. McGRATH, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors June 30, 1952.

I, John R. McGrath, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the date hereon stated and approved as recited.

JOHN R. McGRATH,  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.







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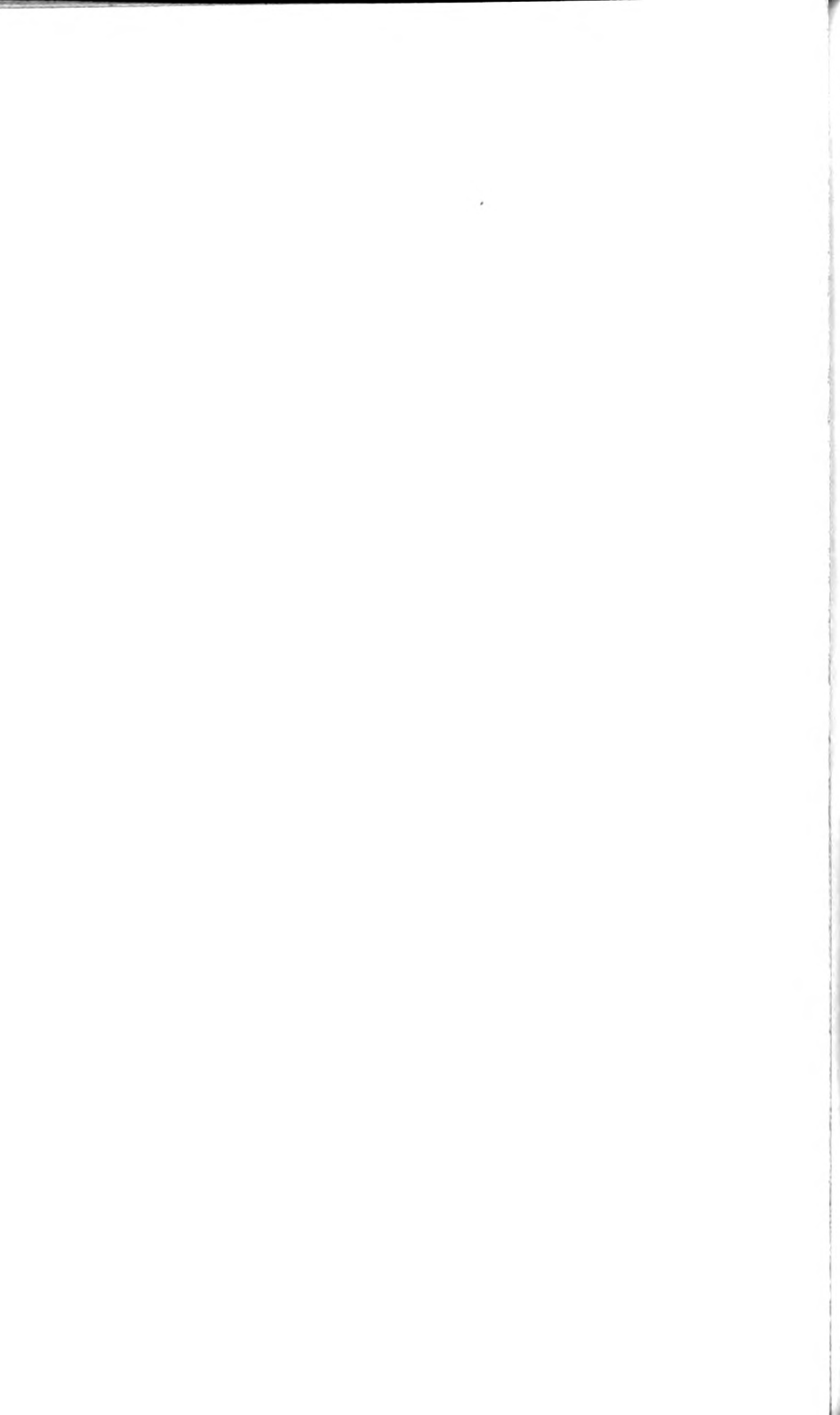
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In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, June 23, 1952—  
2:00 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

## CALLING THE ROLL

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, Mancuso—2.

Quorum present.

President Dewey Mead presiding.

Supervisor MacPhee noted present at 2:17 p. m.

Supervisor Mancuso on authorized leave.

## APPROVAL OF JOURNAL

The Journal of Proceedings for Monday, June 9, 1952, was considered read and approved.

## Communication.

From the Civil Service Commission, submitting data in connection with contemplated examination for Tax Collector.

*Copy given to Supervisor Christopher; ordered filed.*

## SPECIAL ORDER—2:00 P. M.

Protests Overruled—Referred to Department of Public Works.

Hearing of Persons Interested in or Objecting to the Proposed Vacation of Wattson Place Between Ruth and Leo Streets.

File No. 7032.

(Pursuant to notice of intention given in Resolution No. 12169 (Series of 1939).)

June 9, 1952—Consideration continued to June 23, 1952.

## Privilege of the Floor.

The privilege of the floor was accorded to the following:

For the protestants: Attorneys Joseph Jackson and Paul A. Eisler.

For the petitioners: Attorney Stephen L. Mana.

Joseph Fallon, Jr., son of one of the petitioners for the proposed vacation, also spoke in support of his father's request.

The President accorded the privilege of rebuttal to the representatives of both sides.

### Motion.

The President informed the Board that a motion to overrule the protests and authorize preparation of the necessary legislation ordering the vacation, was now in order. Since no Supervisor expressed a willingness to so move, the President took it upon himself so to do, his motion being seconded by Supervisor Sullivan.

The roll was thereupon called and the motion *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

No: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

Absent: Supervisor Mancuso—1.

*Referred to the Department of Public Works for the preparation of the necessary legislation.*

### SPECIAL ORDER—2:00 P. M.

#### Re-referred to Committee.

The following recommendation of Joint Police and Judiciary Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors McMurray, Arnold, Ferdon, Dobbs, Lewis.

**An Ordinance Providing for the Regulation and Supervision of Brokers Who Sell Passenger Space on Aircraft; Making It Illegal to Make Certain Representations in the Course of Such Activities; and Providing a Penalty for the Violation Thereof.**

File No. 7726-1, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

June 16, 1952—Consideration continued to June 23, 1952.

#### Committee of the Whole.

Supervisor Lewis moved, seconded by Supervisor MacPhee, that the Board resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole. No objection and motion *carried*.

#### President as Chairman of the Committee.

Supervisor Lewis moved, seconded by Supervisor MacPhee, that the President of the Board serve as Chairman of the Committee of the Whole. No objection and motion *carried*.

#### Privilege of the Floor.

The privilege of the floor was accorded to the following persons who spoke on the measure:

Leigh Athearn, attorney representing the Northern California Chapter of the American Society of Travel Agents.

A. H. Connolly, Jr., attorney for the Better Business Bureau.

Allan H. Fish, attorney, representing the Peck-Judah Agency.

Fred C. Mensing, representing Atlas Agencies.

Charles C. Klyse, representing the American Express Company.

Sam J. Brandon, representing Aircoach Transports Association, Inc.

#### Motion to Rise and Report.

Supervisor Lewis moved, seconded by Supervisor McMurray, that the Board rise and report. No objection and motion *carried*.



**Motion to Re-refer to Committee.**

Supervisor Arnold moved, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, that in view of the existence of a question of doubt as to the legality of the pending measure and the further suggestion that it be amended or revised in several aspects, the measure be re-referred to the joint committee for further consideration and possible amendments thereto.

There being no objection, the foregoing motion was *withdrawn*.

**Discussion.**

Supervisor Christopher stressed the importance of recommitting the measure until such time as federal legislation is enacted.

Supervisor Lewis also spoke in favor of sending the measure back to committee, contending that it contains loosely-drawn language and imposes an unnecessary hardship upon individuals and firms.

**Request of Supervisor Ferdon for City Attorney's Opinion.**

Supervisor Ferdon requested that the Clerk obtain a written opinion from the City Attorney as to the constitutionality of the pending measure, after giving due consideration to statement made by Mr. Leigh Athearn, representing the American Society of Travel Agents, Northern California Chapter, and his suggested amendment, as well as the position heretofore taken by Mr. Acton, Assistant District Attorney, to determine if such measure meets the requirements of the City and County.

*No objection and the Clerk was directed to comply.*

**Motion to Re-refer to Committee.**

Supervisor Ferdon moved, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, that the foregoing measure be re-referred to the joint committee of Police and Judiciary. Motion *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Sullivan—8.

Noes: Supervisors Dobbs, Mead—2.

Absent: Supervisor Mancuso—1.

*Re-referred to the joint committee.*

**Request of Clerk.**

The President of the Board requested Mr. Athearn to furnish the Clerk of the Board with a copy of his statement. Mr. Athearn assured the President that he would be glad to do so.

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS****Final Passage.**

The following recommendations of Finance Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, McCarty.

**Authorizing Payment of \$59,500 and Conveyance of Portion of Lot 38, Block 3530, to Eugene Rene LeRoy and Pine and Company, in Exchange for Portions of Lots 2 and 9, Block 3523, Required for the Widening of Thirteenth Street.**

File No. 9076, Ordinance No. 7388 (Series of 1939).

(Lot 38, Block 3530. Located on Erie Street, east of South Van Ness Avenue. Area: 13,438 square feet. Vacant land.)

Lot 2, Block 3523. Located on Eleventh Street, south-easterly from Harrison Street.

Lot 9, Block 3523: Located on south curve of Harrison Street, southwesterly from Eleventh Street. Total area—13,438 square feet. Improvements on land have no value. In conformity with Master Plan.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray—3.

**Appropriating \$53,000, Public Works, from Unappropriated Balance of Special Road Improvement Fund, for Channelization of Intersections of Lincoln Way and Main Drive With Great Highway.**

File No. 9081-1, Ordinance No. 7391 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Provides series of islands with adequate lighting, so placed that moving traffic will be guided along an orderly and safe route.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray—3.

**Appropriating \$35,000, Public Works, from Unappropriated Balance of Special Road Improvement Fund, for Repair of the Laguna Honda Boulevard Slope at Castenada Avenue.**

File No. 9081-2, Ordinance No. 7392 (Series of 1939).

(New sewer will be constructed so that storm water that concentrates on low point on Castenada Avenue will be prevented from flowing over the surface and causing erosion, with damage to the Boulevard.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray—3.

**Appropriating \$195, Electricity, for Purchase of Typewriter.**

File No. 9095, Ordinance No. 7393 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray—3.

#### **Final Passage.**

The following recommendations of Finance Committee, heretofore considered, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

**Appropriating \$5,622, Steinhart Aquarium, from Emergency Reserve Fund, for Payment of Salaries and Normal Operating Expenses; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9122, Ordinance No. 7394 (Series of 1939).

June 16, 1952—Consideration continued to June 23, 1952.

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Mancuso—1.

Appropriating \$8,500, Fire Department, for Holiday Overtime; an  
Emergency Measure.

File No. 9123, Ordinance No. 7395 (Series of 1939).

June 16, 1952— Consideration continued to June 23, 1952.

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Mancuso—1.

#### Final Passage.

The following recommendations of Streets Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Ferdon, McMurray, Sullivan.

Ordering the Improvement of Phelps Street Between Galvez and Jerrold Avenues, Including the Intersections of Phelps Street at Hudson and Innes Avenues; Extending City Aid in Approximate Amount of \$4,000, and Providing for Work in Front of City Property in Approximate Amount of \$14,800.

File No. 5716, Ordinance No. 7387 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray—3.

Amending Ordinance No. 1078 (Series of 1939), Providing for Full Acceptance of Certain Roadways, Intersections and Curbs, by Deleting Therefrom the Northerly Roadway of Junipero Serra Boulevard Service Road Between Rossmoor and Stonecrest Drives.

File No. 9078, Ordinance No. 7389 (Series of 1939).

(Portion has never been improved.)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray—3.

Accepting the Roadways and Curbs of Eucalyptus Drive Between Nineteenth Avenue and Junipero Serra Boulevard Service Road, Including the Intersections of Ocean Avenue and Junipero Serra Boulevard Service Road; and Junipero Serra Boulevard Service Road Between Stonecrest Drive, Southerly Roadway, and Stratford Drive, Including the Intersections of Stratford Drive, Holloway Avenue and Lyndhurst Drive.

File No. 9079, Ordinance No. 7390 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray—3.

**NEW BUSINESS****Adopted.**

The following recommendations of Finance Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

**Authorizing Extension of Grants of Emergency Relief to Dependent Nonresidents for June and July; List Dated June 23, 1952.**

File No. 7822, Resolution No. 12351 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso—2.

**Authorizing Release of Lien Recorded by the Public Welfare Department for Aid Extended to Susan Williams.**

File No. 7897, Resolution No. 12354 (Series to 1939).

(Lot 9, Block 6086—sum of \$743.48 in full payment made.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso—2.

**Authorizing Release of Lien Against Property of Inocencio, Isidora and Jesus Santiago, Erroneously Recorded by the Public Welfare Department.**

File No. 7897, Resolution No. 12353 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso—2.

**Confirming Lease of Certain Land Located on Moccasin Creek, Tuolumne County, to the State of California, to Be Used as a Fish Hatchery.**

File No. 8250-1, Resolution No. 12355 (Series of 1939).

(Lease to be for a period of 20 years at rental of \$1.00 per annum. Approximately 34 acres.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso—2.

**Authorizing Purchase of Certain Real Property from Annie I. Wilson for \$250, Required for McLaren Park.**

File No. 9124, Resolution No. 12358 (Series of 1939).

(Lot 1, Block 6106, located on southwest corner of Oxford and Woolsey Streets. Size: 25 feet by 95 feet. Vacant land. In conformity with Master Plan.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso—2.

**Authorizing Purchase of Real Property from Joseph A. Arnke et ux.,  
for \$10,000, Required for McLaren Park**

File No. 9125, Resolution No. 12359 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan, Lots 1, 2, 8, 9, Block 5998, located at southwesterly intersection of Burrows and Gambier Streets. Size 240 feet by 200 feet.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso—2.

**Authorizing Purchase of Tax-Deeded Property from the State of California for \$5.00, Required for McLaren Park.**

File No. 9126, Resolution No. 12360 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan, Lot 11, Block 6066, vacant, located on Madison Street, north of Woolsey Street. Size: 25 feet by 120 feet.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso—2.

**Authorizing Payment of \$140 to Michael O'Connor for Release from All Claims for Damage to Land and Improvement by Reason of Change of Grade in Connection With the Construction of the Broadway Tunnel.**

File No. 9132, Resolution No. 12361 (Series of 1939).

(Lot 21, Block 153.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso—2.

**Authorizing Payment of \$1,750 to Lee Kung Wah et ux., and Tommy H. Lee, for Release from All Claims for Damages to Land and Improvements by Reason of Change of Grade in Connection With the Construction of the Broadway Tunnel.**

File No. 9139, Resolution No. 12362 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Mancuso—1.

**Passage for Second Reading.**

**Authorizing Attendance of Director of Public Health at Mayors' and Councilmen's Institute, Held by the League of California Cities at Fresno on June 13, 1952.**

File No. 9128, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Mancuso—1.

**Appropriating \$17,263.40, Recreation and Park, for Improvement of Balboa Park Soccer Field.**

File No. 9138, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Mancuso—1.

**Final Passage.**

**Appropriating \$250, Electricity, for Overtime Allowance; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9134, Ordinance No. 7396 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Mancuso—1.

**Appropriating \$900, Public Health, Emergency Hospitals, for Sick Leave Allowance; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9135, Ordinance No. 7386 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Mancuso—1.

**Appropriating \$9,372.60, Retirement System, for Compensation Insurance; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9140, Ordinance No. 7397 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Mancuso—1.

**Adopted.**

The following recommendation of Finance Committee was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Christopher, McCarty.

**Authorizing Public Welfare Department to Destroy Certain Case Histories of Recipients of Public Assistance.**

File No. 9018, Resolution No. 12364 (Series of 1939).

(State statute authorizes counties to destroy case record, provided the recipient has not received aid from the county for the past five years.)

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Mancuso—1.

**Refused Passage for Second Reading.**

The following measure, from Finance Committee with recommendation "Do Not Pass" was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

**Amending Ordinance No. 4537 (Series of 1939), "Purchase and Use Tax Ordinance," Effective During the Period July 1, 1952, to June 30, 1957, by Increasing the Tax from  $\frac{1}{2}$  of 1 Per Cent to 1 Per Cent; by Reducing from 4 Per Cent to 2 Per Cent the Maximum Allowable for Cost of Administration; and by Specifying Capital Improvements to Be Financed by the Additional  $\frac{1}{2}$  of 1 Per Cent Tax.**

File No. 9102, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

#### Statement by Supervisor MacPhee.

Supervisor MacPhee spoke in support of the pending measure, contending that he considered it proper to initiate such projects as modernization of the Hall of Justice and the Civic Auditorium and the construction of a central warehouse for the storage of voting machines and thus save thousands of dollars a year in rental charges, and that he considered it unfair to saddle the cost on the ad valorem taxpayers while a sales tax increase could be shared by all.

No further discussion being held, the roll was called and the foregoing measure was *refused passage for second reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisor MacPhee—1

Noes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisor Mancuso—1.

#### Adopted.

The following measures from Streets Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisor Ferdon.

(In each case, except as otherwise noted, Supervisor Ferdon moved adoption or passage of the measure; motion seconded by Supervisor Dobbs.)

**Declaring Intention to Change or Modify the Official Grades on Goettingen Street Between Mansell Street and a Line 310 Feet Southerly Therefrom; and on Mansell Street Between the Westerly Line of Brussels Street and the Easterly Line of Somerset Street.**

File No. 9114-1, Resolution No. 12357 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Mancuso—1.

#### Rereferred to Committee.

**Approving Assignment of Permit to Operate a Flower Stand on the Westerly Side of Powell Street, Within One Hundred Feet of the Southerly Line of Ellis Street.**

File No. 9116, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

#### Motion to Re-refer to Committee.

Supervisor Ferdon stated that he had been informed by the San Francisco Florists' Association that that association had not been notified of the committee hearing held on the matter and requested permission to be heard. Accordingly, Supervisor Ferdon moved, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, that the pending measure be re-referred to committee. No objection and motion carried.

*Re-referred to committee.*

**Passage for Second Reading.****Changing or Modifying the Official Grades on Dartmouth Street Between Olmstead and Mansell Streets.**

File No. 6243-4, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Mancuso—1.

**Accepting the Roadways, Curbs, Intersections and Crossings of Certain Streets in Golden Gate Heights.**

File No. 9119, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Cragmont Avenue, between Twelfth Avenue and Quintara Street, including the intersections of Oriole Way and Twelfth Avenue;

Fourteenth Avenue, between Aerial Way and Quintara Street, including the intersection of Aerial Way;

Pacheco Street, between Fourteenth and Fifteenth Avenues, including the intersections of Fourteenth and Fifteenth Avenues;

Quintara Street, between Cragmont and Fourteenth Avenues, including the crossings of Cragmont, Twelfth and Fourteenth Avenues, and the intersection of Funston Avenue;

Twelfth Avenue, from Cragmont Avenue to a line 470 feet more or less south of Cragmont Avenue, including the curbs.)

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Mancuso—1.

**Ordering the Improvement of Wilde Avenue Between Ervine and Delta Streets, and Extending City Aid in Approximate Amount of \$1,500.**

File No. 9136, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Mancuso—1.

**Referred to Finance Committee.**

The following emergency measures appearing on the Board's supplemental calendar, were taken up:

(In each of the following cases, except as otherwise noted, Supervisor Arnold moved reference to the Finance Committee. Motion seconded by Supervisor McCarty, and there being no objection, motion carried.)

**Appropriating \$5,300, Fire Department, from the Surplus Existing in the Emergency Reserve Fund, for Electricity and Gas; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9153, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

**Adopted.****Establishing Policy to Make Funds Available for Civil Defense on a Matching Fund Basis in Conjunction With the State of California.**

File No. 9156, Resolution No. 12350 (Series of 1939).



Supervisor Arnold moved adoption of the foregoing measure; motion seconded by Supervisor Sullivan.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Mancuso—1.

**Reference to Finance Committee.**

Appropriating \$4,700, Public Health, San Francisco Hospital, from the Surplus Existing in Equipment (S. F. Hospital) for One Rectangular Bulk Sterilizer; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9163, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

Appropriating \$1,320, Public Health, Laguna Honda Home, from the Surplus Existing in Equipment (Laguna Honda Home), for Purchase of One Bread Slicer and One Diathermy; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9162, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

**ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF MEASURES AND COMMUNICATIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.**

**References to Finance Committee.**

Appropriating \$1,468, Public Health, for Purchase of Equipment for the Hassler Health Home; an Emergency Measure.

Supervisor Arnold presented:

File No. 9166, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

Appropriating \$1,700,037, Recreation and Park, for Expenditure and Certification of Contracts for the Development and Improvement of Various Recreational Areas and Playgrounds.

Supervisor Arnold presented:

File No. 9167, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

**Request of Supervisor Christopher Relative to Official Policy Concerning Construction Projects.**

Supervisor Christopher requested the Clerk to communicate with the Mayor and the Chief Administrative Officer for the purpose of ascertaining if definite recommendations would be forthcoming from them dealing with the construction of a central office building and a new or remodeled Civic Auditorium and the method of financing such projects.

*No objection and the Clerk was directed to comply.*

**Birthday Greetings to the Chief Administrative Officer.**

Supervisor Ferdon called the Board's attention to the fact that this day happened to be the birthday of Mr. Thomas A. Brooks, the City's Chief Administrative Officer. The Board members rose and extended greetings to him.

**Adopted.**

Memorializing the Federal Housing Authority to Take Immediate Steps to Authorize the Removal of Temporary War Housing at Candlestick Cove in Order to Permit the Completion of James Lick Freeway (Bayshore Freeway).

Supervisor Lewis presented.

File No. 8726, Resolution No. 12356 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Lewis moved its adoption; motion seconded by Supervisor Sullivan.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Mancuso—1.

**Reference to Committee.**

Directing Legislative Representative to Support Appropriations by the State Legislature Which Would Provide Additional Support for the Housing of the State's Mentally Defective.

Supervisor Lewis presented:

File No. 9164, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to County, State and National Affairs Committee.*

Meeting of Organizations Concerning Retention of Butano Forest for Public Use.

The President of the Board informed the members that he had received a letter from the Council of Chambers of Commerce of San Mateo County, asking that the City and County be represented at a meeting to be held on Tuesday evening, June 24, 7:30 p. m., Burlingame Council Chambers, at which interested organizations would attend, for the purpose of formulating plans to be submitted to the Governor for the preservation of Butano Forest for public use.

None of the Board members expressed a desire to attend and the Clerk was instructed to so notify the Council.

**Use of Harbor Docks for Convention Purposes.**

Supervisor Sullivan called the Chief Administrative Officer's attention to the fact that, as has been done in many cities, it may be considered feasible to utilize harbor dock facilities for the accommodation of that segment of a particular convention which cannot be housed in the Civic Auditorium.

**Adopted.**

Confirming Appointment of Dr. Charles A. Ertola as a Member of the Board of Trustees of the San Francisco War Memorial.

Supervisor Sullivan presented:

File No. 9165, Resolution No. 12363 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Sullivan moved its adoption; motion seconded by Supervisor McMurray.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent Supervisors MacPhee, Mancuso—2.

**Adopted.**

The following recommendation of his Honor the Mayor was presented by the Clerk:

**Leaves of Absence**—Supervisor George Christopher, July 3-28; Charles T. McDonough, Civil Service Commissioner, July 1-7; Rene A. Vayssie, Library Commissioner, June 26-July 10; John Barney Rodgers, Art Commissioner, June 30-July 20; Thomas C. Howe, Jr., Director of the California Palace of the Legion of Honor, July 8-13, 1952, All With Permission to Leave the State.

File No. 7823, Resolution No. 12352 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Arnold moved its adoption; motion seconded by Supervisor McCarty.

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, McCarty, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, Mancuso—2.

**ADJOURNMENT.**

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 5:03 p. m., adjourned.

JOHN R. McGRATH, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors July 14, 1952

I, John R. McGrath, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the date hereon stated and approved as recited

JOHN R. McGRATH,  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.



Monday, June 30, 1952

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MONDAY, JUNE 30, 1952—2:00 P. M.

In meeting of Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, June 30, 1952, 2:00 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

## CALLING THE ROLL

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present

Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mead, Sullivan—7

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray—4.

Quorum present.

President Dewey Mead presiding.

Supervisor MacPhee noted present at 3:22 p. m.

Supervisor Mancuso on authorized leave.

Supervisor McMurray absent due to illness.

## APPROVAL OF JOURNAL

The Journal of Proceedings for Monday, June 16, 1952, was considered read and approved.

## Communications.

From Honorable Milton D. Sapiro, Judge of the Superior Court, extending invitation to Board members to attend dedication of William P. Kyne Swimming Pool at Log Cabin Ranch School, La Honda, Sunday, July 20, 1952.

*Copy given to each member of Board, ordered filed.*

From County Supervisors' Association, advising of meeting of board of directors to be held on July 25, 10 a. m., U. S. Grant Hotel, San Diego.

*Copy to each member of Board, ordered filed.*

## Representation from San Mateo County Relative to City Participation in Purchase of Butano Forest.

The Clerk read a telegram from the Honorable Alvin S. Hatch, Chairman of the San Mateo Board of Supervisors, in which request is made for the privilege of the floor at the meeting of the Board on Monday, June 30, for the purpose of discussing possible participation by the City and County of San Francisco in the purchase of the Butano Forest as a public park.

### Privilege of the Floor.

There being no objection, the privilege of the floor was extended to the Honorable Alvin S. Hatch, who in turn informed the Board that he desired to introduce the Honorable E. R. McDonald, Supervisor, who would speak on the subject of participation by the City and County in the proposed purchase of the Butano Forest.

Supervisor McDonald then proceeded to read from a prepared report, outlining the reasons why Butano Forest should be purchased and the proposed financial participation by the various counties.

### Motion to Refer to Committee.

At the conclusion of the reading of the report, Supervisor Christopher moved, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, that the subject matter of the presentation made by Supervisor McDonald be referred to the Finance Committee for consideration. No objection and motion carried.

Supervisor Arnold, Chairman of the Finance Committee, thereupon invited both Supervisors Hatch and McDonald to attend the next meeting of his committee, which was scheduled for Wednesday, July 2, at 3:00 p. m., Room 223, City Hall.

### UNFINISHED BUSINESS

#### Refused Adoption.

The following recommendations of Finance Committee, heretofore considered, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

Dissolving the Municipal Government Survey Advisory Committee.

File No. 9100, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

June 16, 1952—Consideration continued to June 30, 1952.

#### City Attorney's Opinion Concerning Legality of Ordinance Effectuating Recommendations of Survey Advisory Committee.

The Clerk informed the Board that he had received Opinion No. 568 from the City Attorney in connection with the legality of an ordinance requiring departments to put into effect practices and procedures recommended by the Municipal Government Survey Advisory Committee.

There being no objection, consideration of the foregoing, as well as the following two measures, was *temporarily postponed*, pending appearance of his Honor, the Mayor.

#### Commending Members of the Municipal Government Survey Advisory Committee.

File No. 9101, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

June 16, 1952—Consideration continued to June 30, 1952.

*Over temporarily pending appearance of Mayor.*

The following measure, from Finance Committee, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

#### Motion Authorizing Execution of Contract Between the City and County and the National Records Management Council to Complete a Records Survey.

File No. 9185.

(It is moved that the Clerk be authorized to execute a contract between the City and County of San Francisco and the National Records Management Council to complete a records survey, for the total amount of \$28,000.)

*Over temporarily pending appearance of Mayor.*



**Final Passage.**

The following recommendations of Finance Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

**Appropriating \$83,498, Recreation and Park, for Construction of Cages for Panthers and Primates in the Zoological Gardens.**

File No. 9080, Ordinance No. 7399 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray—4.

**Appropriating \$35,650, Recreation and Park, from Unappropriated Balance of 1947 Recreation Bond Fund, for Expenditures and Certification of Contracts in Connection With the Improvement of Phelan Beach.**

File No. 9082, Ordinance No. 7400 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray—4.

**Appropriating \$10,000, de Young Memorial Museum, for Improvements to Period and Oakes Antique Rooms.**

File No. 9096, Ordinance No. 7401 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray—4.

**Final Passage.**

The following recommendation of Streets Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Ferdon, McMurray, Sullivan.

**Amending Section 88 of Ordinance No. 1061 Entitled, "Regulating the Width of Sidewalks," by Reducing the Width of Sidewalks on Juniper Street Between Harrison and Bryant Streets from Four Feet to One Foot.**

File No. 8324-1, Ordinance No. 7398 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray—4.

**NEW BUSINESS****Adopted.**

The following recommendations of Finance Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

**Approving Supplemental Recommendations, Public Welfare Department, Relative to Categorical Aids; Letter Dated June 24, 1952.**

File No. 7821, Resolution No. 12366 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray—4.

**Authorizing Extension of Grants of Emergency Relief to Dependent Nonresidents for June and July; List Dated June 30, 1952.**

File No. 7822, Resolution No. 12367 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray—4.

**Authorizing Extension of Grants of Emergency Relief to Dependent Nonresidents for July and August; List Dated June 30, 1952.**

File No. 7822, Resolution No. 12368 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray—4.

**Authorizing Release of Lien Recorded by the Public Welfare Department for Aid Extended to Lucille Campbell.**

File No. 7897, Resolution No. 12371 (Series of 1939).

(Lot 5, Block 6511—full amount of \$813.84 paid.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray—4.

**Authorizing Release of Lien Recorded by the Public Welfare Department for Aid Extended to Ellen and Paul Newberry.**

File No. 7897, Resolution No. 12373 (Series of 1939).

(Lot 36, Block 6713—full amount of \$211.98 paid.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray—4.

**Authorizing Release of Lien Recorded by the Public Welfare Department for Aid Extended to Cherie Gross.**

File No. 7897, Resolution No. 12372 (Series of 1939).

(Lot 17, Block 2620—full amount of \$96.05 paid.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray—4.

**Confirming Sale of Surplus City-Owned Land Located on the Northerly Line of Army Street, Easterly from Mission Street, to Emilio Ruta for \$1,125.**

File No. 6914-2, Resolution No. 12365 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with the Master Plan. Portion of Lot 17-A, Block 6571.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray—4.

**Authorizing Retirement System to Submit Actuarial Report on Proposed Charter Amendments Proposing Increased Retirement Allowances for Retired Employees Whose Pensions Are Based on Sections 165 and 165.1.1 of the Charter.**

File No. 9144, Resolution No. 12375 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray—4.

**Passage for Second Reading.**

**Appropriating \$1,350, Board of Supervisors, for Actuarial Survey of the Cost of Increasing Retirement Allowances of Retired Employees Whose Pensions Are Based on Sections 165 and 165.1.1 of the Charter.**

File No. 9144-1, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray—4.

**Adopted.**

**Authorizing Public Health Department Officials to Sign Documents for Narcotics and Alcohol for Institutional Use During the Fiscal Year Beginning July 1, 1952.**

File No. 9146, Resolution No. 12376 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray—4.

**Authorizing the Director of Public Health to Accept Aid from the State Department of Public Health for the Fiscal Year 1952-53.**

File No. 9147, Resolution No. 12377 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray—4.

**Authorizing the Chief Administrative Officer to Enter Into Agreement With the State Department of Agriculture to Provide for Reimbursement for a Portion of the Salary of the Agricultural Commissioner for the Fiscal Year 1952-53.**

File No. 9148, Resolution No. 12378 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray—4.

**Authorizing Temporary Transfer of Funds Pending Receipt of First Installment of Taxes for the Fiscal Year 1952-53.**

File No. 9149, Resolution No. 12379 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray—4.

**Waiving Residential Requirements for Position of L-2, Assistant Superintendent (Medical), San Francisco Hospital.**

File No. 9154, Resolution No. 12380 (Series of 1939).

**Explanation.**

The privilege of the floor was extended to Mrs. Kathleen C. Dolen, representing the Civil Service Commission, who informed the Board that all necessary steps were taken to induce San Francisco residents to apply for permission to take the examination, without success.

**Refused Adoption.**

The roll was thereupon called and the foregoing measure was *refused adoption* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Sullivan—5.

No: Supervisor Mead—1.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray—5.

**Action Rescinded.**

Supervisor Arnold moved, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, that the Board rescind its action whereby it had refused to adopt the foregoing measure. No objection and motion *carried*.

It was decided to postpone any further action pending appearance of Supervisor Lewis who had temporarily left the chambers; however, before Board action was taken on the request to postpone, Supervisor Lewis reappeared; the roll was again called, and the foregoing measure was *adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Sullivan—6.

No: Supervisor Mead—1.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray—4.

**Adopted.**

**Authorizing Cancellation of Taxes on City-Owned Property Designated as Lot 29, Block 3616.**

File No. 9155, Resolution No. 12381 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray—4.

**Authorizing Purchase of Certain Real Property from Jessie Holst for \$6,500, Required for School Project No. 19.**

File No. 9157, Resolution No. 12382 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan, Lot 35, Block 4219, located on Carolina Street north of Twenty-fifth Street. Size: 25 feet by 100 feet. Two-flat building.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray—4.

**Authorizing Purchase of Certain Real Property from Toribio R. Martinez et ux., for \$8,250, Required for School Project No. 19.**

File No. 9158, Resolution No. 12383 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Lot 11, Block 4219, located on Wisconsin Street north of Twenty-fifth Street. Size: 37 feet 6 inches by 100 feet. Five-room residence.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray—4.

**Authorizing Purchase of Certain Real Property from Morris E. Nicholls et ux., for \$4,750, Required for School Project No. 19.**

File No. 9159, Resolution No. 12384 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Lot 38, Block 4219, located on Carolina Street north of Twenty-fifth Street. Size: 25 feet by 100 feet. Four-room residence.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray—4.

**Authorizing Purchase of Certain Real Property from Katherine L. Forrester for \$64, Required for School Project No. 29.**

File No. 9160, Resolution No. 12385 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. An 8 per cent interest in Lots 15 and 16, Block 6164, located on Harkness Avenue westerly from Bowdoin Street. Vacant land.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray—4.

**Authorizing Purchase of Certain Real Property from Ruth M. Kaiser for \$120, Required for School Project No. 29.**

File No. 9161, Resolution No. 12386 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. A 15 per cent interest Lots 15 and 16, Block 6164, located Harkness Avenue west of Bowdoin Street. Vacant land.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray—4.

**Authorizing Attendance of the Director of the M. H. de Young Memorial Museum at the Annual Meeting of the Western Association of Art Museum Directors to Be Held in Seattle, Washington, and to View the Kress Memorials in Portland, Oregon, During Period July 8 to July 12, 1952.**

File No. 9199, Resolution No. 12387 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray—4.

### Consideration Continued.

Appropriating \$25,000, Public Works, from the Special Road Improvement Fund, for Right of Way Purchase, Construction and Contingencies in Connection With the Improvement of Portion of Jessie Street East of Tenth Street.

File No. 8585-1, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

Supervisor Arnold moved, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, that consideration of the foregoing measure be continued for one week. No objection and motion *carried*.

*Consideration continued one week.*

### Passage for Second Reading.

Appropriating \$960, Public Health, for Rental of Chinese Health Center Located in the Ping Yuen Housing Project.

File No. 9151, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(Rental of \$80 per month for fiscal year beginning July 1, 1952.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray—4.

### Consideration Continued.

Appropriating \$5,300, Fire Department, from Emergency Reserve Fund, for Electricity and Gas; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9153, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

Supervisor Christopher moved that due to a lack of the required votes to pass the foregoing measure, its consideration be continued for one week. Motion seconded by Supervisor Arnold. No objection and motion *carried*.

*Consideration continued one week.*

Appropriating \$1,320, Public Health, Laguna Honda Home, for Purchase of Equipment; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9162, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(1 bread slicer	\$430
1 Diathermic machine	890)

Supervisor Christopher moved that due to a lack of the required votes to pass the foregoing measure, that its consideration be continued for one week. Motion seconded by Supervisor Arnold. No objection and motion *carried*.

*Consideration continued one week.*

Appropriating \$4,700, Public Health, San Francisco Hospital, for Purchase of Sterilizer; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9163, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

Supervisor Christopher moved that due to a lack of the required votes to pass the foregoing measure, that its consideration be continued for one week. Motion seconded by Supervisor Arnold. No objection and motion *carried*.

*Consideration continued one week.*

Appropriating \$1,468, Public Health, Hassler Health Home, for Purchase of Mattresses; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9166, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

Supervisor Christopher moved that due to a lack of the required votes to pass the foregoing measure, that its consideration be continued for one week. Motion seconded by Supervisor Arnold. No objection and motion *carried*.

*Consideration continued one week.*

#### Passage for Second Reading as Amended.

The following measure, from Finance Committee with recommendation "Do Pass" after amendment, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

#### Appropriating \$75,000, Recreation and Park, for a Press Stand and Television and Radio Facilities at Kezar Stadium.

File No. 9065, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Proposed amendment is as follows:

Reduce amount of appropriation from \$75,000 to \$3,000, to provide preliminary plans and estimate of cost for combined press stand and veterans' shelter.)

#### Amendment.

Supervisor Arnold moved adoption of the foregoing proposed amendment. Motion seconded by Supervisor Christopher, and *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray—4.

#### Explanation by General Manager.

Mr. David E. Lewis, General Manager of the Recreation and Park Department, explained the reason for the original request of \$75,000. He stated, in answer to a query, that even had the Board authorized the original appropriation, he did not think it possible to complete the job prior to the opening of the 1952 football season.

The roll was thereupon called on the measure, as amended, and it was *passed for second reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray—4.

#### Reference to Finance Committee.

The following emergency measures, appearing on the Board's supplemental calendar, were taken up:

(In each of the following instances, Supervisor Arnold moved reference to the Finance Committee. Motion seconded by Supervisor Christopher, and there being no objection, motion *carried*.)

#### Appropriating \$2,900, Fire Department, from the Surplus Existing in the General Fund Compensation Reserve, for Holiday Overtime—Uniformed Force; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9204, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939)

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

#### Appropriating \$2,600, Public Health, Laguna Honda Home, from the Emergency Reserve Fund, for Permanent Employees' Maintenance Allowance; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9205, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

**Resumption of Consideration of File No. 9100 Relating to the Dissolution of the Municipal Government Survey Advisory Committee.**

Supervisor Christopher expressed the opinion that the Survey Advisory Committee had not received the full cooperation of the Board; that it was doing a great job; that while its recommended economies were not noticeable at the present time, they would eventually assert themselves; and that if his Honor the Mayor would make a definite commitment as to the necessity of retaining the committee, such a statement, no doubt, would play an important part in influencing members of the Board to support the continuance of such a committee.

His Honor, Mayor Elmer E. Robinson, spoke on the subject, extolling the virtues of the various members comprising the Survey Advisory Committee, but refused to take a definite stand, contending that the entire issue was one which should be resolved by the Board alone.

Supervisor Ferdon spoke strongly in favor of continuing the functions of the Advisory Committee, either with the present membership or with new ones, and that it was incumbent upon the Board to appropriate the money to finish the job.

President Dewey Mead commended the Mayor for taking the stand that he did, in that he preferred not to meddle in affairs strictly supervisory, and that he did not propose to have the present Mayor nor any other Mayor tell him what to do.

Supervisor Arnold likewise expressed satisfaction at the Mayor's stand and stated he was surprised that Supervisor Christopher made such a plea.

Supervisor MacPhee explained that he had introduced the pending measure some time ago and was compelled, by the close votes recorded on previous measures affecting the Advisory Committee, to reach the decision that apparently there was no unanimity of support behind the project and he considered it advisable to advocate its dissolution under the circumstances.

**Motion.**

Supervisor Lewis spoke in favor of continuing the present program, and thereupon moved, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, that the Clerk of the Board write a letter to each member of the Survey Advisory Committee, asking them if they desired to either continue or resign from the committee, and that if they expressed a desire to continue, to suggest what machinery must be put into effect for implementation of the committee's recommendations.

**Substitute Motion.**

With the approval of the President of the Board, the Mayor offered a motion that consideration of the pending measure be continued for a period of six weeks. Motion seconded by Supervisor Lewis.

Supervisor MacPhee objected to the motion, contending that its adoption would display lack of confidence in the Chairman of the Advisory Committee.

**Substitute Motion.**

Supervisor Christopher moved as a substitute, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, that consideration of the foregoing measure be deferred for a period of seven weeks, and that during the interim, the Chairman of the Survey Advisory Committee meet with the President of the Board for the purpose of clarifying the presently confused situation.



At this point, the Mayor suggested that consideration of the pending measure be continued for a period of eight weeks, and that during the interim, the Mayor confer with N. Loyall McLaren, Chairman of the Survey Advisory Committee, and with representatives of the Board of Supervisors, for the purpose of arriving at a definite policy.

It was understood and agreed that the foregoing suggestion by the Mayor would be considered as part of the substitute motion heretofore offered by Supervisor Christopher.

#### Substitute Withdrawn.

There being no objection, the substitute motion was *withdrawn*.

#### Roll Call.

The roll was thereupon called on the pending measure, namely, File No. 9100, relating to the dissolution of the Municipal Government Survey Advisory Committee, and it was *refused adoption* by the following vote:

Aye: Supervisor Arnold—1

Noes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray—3.

#### Motion Relative to Polling of Members of Survey Advisory Committee.

Supervisor Lewis moved that the Chairman of the Survey Advisory Committee be requested to poll the members of his committee for the purpose of ascertaining whether or not they desired to remain as members of such committee and to inform the Board of his findings; further, that the Mayor be requested, within a reasonable time, to meet with the Chairman of the Survey Advisory Committee, and discuss with him or with the committee, the question of whether or not to continue the functions of said committee, or any other matter which the Mayor may deem pertinent to discuss with them.

*Motion lost for want of a second.*

#### Motion Relative to Polling of Members of Advisory Committee.

Supervisor Lewis moved that the Chairman of the Survey Advisory Committee be asked to poll the members of his committee for the purpose of determining whether or not they desired to remain as members of the committee.

*Motion lost for want of a second.*

#### Motion Concerning Joint Hearings.

Supervisor Sullivan moved, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, that the question of whether to continue or discontinue the services of the Municipal Government Advisory Committee be referred to the Mayor, with the request that he conduct hearings with the chairman and members of said committee, the members of the Board of Supervisors, the Controller and the Chief Administrative Officer, with a view to determining policy thereon.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray—3.

*Referred to the Mayor.*

#### Re-reference to Committee.

The following recommendation of Finance Committee, consideration of which was temporarily postponed, was taken up:

**Commending Members of the Municipal Government Survey Advisory Committee.**

File No. 9101, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

June 16, 1952—Consideration continued to June 30, 1952.

Supervisor Christopher moved, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, that the foregoing measure be re-referred to committee. No objection and motion carried.

*Re-referred to Finance Committee.*

**Adopted.**

The following motion, from Finance Committee, consideration of which was temporarily postponed, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

**Motion Authorizing Execution of Contract Between the City and County and the National Records Management Council to Complete a Records Survey.**

File No. 9185.

(It is moved that the Clerk be authorized to execute a contract between the City and County of San Francisco and the National Records Management Council to complete a records survey, for the total amount of \$28,000.)

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Christopher moved adoption of the foregoing motion; seconded by Supervisor Ferdon.

Motion adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray—3.

**ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF MEASURES AND COMMUNICATIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.**

**Reference to Committee.**

Transferring Jurisdiction of Certain City Land, Located on the East Side of Van Ness Avenue at Beach Street, from the Public Utilities Commission to the Recreation and Park Commission, Required for the Aquatic Park.

Supervisor Arnold presented:

File No. 9206, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

**Adopted.**

**Commending KGO-TV and KGO for Marathon Cerebral Palsy Fund Broadcast.**

Supervisor Christopher presented:

File No. 9208, Resolution No. 12388 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Christopher moved adoption; motion seconded by Supervisor MacPhee.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray—3.

**Reference to Committee.****Urging Municipal Government Survey Advisory Committee to Continue in Operation.**

Supervisor Christopher presented:

File No. 9207, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

**Reference to Committee.****Requesting Golden Gate Bridge and Highway District to Hold in Abeyance Studies Looking to Possible Construction of a Second Golden Gate Crossing, Pending Completion of Additional Financial Reports.**

Supervisor Christopher presented:

File No. 9209, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to County, State and National Affairs Committee.*

**Request for Information Relative to Using Gas Tax Funds for Amortization of Freeway and Trafficway Bond Issues.**

Supervisor Christopher called the Board's attention to a suggestion contained in the local press whereby state gas tax funds might be used to redeem bonds issued for freeway and trafficway purposes, and requested that the Chief Administrative Officer and the Controller investigate the suggestion and render a report as to the feasibility of such a program, and what can be done by the Board to expedite such an undertaking.

*No objection and the Clerk was directed to comply.*

**Investigation of Overtime Expenditures by the Municipal Railway.**

Supervisor Christopher called the Board's attention to the enormous amount of overtime being consumed by Municipal Railway personnel and expressed the opinion that if this practice is permitted to continue, he doubted whether the present 15-cent fare would be sufficient to include the payment of such overtime. He accordingly requested that the Finance Committee investigate the subject of overtime with a view to effecting substantial reductions therein, with due regard to maintenance of proper service.

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

**Expression of Vote on Proposed Billboard Ordinance.**

Supervisor Christopher desired that the record show that should the Board act upon the proposed billboard ordinance introduced by Supervisor Mancuso, during his absence, he would have voted in favor of its passage had he been present.

**Adopted.****Approving Canvass of Votes Cast at Consolidated Primary and Special Municipal Election Held on June 3, 1952.**

Supervisor Dobbs presented:

File No. 9130-2, Resolution No. 12374 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Dobbs moved adoption; motion seconded by Supervisor Ferdon.

*Adopted by the following vote*

*Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mead, Sullivan--8.*

*Absent: Supervisors Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray--3.*

**Adopted.**

**Authorizing Temporary Closing of Buchanan Street Between Post and Sutter Streets on July 12, 1952, from 5 P.M. to 10:30 P.M., to Permit Buddhist Church of San Francisco to Hold Its Annual Folk Dance.**

Supervisor Ferdon presented:

File No. 9210, Resolution No. 12389 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Ferdon moved adoption; motion seconded by Supervisor Dobbs.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray—3.

**Adopted.**

**Accepting Gift of Armed Forces Honor Roll from the San Francisco News.**

Supervisor Ferdon presented:

File No. 9211, Resolution No. 12390 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Ferdon moved adoption; motion seconded by Supervisor Dobbs.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray—3.

**Wishing Supervisor McMurray a Speedy Recovery.**

Supervisor Ferdon suggested that the Clerk of the Board, on behalf of the Board members, send a letter to Supervisor McMurray, who is at the moment hospitalized, wishing him a speedy recovery.

*No objection and Clerk was directed to comply.*

**Reference to Committee.**

**An Ordinance Requiring that Impounded Dogs Be Tattooed Before Release and Providing for the Establishment and Maintenance of a Registry of Tattoo Marks So Made.**

Supervisor Lewis presented:

File No. 9217, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Public Health and Welfare Committee.*

**Adopted.**

**Requesting State Authorities to Consider the Feasibility of Constructing Overpasses or Underpasses at Tiburon Wye, Corte Madera and Greenbrae Junctions, for the Purpose of Facilitating Motor Travel.**

Supervisor MacPhee presented:

File No. 9212, Resolution No. 12391 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor MacPhee moved adoption; motion seconded by Supervisor Christopher.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mead, Sullivan—8.

**Absent:** Supervisors Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray—3.

**Adopted.****In Memoriam—Robert P. Scott.**

Jointly presented by Supervisors MacPhee and Sullivan.

File No. 7824, Resolution No. 12370 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor MacPhee moved adoption; motion seconded by Supervisor Sullivan.

*Unanimously adopted by rising vote as follows:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mead, Sullivan—8.

**Absent:** Supervisors Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray—3.

**Supervisor McMurray Excused.**

There being no objection, Supervisor McMurray was excused, due to illness, from attending today's Board meeting as well as those scheduled for the next two weeks.

**Adopted.**

The following recommendations of his Honor the Mayor were presented by the Clerk:

**Leaves of Absence—**Dr. Walter Heil, Director of the M. H. De Young Memorial Museum, July 8-12; Dr. Watt A. Long, Associate Superintendent of Schools, June 27-July 13; Mrs. Eugene M. Prince, City Planning Commissioner, July 2-16; and Mayor Elmer E. Robinson, July 7-31, 1952, All With Permission to Leave the State.

File No. 7823, Resolution No. 12369 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Arnold moved adoption; motion seconded by Supervisor Christopher.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mead, Sullivan—8.

**Absent:** Supervisors Mancuso, McCarty, McMurray—3.

**ADJOURNMENT**

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 4:43 p.m., adjourned.

JOHN R. McGRATH, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors July 21, 1952

I, John R. McGrath, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the date hereon stated and approved as recited.

JOHN R. McGRATH.  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.







Monday, July 7, 1952

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MONDAY, JULY 7, 1952—2:00 P. M.

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In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, July 7, 1952,  
2 00 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

## CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray—4.

Quorum present.

President Dewey Mead presiding.

Supervisors Christopher, Mancuso and McMurray on authorized leaves

Supervisor Lewis excused from Board attendance. (See below.)

## Supervisor Lewis Excused.

Supervisor Lewis left word asking that he be excused from attendance, accordingly, Supervisor Sullivan moved, seconded by Supervisor Dobbs, that permission be granted.

No objection and permission granted.

## Communications.

From Office of Civil Defense, State of California, attaching copy of statement by Thomas K. Finletter, Secretary of the Air Force, in support of decision to immediately reactivate the Ground Observer Corps on a 24-hour basis.

*Referred to County, State and National Affairs Committee.*

From the City Attorney, statement respecting the validity of tax levied by certain unnamed East Bay communities and imposed on San Francisco merchants whose trucks serve the East Bay area

*Copy to Supervisor Christopher, filed.*

From League of California Cities, Peninsula Division, notice of dinner meeting on Thursday, July 17, 7 p. m., Club Casino, 6192 Mission Street, Daly City.

*Copy to each member of Board, filed.*

From the Assessor, advising that he was delivering the 1952-53 Assessment Rolls into the hands of the Clerk of the Board.

*Filed.*

**SPECIAL ORDER—2:00 P. M.****Board of Supervisors Meeting as a Board of Equalization.**

File No. 9131

(Pursuant to Resolution No. 12346 (Series of 1939), Board of Supervisors to meet at Board of Equalization to examine the assessment books for the fiscal year 1952-53 and equalize the assessment of property in the City and County of San Francisco, and to continue in session for that purpose from time to time until the business of equalization is disposed of but not later than Monday, July 21, 1952, unless said period is extended.)

**Motion to Defer Consideration.**

Supervisor Sullivan moved, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, that deliberations of the Board of Supervisors sitting as a Board of Equalization be deferred until next Monday, July 14, at the hour of 2:00 p. m.

No objection and motion *carried*.

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS.****Final Passage.**

The following recommendations of Finance Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

**Authorizing Attendance of Director of Public Health at Mayors' and Councilmen's Institute, Held by the League of California Cities at Fresno on June 13, 1952.**

File No. 9128, Ordinance No. 7404 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray—4.

**Appropriating \$17,263.40, Recreation and Park, for Improvement of Balboa Park Soccer Field.**

File No. 9138, Ordinance No. 7406 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray—4.

**Re-reference to Committee.**

**Appropriating \$25,000, Public Works, from the Special Road Improvement Fund, for Right of Way Purchase, Construction and Contingencies in Connection With the Improvement of Portion of Jessie Street East of Tenth Street.**

File No. 8585-1, Ordinance No. . . (Series of 1939).

June 30, 1952—Consideration continued to July 7, 1952.

Supervisor Arnold moved, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, that the foregoing measure be re-referred to Committee.

No objection and motion *carried*.

**Consideration Continued.**

(In each of the following instances, where an emergency measure is involved, Supervisor Sullivan moved, seconded by Supervisor Arnold, that, due to a lack of the required votes, consideration of the subject measure be continued for a period of one week. No objection and motion carried.)

**Appropriating \$5,300, Fire Department, from Emergency Reserve Fund, for Electricity and Gas; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9153, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

June 30, 1952—Consideration continued to July 7, 1952.

*Consideration continued one week.*

**Appropriating \$1,320, Public Health, Laguna Honda Home, for Purchase of Equipment; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9162, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(1 Bread Slicer	\$430
1 Diathermic Machine	890)

June 30, 1952—Consideration continued to July 7, 1952.

*Consideration continued one week.*

**Appropriating \$4,700, Public Health, San Francisco Hospital, for Purchase of Sterilizer; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9163, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

June 30, 1952—Consideration continued to July 7, 1952.

*Consideration continued one week.*

**Appropriating \$1,468, Public Health, Hassler Health Home, for Purchase of Mattresses; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9166, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

June 30, 1952—Consideration continued to July 7, 1952.

*Consideration continued one week.*

**Final Passage.**

The following measures from Streets Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, were taken up:

Present Supervisor Ferdon.

**Changing or Modifying the Official Grades on Dartmouth Street Between Olmstead and Mansell Streets.**

File No. 6243-1, Ordinance No. 7402 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray—4.

**Accepting the Roadways, Curbs, Intersections and Crossings of Certain Streets in Golden Gate Heights.**

File No. 9119, Ordinance No. 7403 (Series of 1939).

(Portions of Cragmont, Twelfth and Fourteenth Avenues and Pacheco and Quintara Streets.)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray—4.

**Ordering the Improvement of Wilde Avenue Between Ervine and Delta Streets, and Extending City Aid in Approximate Amount of \$1,500.**

File No. 9136, Ordinance No. 7405 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray—4.

## **NEW BUSINESS.**

### **Adopted.**

The following recommendations of Finance Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher.

**Authorizing Extension of Grants of Emergency Relief to Dependent Non-Residents for July and August: List Dated July 7, 1952.**

File No. 7822, Resolution No. 12392 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray—4.

**Authorizing Refund of Duplicate and Erroneous Payments of Taxes for the Fiscal Years 1951-52 and 1952-53.**

File No. 7827, Resolution No. 12393 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray—4.

**Authorizing Purchase of Certain Real Property from Louis Del Monte for \$400, Required for School Project No. 53.**

File No. 9170, Resolution No. 12394 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Lot 24, Block 6232, located on northerly side of Arleta Street east of Sawyer Street. Vacant land.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray—4.

**Authorizing Purchase of Certain Real Property from Evdokia I. Stuart for \$6,250, Required for School Project No. 19.**

File No. 9171, Resolution No. 12395 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Lot 9, Block 4219, located on Wisconsin Street between Twenty-third and Twenty-fifth Streets. Four-room residence.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray—4.

**Authorizing Purchase of Certain Real Property from Atlas Realty Company for \$36,500, Required for School Project No. 53.**

File No. 9172, Resolution No. 12396 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Various lots located in area bounded by Campbell Avenue, Going Street, Raymond Avenue and Elliot Street. Vacant land.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray—4.

**Authorizing Purchase of Certain Real Property from Helen G. Banks for \$24,000 and from K. Deemer et ux. for \$750, Required for School Project No. 14.**

File No. 9173, Resolution No. 12397 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Lot 36, Block 2342, located at Santiago Street and Funston Avenue. Size: 32 feet 6 inches by 100 feet. Two-story frame dwelling. Lot 9, Block 2340, located on Santiago Street south of Twelfth Avenue. Size: 30 feet by 100 feet. Vacant land.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray—4.

**Authorizing Purchase of Certain Real Property from Atlas Realty Company for \$58,000, Required for School Project No. 50.**

File No. 9174, Resolution No. 12398 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Various lots located in area bounded by Bowdoin, Ankeny, Goettingen and Dwight Streets. Vacant land.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray—4.

**Authorizing Reassessment of Property Erroneously Assessed in 1951.**

File No. 9175, Resolution No. 12399 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray—4.

**Authorizing Chief Administrative Officer to Enter into Agreement With State of California for State Use of Children's Building at Hassler Health Home for Care of Cerebral Palsied Children.**

File No. 9186, Resolution No. 12400 (Series of 1939).

(Lease to be for period of one year beginning July 1, 1952, and thereafter on month to month basis until December 31, 1953, at rental of \$300 per month.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray—4.

**Authorizing Purchase of Certain Real Property from Clarissa M. Roehr for \$850, Required for McLaren Park.**

File No. 9189, Resolution No. 12401 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Lot 20, Block 6103, located on southerly line of Woolsey Street east of Peru Avenue. Size: 25 feet by 100 feet. Lot 7, Block 6136, located on southeasterly side of Oxford Street, northwest of Olmstead Street. Size: 50 feet by 120 feet. Vacant land.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray—4.

**Authorizing Purchase of Certain Real Property from Donald E. Thompson et al for \$350, Required for McLaren Park.**

File No. 9190, Resolution No. 12402 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Located at intersection of Buell and La Grande Streets. Lot 11, Block 6027. Size: 30 feet 6¼ inches by 110 feet by 25 feet by 120 feet. Vacant land.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray—4.

**Authorizing Purchase of Certain Real Property from Elka Liberman for \$1,200, Required for McLaren Park.**

File No. 9191, Resolution No. 12403 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Lot 2, Block 6142, located on Cambridge Street, southeast of Olmstead Street. Vacant land.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray—4.

**Authorizing Purchase of Certain Real Property from Henry Day et al for \$3,520, Required for McLaren Park.**

File No. 9192, Resolution No. 12404 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Henry Day et al., Lot 5, Block 6265, located on Schiller Street, north of Visitation Avenue. Size: 40 feet by 110 feet. Joseph Gallagher, Lot 2, Block 6068, located on Peru Avenue, south of Wayland Street. Size: 50 feet by 120 feet. Lot 6, Block 6067, Peru Avenue, north of Woolsey Street. Size: 75 feet by 120 feet. Josephine Gallagher et al., Lots 3 and 4, Block 6068, Peru Avenue, southeast of Wayland Street. Size of Lot 3: 50 feet by 120 feet. Size of Lot 4, 25 feet by 120 feet. Vacant land.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray—4.

**Authorizing Purchase of Certain Real Property from Arline R. Jordan for \$1,600, and Lena Pardini et al. for \$1,000, Required for McLaren Park.**

File No. 9193, Resolution No. 12405 (Series of 1939).



(In conformity with Master Plan, Lot 9, Block 5996, located on Harvard Street, south of Burrows Street. Size: 100 feet by 120 feet. One-half interest in Lot 1, Block 6182, located on Mansell Street at University Street. Size: 100 feet by 120 feet. Vacant land.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray—4.

**Authorizing Purchase of Tax-Deeded Property from the State of California for \$5.00, Required for the Mission Freeway.**

File No. 9194, Resolution No. 12406 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with the Master Plan, Lot 30, Block 6754(b), located on northerly side of Calvert Drive between Danton and Lyell Streets.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray—4.

**Authorizing Payment of \$200 to Anna Lufrano for Release from All Claims for Partial Loss of Use of Premises Due to Construction of the Broadway Tunnel.**

File No. 9195, Resolution No. 12407 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray—4.

**Authorizing Purchase of Certain Real Property from Frank K. O'Neill for \$400, Required for School Project No. 53.**

File No. 9196, Resolution No. 12408 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan, Lot 39, Block 6232, located on Teddy Avenue, west of Elliot Street. Size: 25 feet by 100 feet. Vacant land.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray—4.

**Authorizing Purchase of Certain Real Property from Daniel M. Goulter et al. for \$4,850, Required for McLaren Park.**

File No. 9197, Resolution No. 12409 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan, Daniel M. Goulter, Lot 8, Block 6136, Oxford Street, northwesterly of Olmstead Street. Size: 37 feet 6 inches by 120 feet. Louis Robinson et al., Lot 7, Block 6068, Peru Avenue and Woolsey Street. Size: 100 feet by 120 feet. Reddick H. Bickel, Lot 2, Block 5999, Madison Street, south of Burrows Street. Annie E. Hilton, Lot 7, Block 6137, Harvard Street, northwest of Olmstead Street. Size: 25 feet by 120 feet. Vacant land.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray—4.

**Authorizing Purchase of Certain Real Property from Frank J. O'Neill for \$500, Required for School Project No. 50.**

File No. 9198, Resolution No. 12410 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Lot 15, Block 6127, located on Hamilton Street, north of Olmstead Street. Size: 25 feet by 120 feet. Vacant land.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray—4.

**Authorizing One Deputy City Attorney to Attend a Medical-Legal Course to Be Held in San Francisco During the Period July 14-19, 1952.**

File No. 9200, Resolution No. 12411 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray—4.

**Consideration Continued.**

**Waiving Statute of Limitations and Authorizing Payment from Employees' Retirement Fund of Warrants to Four Employees.**

File No. 9203, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

(Mary M. Coyle, \$23.89; Gertrude H. Johnson, \$106.95; Herbert B. Jackson, \$50.31; Sidney G. Lippitt, Jr., \$144.85, consisting of return of employee contributions and interest.)

Supervisor MacPhee moved, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, that, due to lack of necessary votes, consideration of the foregoing measure be continued for a period of one week.

No objection and motion *carried*.

**Adopted.**

**Transferring Jurisdiction of Certain City Land from Public Utilities Commission to the Recreation and Park Commission, Required for Aquatic Park.**

File No. 9206, Resolution No. 12412 (Series of 1939).

(Portion of Lot 1, Block 430, and Lot 2A, Block 451, located on east side of Van Ness Avenue at Beach Street. Value set at \$36,995, to be paid to the Public Utilities Commission—no permanent building or structures are to be constructed on the southerly 34 feet 4½ inches of the land. In conformity with Master Plan.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray—4.

**Passage for Second Reading.**

**Appropriating \$1,700,037, Recreation and Park, from Appropriation No. 180.050.00, Construction—Unallocated, and from the 1947 Recreation Bond Fund, for Expenditures and Certification of Contracts and Related Expenses in Connection With the Development and Improvement of Recreational Areas and Playgrounds.**

File No. 9167, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Corona Heights	\$ 94,040	St. Mary's	\$ 59,855
Eureka Valley	27,283	Sea Cliff	7,067
Hayward	22,067	Stern Grove	1,849
Laurel Hill	157,070	Upper Noe	30,737
Camp Mather	19,684	North Beach	17,500
Merced	39,290	West Sunset	552,513
Miraloma	29,288	Aptos	629
Mission	14,750	Argonne	6,720
Ocean View	36,810	Visitation Valley	37,138
Phelan Beach	127,678	West Portal	11,405
Potrero Hill	57,620	Junipero Serra	87,880
Pine Lake	5,000	Aquatic Park	31,856
Rossi	7,000	Central Activities	
Unallocated	192,941	Building	24,367

(In conformity with Master Plan.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray—4.

**Appropriating \$1,210.37, Public Works, from Special Road Improvement Fund, for Retroactive Compensation and Retirement Contributions Based on Night Shift Differential Authorized for One J4 Laborer.**

File No. 9178, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray—4.

#### Consideration Continued.

**Appropriating \$2,900, Fire Department, for Holiday Overtime; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9204, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

Supervisor Sullivan moved, seconded by Supervisor Arnold, that, due to lack of necessary votes, consideration of the foregoing measure be continued for a period of one week.

No objection and motion *carried*.

#### Tabled.

The following measure from Finance Committee, with recommendation "Do Pass" after amendment, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher.

**Appropriating \$2,600, Public Health, Laguna Honda Home, from the Emergency Reserve Fund for Permanent Employees' Maintenance Allowance; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9205, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Proposed amendment is as follows: Reduce amount of appropriation from \$2,600 to \$400.)

At the suggestion of the Chief Administrative Officer, Supervisor Arnold moved, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, that the foregoing measure be tabled.

No objection and motion *carried*.

#### Passage for Second Reading as Amended.

The following measure from Finance Committee, without recommendation, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

**Appropriating \$15,840, Public Welfare, for Four New Positions of Child Welfare Worker at Range of \$330-390 Per Month.**

File No. 9184-1, Ordinance No. . . (Series of 1939).

**Motion.**

Supervisor Ferdon moved, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, that the foregoing measure be passed for second reading.

**Statement by Supervisor MacPhee.**

Supervisor MacPhee reiterated his position stated during the Board's budget deliberations last May, that regardless of who pays the bill, whether it be the State of California or anybody else, economies should be effected wherever possible. The Supervisor revealed he had made inquiry with respect to the four employees in question and that they would be transferred to other assignments; however, he was agreeable to permitting the establishment of two positions, with the other two positions being remanded to the Finance Committee, so that after a six months' delay, consideration could then be renewed with a view to ascertaining whether or not it was advisable to establish them at that time.

Supervisor MacPhee accordingly moved, seconded by Supervisor Arnold, that the foregoing appropriation be reduced to \$7,920 to provide funds for the establishment of only two position of Child Welfare Worker and that the remaining two positions be re-referred to the Finance Committee for future consideration.

**Substitute Motion.**

Supervisor Arnold moved, as a substitute motion, that consideration of the foregoing measure be continued for one week and that the Director of Public Welfare be requested to appear before the Board to explain necessity for the appropriation.

Motion *lost* for want of a second.

**Amendment Adopted.**

The roll was thereupon called on the amendment offered by Supervisor MacPhee and it was *adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead—6.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—5.

The roll was then called on the measure, as amended, and it was *passed for second reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead—6.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—5.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 66(a), Public Welfare Department—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 9184-2, Ordinance No. . . (Series of 1939).

**Amendment.**

Supervisor MacPhee moved, seconded by Supervisor Arnold, that the foregoing measure be amended by reducing the number of employments under Item 6 from 14 to 12, Child Welfare Worker, at range of \$330-390 per month, and that the title of said measure be changed to reflect the proposed amendment.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead—6.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—5.

The roll was thereupon called and the foregoing measure, as amended, was passed for second reading by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead—6.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—5.

### OFF-CALENDAR LEGISLATION.

The following recommendation of the Judiciary Committee was taken up:

#### Consideration Continued.

Amending Subdivision (c), Section 221, Article 3, Part I of the San Francisco Municipal Code, Relating to the Employees' Retirement System, so as to Allow Attorneys and Physicians in Non-Civil Service Positions, Who Resign and Withdraw Their Contributions from the Retirement System Within 60 Days of the Date Upon Which They Normally Would Be Required to Retire Because of Age, to Continue to Work for the City and County Under Subsequent Non-Civil Service Appointments, Without Limit as to Age.

File No. 8805, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

#### Motion to Defer Consideration.

Supervisor Dobbs moved, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, that, due to lack of the required number of votes necessary to pass the measure, its consideration be continued for a period of one week.

No objection and motion carried.

*Consideration continued one week.*

#### Adopted.

The following recommendation of his Honor the Mayor was presented by the Clerk:

Leaves of Absence—Supervisor Harold S. Dobbs, August 1-4; Charles J. Foehn, Member of the Board of Education, July 8-12; Sam K. Harrison, Member of the Board of Trustees, War Memorial, July 14-22; Fred D. Parr, Recreation and Park Commissioner, July 3-15, 1952, All With Permission to Leave the State.

File No. 9220, Resolution No. 12413 (Series of 1939).

#### Motion to Adopt.

Supervisor Arnold moved its adoption; motion seconded by Supervisor McCarty.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead—6.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—5.

#### Invitation to Meet Distinguished Group of Japanese Officials.

The President of the Board, Supervisor Dewey Mead, who is also Acting Mayor, extended an invitation to the Board members to attend an event in the Mayor's office on Thursday, July 10, at 2:30 p. m., when a group of Japanese representatives who are returning from the Moral Rearmament Conference at Mackinac Island will be received.

**Consideration of Communication from the Parking Authority of the City and County of San Francisco.**

The Clerk read a communication from the Parking Authority in which request was made for extension of time within which to complete study of off-street parking conditions in West Portal area.

Supervisor McCarty inquired of Vining T. Fisher, General Manager of the Parking Authority, as to the necessity for the extension of time contained in the communication. Mr. Fisher replied that the report requested by the Board called for studies which could not be completed within the 30 days specified and that the presentation of a complete report, called for an extension of time to August 13.

**Privilege of the Floor.**

There being no objection, the privilege of the floor was extended to Frank Parlato, representing the West Portal Avenue Association, who stated that any extension granted would merely constitute a delay.

**Information Requested.**

Supervisor McCarty requested that the General Manager of the Parking Authority furnish him with certain information regarding cost of land and construction of a pigeon hole parking garage thereon in the West Portal area, and amortization plan to meet the required expenditures.

Mr. Fisher stated that he would be glad to prepare such a report and submit it to Supervisor McCarty and the other members of the Board.

**Motion to Extend Time.**

Supervisor MacPhee moved, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, that the extension of time as contained in communication of the Parking Authority be granted.

No objection and motion *carried*.

**ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF MEASURES AND COMMUNICATIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.**

**References to Committees.**

**Charter Amendment—Adding Section 158.2 to the Charter, Relating to the Retirement of Elective Officers.**

Supervisor Arnold presented:

File No. 9240

*Referred to Judiciary Committee.*

**Authorizing Sheriff to Require County Jail Prisoners to Perform Labor on Public Works or Ways, and Authorizing Deductions from Terms of Sentence.**

Supervisor Arnold presented:

File No. 9239, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Judiciary Committee.*

**Memorializing Legislature to Prohibit Conduct of Secret Meetings by Local Governmental Agencies.**

The Clerk presented on behalf of Supervisor Christopher:

File No. 9237, Resolution No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Referred to County, State and National Affairs Committee.*

**Communication from San Francisco Examiner Relative to Slum  
Prevention Program.**

Supervisor Dobbs presented a communication from the San Francisco Examiner, to which was attached a sheaf of clippings purporting to show slum conditions in areas in Pasadena and steps being taken to eradicate them. Clippings likewise illustrated slum conditions in the City and County of San Francisco.

Supervisor Dobbs suggested that meetings be had among city officials with a view to preventing slum conditions throughout the city through the enforcement of health, building, plumbing and other city codes.

Supervisor MacPhee stated that the Real Estate Board was vitally interested in such a proposed program of slum prevention and requested that he as well as the real estate group be informed of such meetings.

*Referred to the Public Buildings, Lands and City Planning Committee.*

**Announcement of Committee Meeting.**

Supervisor Ferdon announced a meeting of the Joint Police and Judiciary Committee for Thursday, July 10, 2 p. m., to consider the airline brokers' ordinance.

**Adopted.**

**Congratulating the Civil Service Association on the Occasion of Its  
Golden Jubilee.**

Supervisor Ferdon presented:

File No. 9238, Resolution No. 12414 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Ferdon moved its adoption; motion seconded by Supervisor Sullivan.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray—4.

**Authorizing Attendance at Meeting of Board of Directors of County  
Supervisors' Association.**

Supervisor Sullivan moved, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, that Supervisor Arnold be authorized, as a representative of this Board, to attend the meeting of the Board of Directors of the County Supervisors' Association to be held at the U. S. Grant Hotel, 10 a. m., Friday, July 25, in San Diego, California.

File No. 9241

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray—4.

**ADJOURNMENT.**

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 3:07 p. m., adjourned.

JOHN R. McGRATH, Clerk

MONDAY, JULY 7, 1952

Approved by the Board of Supervisors July 28, 1952.

I, John R. McGrath, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the date hereon stated and approved as recited.

JOHN R. McGRATH,  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.



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# JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MONDAY, JULY 14, 1952—2:00 P. M.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, July 14, 1952,  
2 00 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

## CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

Quorum present.

President Dewey Mead presiding.

Supervisors Christopher and Mancuso on authorized leaves.

Supervisor McMurray excused due to illness.

Supervisor Sullivan excused due to press of duties as Acting Mayor.

## APPROVAL OF JOURNAL.

The Journal of Proceedings for Monday, June 23, 1952, was considered read and approved.

## Supervisor Sullivan Excused.

Supervisor Sullivan left word requesting that he be excused due to press of official duties in his capacity as Acting Mayor.

No objection and *permission granted.*

## Communications.

From the Parking Authority, estimated cost of land acquisition, construction and purchase of royalty rights for a 100-stall pigeon hole parking garage on the south side of West Portal Avenue between Fourteenth and Fifteenth Avenues.

*Copy to each member of Board: filed.*

From Redwood Empire Association, invitation to participate in "Redwood Empire Day" festivities at the Solano County Fair, Vallejo, California, 11:30 a. m., Friday, July 18, 1952.

*Copy given to each member of Board: filed.*

From Civil Service Association, presented by Supervisor Lewis, proposing a charter amendment, allowance Board to increase retirement allowances of persons retiring under Section 165.2 of Charter.

*Referred to Judiciary Committee.*

## SPECIAL ORDER—2:00 P. M.

## Board of Supervisors Meeting as a Board of Equalization.

File No. 9131

(Pursuant to Resolution No. 12346 (Series of 1939), Board of Supervisors to meet as Board of Equalization to examine the assessment books for the fiscal year 1952-53 and equalize the assessment of property in the City and County of San Francisco, and to continue in session for that purpose from time to time until the business of equalization is disposed of but not later than Monday, July 21, 1952, unless said period is extended.)

July 7, 1952 (Consideration continued to July 14, 1952.

(See Board of Equalization Journal: Vol. 47, No. 29.)

## UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

## Final Passage.

The following recommendations of Finance Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

Appropriating \$1,350, Board of Supervisors, for Actuarial Survey of the Cost of Increasing Retirement Allowances of Retired Employees Whose Pensions Are Based on Sections 165 and 165.1.1 of the Charter.

File No. 9144-1, Ordinance No. 7408 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead 6.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—5.

Appropriating \$960, Public Health, for Rental of Chinese Health Center Located in the Ping Yuen Housing Project.

File No. 9151, Ordinance No. 7409 (Series of 1939).

(Rental of \$80 per month for fiscal year beginning July 1, 1952.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead 6.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—5.

Appropriating \$3,000, Recreation and Park, for a Press Stand and Television and Radio Facilities at Kezar Stadium.

File No. 9065, Ordinance No. 7407 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead 6.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—5.

## Consideration Continued.

(In each of the following cases, where an emergency measure is involved, Supervisor Arnold moved that consideration be deferred for one week due to lack of the required nine votes. Motion seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, and there being no objection, motion *carried*.)

**Appropriating \$5,300, Fire Department, from Emergency Reserve Fund, for Electricity and Gas; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9153, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

July 7, 1952—Consideration continued to July 14, 1952.

*Consideration continued one week.*

**Appropriating \$1,320, Public Health, Laguna Honda Home, for Purchase of Equipment; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9162, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(1 Bread Slicer	\$430
1 Diathermic Machine	890)

July 7, 1952—Consideration continued to July 14, 1952.

*Consideration continued one week.*

**Appropriating \$4,700, Public Health, San Francisco Hospital, for Purchase of Sterilizer; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9163, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

July 7, 1952—Consideration continued to July 14, 1952.

*Consideration continued one week.*

**Appropriating \$1,468, Public Health, Hassler Health Home, for Purchase of Mattresses; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9166, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

July 7, 1952—Consideration continued to July 14, 1952.

*Consideration continued one week.*

#### Consideration Continued.

The following recommendations of Finance Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher.

(On motion of Supervisor Ferdon, seconded by Supervisor Arnold, consideration of the following measures was continued for one week due to the lack of the required nine votes necessary for enactment. No objection and motion carried.)

**Waiving Statute of Limitations, and Authorizing Payment from Employees' Retirement Fund of Warrants to Four Employees.**

File No. 9203, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

(Mary M. Coyle, \$23.89; Gertrude H. Johnson, \$106.95; Herbert B. Jackson, \$50.31; Sidney G. Lippitt, Jr., \$144.85, consisting of return of employee contributions and interest.)

July 7, 1952—Consideration continued to July 14, 1952.

*Consideration continued one week.*

**Appropriating \$2,900, Fire Department, for Holiday Overtime; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9204, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

July 7, 1952—Consideration continued to July 14, 1952.

*Consideration continued one week.*

#### Consideration Continued.

The following recommendation of Judiciary Committee, heretofore considered, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis.

Amending Subdivision C, Section 221, Article 3, Part I of the San Francisco Municipal Code, Relating to the Employees' Retirement System, so as to Allow Attorneys and Physicians in Non-Civil Service Positions, Who Resign and Withdraw Their Contributions from the Retirement System Within Sixty Days Prior to the Date Upon Which They Normally Would Be Required to Retire Because of Age, to Continue to Work for the City and County Under Subsequent Non-Civil Service Appointments, Without Limit as to Age.

File No. 8805, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

July 7, 1952—Consideration continued to July 14, 1952.

Supervisor Arnold moved, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, that consideration of the foregoing measure be continued for one week due to lack of required votes for enactment.

No objection and motion carried.

*Consideration continued one week.*

## NEW BUSINESS.

### Adopted.

The following recommendations of Finance Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, McCarty,

### Authorizing Cancellation of Erroneous Personal Property Assessments.

File No. 7829, Resolution No. 12416 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead—6.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—5.

### Authorizing Cancellation of Erroneous Personal Property Assessments.

File No. 7829, Resolution No. 12417 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead—6.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—5.

### Approving Application of Redevelopment Agency to Housing and Home Finance Administrator for Final Advance of Funds for Completion of Survey and Plans, and for the Preparation of Final Redevelopment Plan for Diamond Heights Approved Project Area B-1.

File No. 8775-2, Resolution No. 12420 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead—6.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—5.

### Waiving Residential Requirements for Class L376, Chief, Division of Venereal Disease Control, Department of Public Health.

File No. 9137, Resolution No. 12424 (Series of 1939).

### Explanation of Vote.

Supervisor MacPhee asserted that the position had not been filled for some time although money for the job had been made available over two years ago. Since the personnel in the Venereal Disease Division had been reduced, the Supervisor saw no reason why the position of Chief could not be dispensed with.

### Privilege of the Floor.

The privilege of the floor was accorded Dr. Ellis D. Sox, Director of Public Health, who stressed the importance of finding a qualified person in order to fully develop control of this important segment of the Health Department's activities.

The roll was thereupon called and the foregoing measure was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, McCarty, Mead—6.

No: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

### Adopted.

Authorizing Payment of \$240 to Lim Park Wah and Ford Lee for Release from All Claims for Damages to Land and Improvements by Reason of Change of Grade in Connection With the Construction of the Broadway Tunnel.

File No. 9215, Resolution No. 12426 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

### Suspension of Rules.

Supervisor Lewis moved, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, that the rules be suspended for the purpose of considering the following measure out of order.

No objection and motion *carried*.

### Consideration Temporarily Postponed.

The following recommendation of County, State and National Affairs Committee was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Lewis, Sullivan.

Opposing Proposed Construction of High Level Steel Bridge Between Richmond and San Rafael.

File No. 9072, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

### Communications.

The Clerk read communications received from C. W. Schedler, relating to the construction of a North Bay barrier; from Gust J. Allyn, Mayor, City of Richmond, and Senator John F. McCarthy of Marin County, both asking that the Board not act on measure opposing proposed construction of high-level steel bridge from Richmond to San Rafael until they have had the opportunity of discussing it in committee.

Supervisor MacPhee suggested that the Regional Service Committee call a meeting of all interested groups on next Wednesday evening, for the purpose of having a thorough discussion.

**Consideration Temporarily Postponed.**

Supervisor MacPhee suggested that the Clerk address a communication to the California Toll Bridge Authority, asking that they postpone any action with respect to the construction of the Richmond-San Rafael Bridge, for a period of thirty days, or until such time as that body hears further from the Board of Supervisors.

Supervisor MacPhee moved temporary postponement to permit the Clerk to ascertain from the Authority's bond attorneys data as to when that body proposed to sell bonds for the contemplated project. Motion seconded by Supervisor Ferdon and their being no objection, motion carried.

*Consideration temporarily postponed.*

**Adopted.**

**Authorizing Purchase of Pipe Line Easement Located in San Mateo County from Harry A. Taylor et ux. for \$750, Required for the Sunset Supply Line.**

File No. 9216, Resolution No. 12427 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

**Authorizing Release of Lien Recorded by the Public Welfare Department for Aid Extended to Ina Hanft, Deceased.**

File No. 9223, Resolution No. 12430 (Series of 1939).

(Full payment of \$749.83 made.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

**Authorizing Release of Lien Recorded by the Public Welfare Department for Aid Extended to Juan and Maria Fabela.**

File No. 9223, Resolution No. 12429 (Series of 1939).

(Full payment of \$178.95 made.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

**Approving Supplemental Recommendations, Public Welfare Department, Relative to Categorical Aids; Letters Dated July 8, 1952.**

File No. 9224, Resolution No. 12431 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

**Authorizing Extension of Grants of Emergency Relief to Dependent Non-Residents for July and August; List Dated July 14, 1952.**

File No. 9225, Resolution No. 12432 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—4.



**Passage for Second Reading.**

**Appropriating \$2,000, Public Works, from Unappropriated Balance of Special Road Improvement Fund, for Paving Unimproved Portions of Innes Avenue Between Mendell and Lane Streets.**

File No. 9179, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

**Authorizing Compromise and Settlement of Claim of Hilde Feibleman Against the City and County by the Payment of \$275.**

File No. 9214, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Personal injuries sustained by reason of alleged defective condition of sidewalk.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

**Appropriating \$1,690, Sheriff, for Temporary Salaries and Overtime.**

File No. 9254, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(For period ending June 30, 1952:

Allowance for Overtime . . . . .	\$1,225
Temporary Salaries . . . . .	465)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

**Adopted.**

The following recommendations of Streets Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Ferdon, Sullivan.

**Ordering the Vacation of a Portion of the Easterly Side of Locksley Avenue North of Moraga Street.**

File No. 6546-2, Resolution No. 12415 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

**Declaring Intention to Order the Vacation of Portions of Thomas Avenue and Conkling Street, Required for School Project No. 66.**

File No. 8231-1, Resolution No. 12418 (Series of 1939).

(Thomas Avenue from Selby Street to 525 feet southeasterly; Conkling Street from southwesterly line of Thomas Avenue to the lot line between Lots 1 and 41, Block 5379, produced southeasterly to the southeasterly line of Conkling Street. In conformity with Master Plan.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

Granting Revocable Permit to Ray F. and Leona J. Forbes to Occupy a Portion of the Sidewalk Area on the Northeasterly Side of De Long Street, Commencing 62.65 Feet Easterly from San Diego Street.

File No. 8533, Resolution No. 12419 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

Authorizing Conveyance of Quitclaim Deed to Vacated Portion of Corwin Street, Near Acme Alley, to E. J. Little et ux.

File No. 9086, Resolution No. 12422 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

Approving Map Showing the Opening of Raleigh Street from Paulding Street to 160 Feet Southwesterly Therefrom, and Declaring the Same to Be an Open, Public Street.

File No. 9231, Resolution No. 12433 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

#### Passage for Second Reading.

Regulating the Construction, Reconstruction or Repair of Private Side Sewers or Drains, and the Connection Thereof With Public Sewers; and Repealing Ordinances Nos. 2216 and 5923 (New Series).

File No. 8644, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

Regulating the Use of Sewers and Drains; the Disposal of Sewage; Use of Garbage Grinders in Individual Dwelling Units and the Discharge of Waters and Wastes into the Public Sewer System, and Providing Penalties for Violation of This Ordinance and Repealing Various Ordinances in Conflict Therewith.

File No. 8645, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

Creating Underground Districts on Portions of Folsom, Twenty-fourth and Clay Streets and Precita Avenue.

File No. 9168, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Underground District No. 131: Folsom Street from southwesterly line of Tenth Street to northeasterly line of Eleventh Street, and from southwesterly line of Eleventh Street to southerly line of Sixteenth Street.

Underground District No. 132: Twenty-fourth Street from easterly line of South Van Ness Avenue to westerly line of Potrero Avenue, and from easterly line of Potrero Avenue to easterly line of San Bruno Avenue.

Underground District No. 133: Precita Avenue from westerly line of Folsom Street to the southerly line of Army Street.

Underground District No. 134: Clay Street from the easterly line of Scott Street to the easterly line of Arguello Boulevard.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

Accepting the Roadway and Curbs of Mercury Street from Thornton Avenue to 180 Feet More or Less Southerly, and the Crossing of Carroll Avenue and Ingalls Street.

File No. 9202, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

Conditionally Accepting the Roadways and Curbs of Portions of Army, Marin and Michigan Streets, Including Certain Crossings.

File No. 9219, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(Army Street between the west line of Michigan Street and 640 feet east to the former east line of Louisiana Street, including the crossing of Army and Michigan Streets; Marin Street between the west line of Illinois Street and the east line of Michigan Street, including the crossings of Marin Street at Illinois and Michigan Streets; Michigan Street between Army and Marin Streets, except those portions required by law to be kept in order by the railroad company having tracks thereon, and the curbs.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

**Adopted.**

Authorizing Execution of Supplemental Agreement With the State of California Modifying Plan for the Vacation, Relocation and Reconstruction of Certain Streets Made Necessary by Construction of Bayshore Freeway.

File No. 9152, Resolution No. 12425 (Series of 1939).

(Not in conflict with the Master Plan.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

**Recommendation Adopted.**

The following measure from Streets Committee, with recommendation that appeal be sustained, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Ferdon, Sullivan.

**Hearing of Protests in Connection With the Improvement of Campbell Avenue Between Brussels and Goettingen Streets, Including the Intersection of Campbell Avenue and Goettingen Street.**

File No. 6840

(The Board of Supervisors at its meeting on Monday, June 16, 1952, heard protestants in connection with the foregoing improvement, and the matter was subsequently referred to committee for further study and action. The committee now recommends that the Board direct the Director of Public Works to amend the assessment schedule by cancelling the assessment on Lots 3 to 11, inclusive, Block 6202, and on Lots 1, 1a, 1b, 2 and 4, Block 6206, and that the assessment levied on the remainder of the lots within the assessment district be confirmed.)

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Ferdon moved adoption of the foregoing recommendation; motion seconded by Supervisor MacPhee.

No objection and motion *carried*.

**Request of Supervisor Ferdon.**

Supervisor Ferdon requested that the Clerk of the Board take appropriate steps to initiate legislation which will appropriate the requisite amount of funds to cover the assessment costs authorized by the Board.

No objection and so *ordered*.

**Adopted.**

The following recommendation of Police Committee was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon.

**Deleting Intersection of Nineteenth Avenue (Northbound Traffic) into Winston Drive from the List of Intersections at Which Left-Hand Turns Are Prohibited at All Times, and Repealing Resolution No. 12288 (Series of 1939).**

File No. 9008-1, Resolution No. 12421 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

**Consideration Continued.**

The following recommendation of Judiciary Committee was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon.

**Declaring Intention to Discontinue and Abandon the Use of Columbia Square as a Public Park, and Fixing Date for Public Hearing.**

File No. 8738, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

**Refused Adoption.**

Measure *refused adoption* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty—5.

Noes: Supervisors Lewis, Mead—2.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

**Motion to Rescind.**

Supervisor Lewis moved that the Board rescind its action whereby it had refused to adopt the foregoing measure. Motion seconded by Supervisor MacPhee, and there being no objection, motion *carried*.

**Explanation of Vote.**

Supervisor Lewis explained that he believed that a school should not be built in the subject area because it was considered a slum district, and that the children of that neighborhood should be permitted to attend other schools and mingle with other children in better environments.

**Motion to Defer Consideration.**

Supervisor Dobbs moved, seconded by Supervisor MacPhee, that consideration of the foregoing measure be continued for one week.

No objection and motion *carried*.

*Consideration continued one week.*

**Adopted.**

The following recommendations of County, State and National Affairs Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Lewis, Sullivan.

**Urging Construction of Adequate Highway Through Sierra Nevada Mountains to San Francisco.**

File No. 9107, Resolution No. 12423 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

**Requesting Management of California State Fair to Proclaim "San Francisco Day" at the California State Fair.**

File No. 9269, Resolution No. 12434 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

**Urging Meeting With Bay Area Officials for the Purpose of Discussing Mutual Problems.**

File No. 9271, Resolution No. 12435 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

**Motion Adopted.****Motion Suggesting Meeting With Boards of Supervisors of Contra Costa, Alameda, Marin and Santa Clara Counties.**

File No. 9270

(It is moved that the President of the Board be authorized, on behalf of the Board of Supervisors, to write a letter to the Presidents of the Boards of Supervisors of Contra Costa, Alameda, Marin and Santa Clara Counties, asking if they would not like to sit down with our Board and break bread with us, for the purpose of discussing mutual problems.)

Supervisor Lewis moved adoption of the foregoing motion; motion seconded by Supervisor MacPhee.

Motion adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

#### Resumption of Consideration of File No. 9072, Relating to the Proposed Construction of the Richmond-San Rafael Bridge.

Consideration of the foregoing measure was resumed, the Chief Administrative Officer reporting that advice received from the bond attorneys' office revealed that studies were now being undertaken by the Toll Bridge Authority with respect to the construction of the proposed bridge and that such studies would take about four or five months to complete.

#### Motion to Hold Hearing.

Supervisor MacPhee thereupon moved, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, that the Regional Service Committee call a meeting to be held on Wednesday evening, July 30, and invite thereto representatives of the California Toll Bridge Authority, the State Legislative Representative, C. W. Schedler, the Mayor of the City of Richmond, State Senator John F. McCarthy of Marin County and all other interested parties, for the purpose of discussing and clarifying San Francisco's position with respect to the proposed construction.

No objection and motion *carried*.

#### Consideration of Measure Deferred.

Supervisor MacPhee moved, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, that consideration of the pending measure be continued for a period of three weeks.

No objection and motion *carried*.

*Consideration of File No. 9072 continued for three week.*

#### OFF-CALENDAR LEGISLATION.

The following recommendation of his Honor the Mayor was presented by the Clerk:

Adopted.

Leaves of Absence—Harold L. Zellerbach, President of the Art Commission, for Ten Days from July 12; Francis P. Walsh, President of the Civil Service Commission, July 11-13; John Barney Rodgers, Art Commissioner, July 20-September 15, 1952, All With Permission to Leave the State.

File No. 9220, Resolution No. 12428 (Series of 1939).

#### Motion to Adopt.

Supervisor Arnold moved adoption; motion seconded by Supervisor Dobbs.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF MEASURES AND  
COMMUNICATIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED  
UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

References to Committee.

Appropriating \$24,606, San Francisco Disaster Corps, for Purchase of  
Communication Equipment.

Supervisor Arnold presented:

File No. 9266, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

Amending Section 36 of the Charter, Relating to Members of Marine  
Crews of Fire Boats.

Supervisor Arnold presented:

File No. 9277

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

Amending Section 36 of the Charter, Relating to Hours Worked in the  
Fire Department, to Permit Members on Special Details to Work  
Hours Other Than Those Assigned to Members on Fire Duty.

Supervisor Arnold presented:

File No. 9278

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

Amending Section 172 of the Charter, Relating to Disability Benefits for  
Bodily Injury or Illness Suffered by Members of the Fire and Police  
Departments and to Service Credit During Disability, by Adding  
Thereto Members Covered by Section 169 of the Charter.

Supervisor Arnold presented on behalf of Supervisor Sullivan:

File No. 9279

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

Fixing Schedules of Compensation, Effective July 1, 1952, to Be Paid  
Certain Employees Subject to the Provisions of Section 151.3 of the  
Charter.

Supervisor Arnold presented:

File No. 8865-1, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

Directing Investigation of Necessity for Continuance of Rent Controls  
in San Francisco.

Supervisor Lewis presented:

File No. 9273, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to County, State and National Affairs Committee.*

Endorsing Establishment of a Central Airport Transportation Bus  
Terminal.

Supervisor Lewis presented:

File No. 9272, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Public Utilities Committee.*

Memorializing Congress to Revise Its Financing so as to Assure Con-  
tinuance of the G.I. Home Building Program.

Supervisor MacPhee presented:

File No. 9274, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to County, State and National Affairs Committee.*

**Adding Section 36.4 to the Charter by Authorizing Appointment of the Chief of Fire Department of a Supervisor of Personnel from the Rank of Captain.**

Supervisor McCarty presented:

File No. 9280

*Referred to Judiciary Committee.*

**Adding Section 145.01 to the Charter, Defining Time of War for Purposes of Civil Service Qualifications and Tests.**

Supervisor McCarty presented:

File No. 9281

*Referred to Judiciary Committee.*

**Adopted.**

**Requesting Mayor to Proclaim Week of July 13-19, 1952, as "Ernie Smith Week."**

Supervisor Mead presented:

File No. 9275, Resolution No. 12436 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Arnold moved adoption; motion seconded by Supervisor Ferdon.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

**Adopted.**

**Commending Press, Radio and Television for Complete Coverage of Republican Party National Convention.**

Supervisor MacPhee presented:

File No. 9276, Resolution No. 12437 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor MacPhee moved adoption; motion seconded by Supervisor McCarty.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

**Supervisor McMurray Excused.**

Supervisor McMurray left word that he be excused from Board attendance for the next three weeks due to illness.

There being no objection, *permission granted.*

**Congratulations Extended.**

As each Supervisor rose on roll call, congratulations were extended to Chief Assistant Clerk Robert J. Dolan upon his success in passing the state bar examination.

**ADJOURNMENT.**

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 5:30 p. m., adjourned.

JOHN R. McGRATH, Clerk.



Approved by the Board of Supervisors August 4, 1952.

I, John R. McGrath, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the date hereon stated and approved as recited.

JOHN R. McGRATH,  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors







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# JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MONDAY, JULY 14, 1952—2.00 P. M.

In the Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, July 14, 1952, 2 00 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met, sitting as a Board of Equalization, to hear applicants who had filed petitions for reductions or corrections of assessments on their property as shown on the assessment roll for the fiscal year 1952-53.

## CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent—Supervisors Christopher, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

Quorum present

President Dewey Mead presiding.

Supervisors Christopher and Mancuso on authorized leaves.

Supervisor McMurray absent due to illness.

Supervisor Sullivan excused due to press of official duties as Acting Mayor

## Administration of Oath.

Before the first applicant shown below was heard, an oath was administered to the Director of Property and to the Assessor and his staff, with respect to the value of the property involved.

Name of Applicant	Lot	Block	Building	Land	Equalization Requested
1. Weiss, Gizella and Alexander	38-39	5721	\$ 1,150	\$ 1,530	Land

The applicant was examined under oath as to the value of the property and the Director of Property recommended no reduction of assessment and that the application be denied.

Recommendation confirmed by the following vote.

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent—Supervisors Christopher, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

## Consideration Continued.

Name of Applicant	Lot	Block	Building	Land	Equalization Requested
2. Ozanie Jacob	7	273	\$ 4,300	\$ 3,110	Bldg.

The applicant was examined under oath as to the value of the property and the Director of Property recommended no reduction of assessment and that the application be denied.

Supervisor MacPhee moved, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, that consideration of the foregoing application be continued for one week to permit further investigation.

No objection and motion carried.

Consideration continued one week.

**Applications Withdrawn.**

Name of Applicant	Lot	Block	Building	Land	Equalization Requested
3. Page, E. J.	14-C	726	\$25,500	\$ 3,030	Bldg.

*Application withdrawn.*

4. McSheehy, R. J.,  
Virginia and  
Mrs V. E.
- |   |      |        |       |       |
|---|------|--------|-------|-------|
| 6 | 3534 | 11,900 | 3,400 | Bldg. |
|---|------|--------|-------|-------|

*Application withdrawn.***Application Denied.**

5. Alberigi, Abel and  
Elizabeth
- |    |     |       |       |      |
|----|-----|-------|-------|------|
| 22 | 149 | 3,400 | 1,770 | Land |
|----|-----|-------|-------|------|

The applicant was examined under oath as to the value of the property and the Director of Property recommended no reduction of assessment and that the application be denied.

Recommendation *confirmed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

**Consideration Continued.**

6. Shamlan, Edward J.  
and Roxie
- |   |      |       |     |       |
|---|------|-------|-----|-------|
| 3 | 6588 | 3,100 | 240 | Bldg. |
|---|------|-------|-----|-------|

The applicant was examined under oath as to the value of the property and the Director of Property recommended no reduction of assessment and that the application be denied.

Supervisor MacPhee moved, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, that consideration of the foregoing measure be continued for one week to permit him to visit the premises.

No objection and motion *carried*.

*Consideration continued one week.*

**Consideration Continued.**

- | Name of Applicant | Lot      | Block | Building | Land | Equalization Requested |
|-------------------|----------|-------|----------|------|------------------------|
| 7. Brignac, L. J. | 13-14-15 | 7059  |          | 650  | Land                   |

The Clerk informed the Board that the applicant was hospitalized and had requested that a week's postponement be granted. Supervisor MacPhee thereupon moved, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, that consideration of the foregoing application be continued for one week.

No objection and motion *carried*.

*Consideration continued one week.*

**Application Denied.**

- | Name of Applicant   | Lot | Block | Building | Land     | Equalization Requested |
|---------------------|-----|-------|----------|----------|------------------------|
| 8. O'Leary, Patrick | 26  | 3578  | \$ 4,050 | \$ 1,330 | Bldg.                  |

The applicant's wife, Mrs. Elizabeth O'Leary, was examined under oath as to the value of the property and the Director of Property recommended no reduction in assessment and that the application be denied.

Recommendation *confirmed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—4.



## Application Withdrawn.

Name of Applicant	Lot	Block	Building	Land	Equalization Requested
9. Shea, Lucy	13	848	\$ 2,200	\$ 2,330	Bldg. & Land

The Clerk informed the Board that the applicant desired to have her application withdrawn. There being no objection, application *withdrawn*.

## Applications Denied.

Name of Applicant	Lot	Block	Building	Land	Equalization Requested
10. Sakai, T	6A	661	\$ 4,450	\$ 1,770	Bldg.

The applicant was examined under oath as to the value of the property and the Director of Property recommended no reduction of assessment and that the application be denied.

Recommendation *confirmed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

Name of Applicant	Lot	Block	Building	Land	Equalization Requested
11. Machi, Maria	13	92	\$ 2,150	\$ 780	Bldg.

Applicant did not appear; however, the Director of Property recommended no reduction of assessment and that the applicant be denied.

Recommendation *confirmed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

## Consideration Continued.

Name of Applicant	Lot	Block	Building	Land	Equalization Requested
12. Underhill, Kate C., Estate of	31	101	\$11,350	\$ 7,970	Bldg & Land

The Clerk informed the Board that request had been received that consideration of the foregoing measure be continued for one week.

No objection and *so ordered*.

*Consideration continued one week.*

## Application Denied.

Name of Applicant	Lot	Block	Building	Land	Equalization Requested
13. Eterovich, Ivan	3b	6969	\$ 6,000	\$ 1,900	Bldg.

The applicant was examined under oath as to the value of the property and the Director of Property recommended no reduction of assessment and that the application be denied.

Recommendation *confirmed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

## Consideration Continued.

Name of Applicant	Lot	Block	Building	Land	Equalization Requested
14. Noack, Frederick A. and Nelly	40	1758	\$15,000	\$ 1,550	Bldg.

The applicant was examined under oath as to the value of the property and the Director of Property recommended no reduction of assessment and that the application be denied.

Supervisor MacPhee moved, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, that consideration of the foregoing application be continued for one week to permit investigation of the premises.

No objection and motion *carried*.

*Consideration continued one week.*

## Applications Denied.

Name of Applicant	Lot	Block	Building	Land	Equalization Requested
15. Paradise Mission Baptist Church	8	7046	\$ 400	\$ 1,370	Bldg. & Land

The applicant was examined under oath as to the value of the property and the Director of Property recommended no reduction of assessment and that the application be denied.

The Board was advised by Assessor Wolden that if it was the desire of the Church to claim total exemption, an affidavit should have been executed in March as required by law, and that under the circumstances, the Board could not grant the request. The representative of the Church was accordingly apprised of the correct procedure.

Recommendation *confirmed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

Name of Applicant	Lot	Block	Building	Land	Equalization Requested
16. Plamondon, H. J.	24	1376	\$13,750	\$ 2,760	Bldg.

The applicant was examined under oath as to the value of the property and the Director of Property recommended no reduction of assessment and that the application be denied.

Recommendation *confirmed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

## Application Withdrawn.

Name of Applicant	Lot	Block	Building	Land	Equalization Requested
17. Weik, Maurice	7	321	\$33,500	\$11,250	Bldg. & Land

The Clerk informed the Board that the applicant desired to have his request for reduction of assessment withdrawn.

No objection and application *withdrawn*.

## RECESS.

There being no further applications to consider, Supervisor Ferdon moved, seconded by Supervisor MacPhee, that the Board now recess as a Board of Equalization, to meet again at 2:00 p. m., Monday, July 21, 1952. No objection and motion *carried*.

Board of Equalization recessed at 3:35 p. m.

JOHN R. McGRATH, Clerk.

## MONDAY, JULY 21, 1952—2:00 P. M.

In the Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, July 21, 1952, 2:00 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met, sitting as a Board of Equalization, to hear applicants who had filed petitions for reductions or corrections of assessments on their property as shown on the assessment roll for the fiscal year 1952-53.

## CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present.

Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—6.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Lewis, McCarty, McMurray—5

Quorum present.

President Dewey Mead presiding.

Supervisors Arnold and McCarty noted present at 2:25 p. m.

Supervisor Lewis noted present at 2:15 p. m.

Supervisor Christopher on authorized leave.

Supervisor McMurray on sick leave.

## Administration of Oath.

Before the first applicant shown below was heard, an oath was administered to the Director of Property and to the Assessor and his staff, with respect to the value of the property involved.

## Consideration Continued from July 14, 1952.

	Name of Applicant	Lot	Block	Building	Land	Equalization Requested
2	Oranic, Jacob	7	278	\$ 4,800	\$ 3,110	Bldg.

The applicant was examined under oath as to the value of the property and the Director of Property recommended no reduction of assessment and that the application be denied.

*Recommendation confirmed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—6

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Lewis, McCarty, McMurray—5

## Consideration Temporarily Deferred.

	Name of Applicant	Lot	Block	Building	Land	Equalization Requested
6	Shamlan, Edward J. and Roxie	3	6533	\$ 3,100	\$ 230	Bldg.

The applicant was examined under oath as to the value of the property and the Director of Property recommended no reduction of assessment and that the application be denied.

Consideration of the foregoing application was temporarily postponed pending receipt of certain information from the Assessor.

**Application Denied.**

Name of Applicant	Lot	Block	Building	Land	Equalization Requested
7. Brignac, L. J.	13-14-15	7059		650	Land

Applicant was not present; however, the Director of Property recommended no reduction of assessment and that the application be denied.

Recommendation confirmed by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Excused from voting: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray—2.

**Consideration Temporarily Postponed.**

Name of Applicant	Lot	Block	Building	Land	Equalization Requested
12. Underhill, Kate C., Estate of .....	31	101	\$11,350	\$ 7,970	Bldg. & Land

There being no objection, consideration of the foregoing application was temporarily postponed.

**Applications Denied.**

Name of Applicant	Lot	Block	Building	Land	Equalization Requested
14. Noack, Frederick A. and Nelly .....	40	1758	\$15,000	\$ 1,550	Bldg.

Applicant was not present; however, the Director of Property recommended no reduction of assessment and that the application be denied.

Recommendation confirmed by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray—2.

Name of Applicant	Lot	Block	Building	Land	Equalization Requested
6. Shamlian, Edward J. and Roxie .....	3	6588	\$ 3,100	\$ 240	Bldg.

The applicant was examined under oath as to the value of the property and the Director of Property recommended no reduction of assessment and that the application be denied.

Recommendation confirmed by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray—2.

**New Applications.**

Name of Applicant	Lot	Block	Building	Land	Equalization Requested
18. Erea, Gus; Vangele, Vastle, Barako, Sturgio .....	11	330	\$ 8,000	\$19,650	Bldg. & Land

Applicants were not present; however, the Director of Property recommended a reduction of \$500 of the amount assessed on the building.

Accordingly, Supervisor Mancuso moved that the recommendation of the Director of Property be confirmed.

Motion lost for want of a second.

The Assessor was asked to express his opinion in connection with the recommendation of the Director of Property, and he stated he did not object to it but warned that the property would again be subject to examination next year.

**Motion Made.**

Supervisor Mancuso renewed his motion that the recommendation of the Director of Property be confirmed.

**Applicants Must Be Present.**

The Clerk of the Board reminded the members that the provisions of the Revenue and Taxation Code called for the presence of applicants who had filed for reduction of assessments and that the Board could not approve any reduction unless such applicant or applicants were present.

**Consideration Temporarily Postponed.**

Supervisor MacPhee requested that the Sergeant-at-Arms make an attempt to have the interested applicants appear before the Board, and accordingly asked temporary postponement.

No objection and so ordered.

*Consideration temporarily postponed.*

**Reduction Granted.**

Name of Applicant	Lot	Block	Building	Land	Equalization Requested
19. Kahil, Nasir and Yasmine	3d	1771	\$14,750	\$ 1,590	Bldg. & Land

The applicant was examined under oath as to the value of the property and the Director of Property recommended no reduction of assessment and that the application be denied.

**Motion for Reduction.**

Supervisor Arnold moved, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, that the assessment on the building be reduced from \$14,750 to \$12,500.

There being no objection, motion was *withdrawn*.

**Motion for Reduction.**

Supervisor Arnold moved, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, that the assessment on the building be reduced from \$14,750 to \$13,500.

Motion *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty—6

Noes: Supervisors Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—3

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray—2

**Applications Denied.**

Name of Applicant	Lot	Block	Building	Land	Equalization Requested
20. Couches, S	41	1703	\$ 2,000	\$ 750	Bldg. & Land

The applicant was examined under oath as to the value of the property and the Director of Property recommended no reduction of assessment and that the application be denied.

Recommendation *confirmed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—6

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, McMurray, Sullivan—5.

Name of Applicant	Lot	Block	Building	Land	Equalization Requested
21. Rucker, Magnhild	25	2335-A	\$ 1,800	\$ 640	Bldg.

The applicant was examined under oath as to the value of the property and the Director of Property recommended no reduction of assessment and that the application be denied.

Recommendation *confirmed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, McMurray—3.

#### Application Withdrawn.

The Clerk informed the members of the Board that he had just received telephonic advice from the interested applicants, designated No. 18, Gus Ercia et al., that they did not wish to have their application considered. Accordingly, Supervisor MacPhee moved, seconded by Supervisor Mead, that the subject application be withdrawn.

No objection and application *withdrawn*.

#### Applications Denied.

Name of Applicant	Lot	Block	Building	Land	Equalization Requested
22. Davis, Alvin	5	603	\$ 5,850	\$ 6,850	Bldg. & Land

The applicant was examined under oath as to the value of the property and the Director of Property recommended no reduction of assessment and that the application be denied.

Recommendation *confirmed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray—2.

Name of Applicant	Lot	Block	Building	Land	Equalization Requested
23. Johnson, John and Hazel	57	5501	\$30,000	\$ 1,650	Bldg.

The applicant was examined under oath as to the value of the property and the Director of Property recommended no reduction of assessment and that the application be denied.

Recommendation *confirmed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray—2.

Name of Applicant	Lot	Block	Building	Land	Equalization Requested
24. Mula, Mary A.	1-A	5273	\$ 2,750	\$ 330	Bldg.

Applicant was not present; however, the Director of Property recommended no reduction of assessment and that the application be denied.

Recommendation *confirmed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray—2.

Name of Applicant	Lot	Block	Building	Land	Equalization Requested
25. Lung, Tom S. et al	2	192	\$16,850	\$ 3,450	Bldg.

The applicant's attorney, John A. MacDonald, was examined under oath as to the value of the property and the Director of Property recommended no reduction and that the application be denied.

Recommendation *confirmed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray—2.

	Name of Applicant	Lot	Block	Building	Land	Equalization Requested
26	Lung, Tom S. et al	1	192	\$28,100	\$15,710	Bldg.

The applicant's attorney, John A. MacDonald, was examined under oath as to the value of the property and the Director of Property recommended no reduction and that the application be denied.

Recommendation *confirmed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray—2.

	Name of Applicant	Lot	Block	Building	Land	Equalization Requested
27	Bing Lum Chin	9	156	\$ 4,350	\$ 1,190	Bldg.

The applicant's attorney, John A. MacDonald, was examined under oath as to the value of the property and the Director of Property recommended no reduction and that the application be denied.

Recommendation *confirmed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray—2.

	Name of Applicant	Lot	Block	Building	Land	Equalization Requested
28	Spencer, Al	23	3631	\$ 5,750	\$ 1,270	Bldg.

The applicant was not present; however, the Director of Property recommended no reduction of assessment and that the application be denied.

Recommendation *confirmed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray—2.

	Name of Applicant	Lot	Block	Building	Land	Equalization Requested
29	Bernard, Ignatz	10	3567	\$ 6,100	\$ 2,160	Bldg.

The applicant was examined under oath as to the value of the property and the Director of Property recommended no reduction of assessment and that the application be denied.

Recommendation *confirmed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray—2.

	Name of Applicant	Lot	Block	Building	Land	Equalization Requested
30	Lane, Clifford L.	13	6921	\$ 2,700	\$ 970	Bldg.

The applicant was examined under oath as to the value of the property and the Director of Property recommended no reduction of assessment and that the application be denied.

Recommendation *confirmed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray—2.

**Reduction Granted.**

Name of Applicant	Lot	Block	Building	Land	Equalization Requested
31. Kolb, Fred W.	14-A	120	\$ 4,500	\$ 950	Bldg. & Land

The applicant was examined under oath as to the value of the property and the Director of Property recommended no reduction of assessment and that the application be denied.

**Motion to Reduce Assessment.**

The Assessor was asked if he saw any objection to a proposal to reduce the land assessment from \$950 to \$760. Mr. Wolden stated he saw no objection; thereupon Supervisor Lewis moved, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, that the assessment of \$950 levied on the land be reduced to \$760.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray—2.

**Application on Building Denied.**

Supervisor Arnold moved, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, that the Director of Property's recommendation with respect to the request for reduction of assessment on the building, be confirmed.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray—2.

**Motion to Rescind.**

Supervisor Sullivan moved, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, that the Board rescind its action whereby it had granted a reduction of assessment in connection with the application filed by Nasir and Yasmine Kahil, designated as Application No. 19.

No objection and motion *carried*.

**Motion to Reduce Assessment.**

Thereupon Supervisor Ferdon moved, seconded by Supervisor Arnold, that the assessment of \$14,750 levied on the building be reduced to \$13,500.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, Sullivan—7.

Noes: Supervisors Mancuso, Mead—2.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray—2.

**Request for Reduction.**

32. Central Credit Company—Request for reduction of personal property assessment.

**Privilege of the Floor.**

The privilege of the floor was extended to Attorney Robert E. Zang, representing the Central Credit Company, who informed the Board that the application before it involved two legal questions dealing with (1) basis used for assessing of furniture and (2) the right of the Assessor to assess personal property in the possession of the company as pledgee, to insure repaying of promissory notes on loans issued.



### Point of Order.

Supervisor McCarty rose to a point of order, stating that the subject matter had been before the Finance Committee and that the Clerk of the Committee had been instructed to communicate with the City Attorney for the purpose of ascertaining if the Board of Supervisors, whether sitting as a Board of Equalization or not, had the power to act on the complaint filed by the Central Credit Company. The Committee to date had not received a reply and the Board should not take action on the subject matter until the City Attorney had rendered an opinion.

Attorney Robert Zang expressed the opinion that the Board had jurisdiction in the matter.

### Point of Order Well Taken.

The President ruled the point of order well taken.

Supervisor Mancuso stated he believed the Board should deny the request since there appears to be a question of the Board's jurisdiction over the matter.

The President ruled that the Board could not act on the matter until it had received an opinion from the City Attorney.

Supervisor MacPhee expressed the view that he believed Supervisor Mancuso's conclusions sound.

Attorney Robert Zang asserted that the provisions of Section 4936 of the Revenue and Taxation Code clearly gave the Board jurisdiction over personal property taxes, and that the assessments levied on his client should have been levied on two owners.

### Motions to Deny Application.

Supervisor Mancuso moved, seconded by Supervisor Arnold, that the Board uphold the assessment and deny the request of the applicant, based on the ground that this Board of Supervisors, sitting as a Board of Equalization, does not have jurisdiction to determine the legality of the assessment made by the Assessor's office on the pledged property and solvent credit.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—3.

Absent—Supervisors Christopher, McMurray, Sullivan—3.

To a query propounded to the Assessor, Mr. Wolden replied that his office customarily took 25 per cent of the original cost when computing assessment on office equipment, and that this procedure had been generally followed in all cases.

Supervisor Arnold, noting that the only remaining item in the application of the Central Credit Company was that concerning the office equipment, moved, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, that the applicant's petition be denied.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—3.

Absent—Supervisors Christopher, McMurray, Sullivan—3.

### Reduction Granted.

Name of Applicant	Lot	Block	Building	Value	Reduction
Hansen, Robert A.	12	556	S B, 650	\$ 6,000	Blg.

The applicant was examined under oath as to the value of the property and the Director of Property recommended a reduction of \$300 in the building assessment.

**Request for Information.**

Supervisor MacPhee requested the Assessor to furnish him with information as to the amount and the reason for the assessment on the property located at 2131 Vallejo Street, since it was contended by applicant Robert A. Hansen that his assessment was out of proportion to the assessment levied on the property located at 2131 Vallejo Street.

No objection and so ordered.

**Motion to Reduce Assessment.**

Supervisor Mancuso moved, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, that the assessment levied on the building be reduced from \$8,650 to \$8,350.

Motion *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, McMurray—3.

**Resumption of Consideration of Application No. 12.**

12. Consideration was resumed on Application No. 12, having been filed for the Estate of Kate C. Underhill.

**Motion to Deny Application.**

No applicant or representative appeared; however, the Director of Property recommended no reduction of assessment and that the application be denied.

Recommendation *confirmed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, McMurray—3.

**Application Withdrawn.**

34. Harney, Charles L. 8, 10 3807 \$49,050 \$17,640 Bldg.

The Director of Property informed the Board that he had received word from Mr. Harney's representative, Mr. Jack Dooling, that Mr. Harney desired to withdraw his application.

No objection and application *withdrawn*.

**Concluding Parliamentary Motions.**

The President inquired whether or not there are, among those present in the Chambers, any who have not been heard with respect to applications which they had filed. No one responded.

1. Supervisor Sullivan thereupon moved, seconded by Supervisor Arnold, that any applications for equalization of assessments, not otherwise acted upon, be denied.

Motion *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray—2.

2. Supervisor Sullivan moved, seconded by Supervisor Arnold, that the Clerical Error List, applicable to the Assessment Roll for 1952-53, presented by the Assessor, be approved.

**Request for Information.**

Before Board action was taken on the foregoing motion, Supervisor MacPhee informed the Board that he had attempted to procure information from the Assessor's office relative to the assessment of an individual piece of property located within the Metropolitan

project but had been denied that right and was told that he could be given the assessment for the entire project but not on an individual basis.

The Assessor was called upon to explain and he stated that at the moment the assessment rolls were in the hands of the Board and that the assessment value of the entire Metropolitan project totaled some \$16,000,000. With respect to individual units, there were certain records which were considered confidential and that to release such information may cause embarrassment to the taxpayers.

The Assessor concluded his statement by declaring that he desired that the Board be furnished with all available information but that he was powerless to supply Supervisor MacPhee with the data he requested.

#### Motion.

Supervisor MacPhee moved, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, that the Assessor be requested to supply the required information relating to the assessment on a particular building located within the Metropolitan project.

There being no objection, motion *withdrawn*.

#### Revenue and Taxation Section Read.

The Assessor read the following section from the Revenue and Taxation Code: "403. Records not regarded as public documents: Inspection of. Any information and records in the assessor's office which are not required by law to be kept or prepared by the assessor are not public documents and shall not be open to public inspection."

#### Motion Renewed.

Supervisor MacPhee renewed his motion heretofore made, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, that the Assessor be requested to supply the required information relating to the assessment of a particular building located within the Metropolitan project.

#### Motion Ruled Out of Order.

The President of the Board ruled the foregoing motion out of order in view of the language of Section 403 of the Revenue and Taxation Code just read by the Assessor.

Supervisor Lewis stated he was opposed to the method being employed by Supervisor MacPhee to delay concluding actions by the Board of Equalization, and that information desired by Supervisor MacPhee should be a matter solely between the Supervisor and the Assessor.

While the discussion continued as to whether or not the Assessor should or could provide Supervisor MacPhee with the information he asked for, the Assessor's office proceeded to supply the Supervisor with the necessary information. The Supervisor thereupon thanked the entire Board for their patience and kindness in permitting him so much time in obtaining the data he sought.

#### Concluding Parliamentary Motions (Continued).

##### Motion Approving Clerical Error List.

Consideration was now given to the motion heretofore made by Supervisor Sullivan, seconded by Supervisor Arnold, that the Clerical Error List, applicable to the Assessment Roll for 1952-1953, presented by the Assessor, be approved.

Motion *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray, Sullivan—3.

**Complete List of Applications for Correction or Reduction of Assessments Filed With the Board of Supervisors, Sitting as a Board of Equalization.**

Name of Applicant	Block	Lot	Building	Land
1. Weiss, Gizella and Alexander	38-39	5721	\$ 1,150	\$ 1,580
2. Ozanic, Jacob	7	278	4,800	3,110
3. Page, E. J.	14-C	726	25,500	3,030
4. McSheehy, R. J., Virginia and Mrs V. E.	6	3534	11,900	3,400
5. Alberigi, Abel and Elizabeth	22	149	3,400	1,770
6. Shamlian, Edward J. and Roxie	3	6588	3,100	240
7. Brignac, L. J.	13, 14, 15	7059		650
8. O'Leary, Patrick	26	3578	4,050	1,330
9. Shea, Lucy	13	848	2,200	2,330
10. Sakai, T.	6-A	661	4,450	1,770
11. Machi, Maria	13	92	2,150	780
12. Underhill, Kate C., Estate of	31	101	11,350	7,970
13. Eterovich, Ivan	3-B	6969	6,000	1,900
14. Noack, Frederick A. and Nelly	40	1758	15,000	1,550
15. Paradise Mission Baptist Church	8	7046	400	1,370
16. Plamondon, H. J.	24	1376	13,750	2,760
17. Weil, Maurice	7	321	33,500	11,250
18. Ercu, Gus; Vangele, Vasile; Burako, Stergio	11	330	8,000	19,650
19. Kalil, Nasir and Yasmine	3-D	1771	14,750	1,590
20. Coutches, S.	41	1703	2,000	750
21. Rocker, Magnhild	25	2335-A	1,800	640
22. Davis, Alvin	5	603	5,850	6,850
23. Johnson, John and Hazel	57	5501	30,000	1,650
24. Mula, Mary A.	1-A	5273	2,750	330
25. Lung, Tom S. et al	2	192	16,850	8,450
26. Lung, Tom S. et al	1	192	28,100	15,710
27. Bing, Lum Chin	9	156	4,350	1,190
28. Spencer, Al	23	3631	5,750	1,270
29. Berman, Ignatz	10	3567	6,100	2,160
30. Lame, Clifford L.	18	6921	2,700	970
31. Kolb, Fred W.	14-A	120	4,500	950
32. Central Credit Co.	Personal Property Assessment			
33. Hansen, Robert Allan	12	556	8,650	6,000
34. Harney, Charles L.	8, 10	3807	49,050	17,640

**Reductions Granted.**

Name of Applicant	Lot	Block	Building	Land	Reduced to	Reduction of
19. Kalil, Nasir and Yasmine	3-D	1771	\$14,750		\$13,500	\$1,250
31. Kolb, Fred W.	14-A	120		950	760	190
33. Hansen, Robert Allan	12	556	8,650		8,350	300

**Motion Adjourning Board of Equalization.**

Supervisor Mead moved, seconded by Supervisor Arnold, that all applicants present having been heard, and all applications having been considered and acted upon, the Board of Supervisors, sitting as a Board of Equalization for the fiscal year 1952-1953, adjourn.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray, Sullivan—3.

ADJOURNMENT

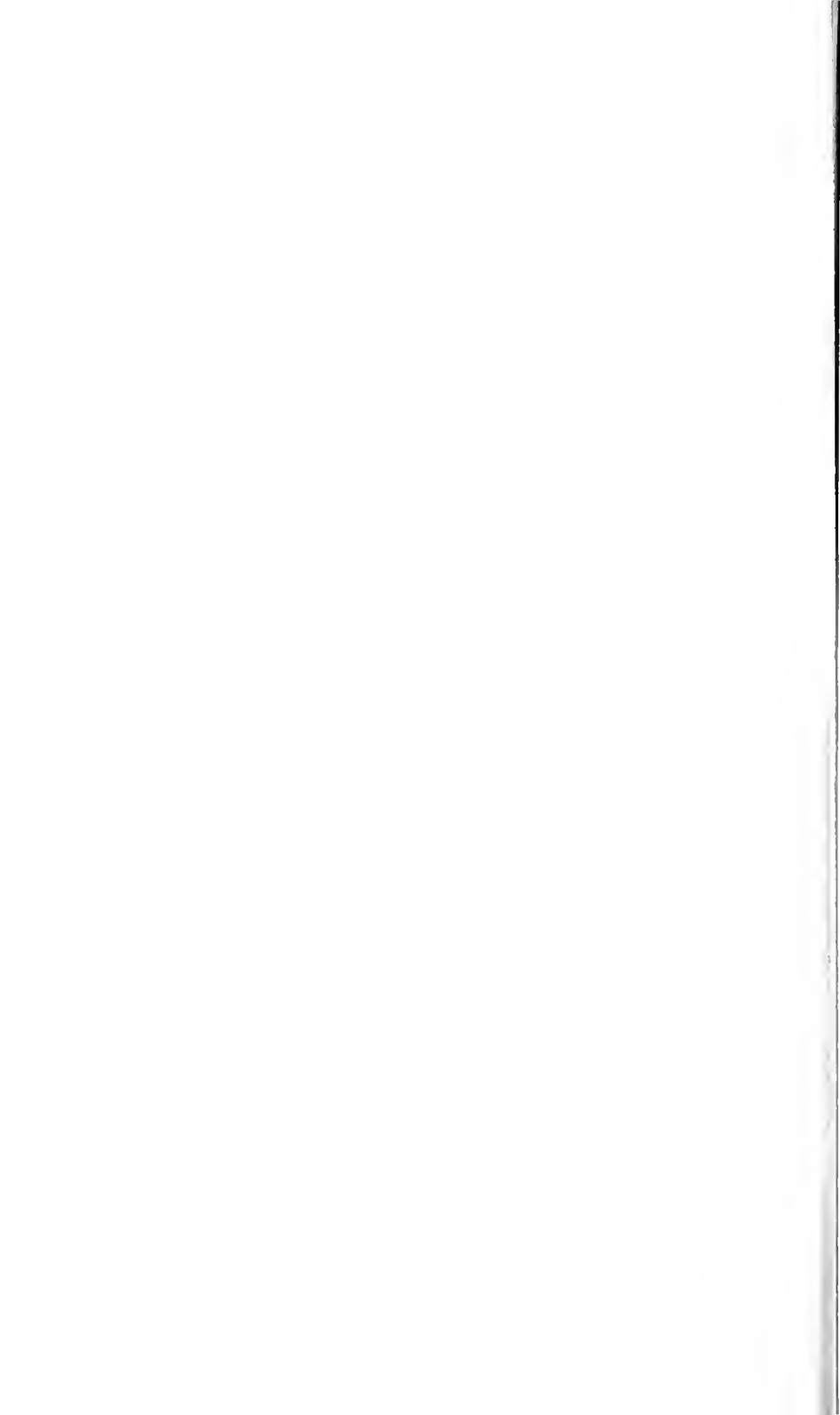
Meeting adjourned at 6:22 p. m.

JOHN R. McGRATH, Clerk

Approved by the Board of Supervisors August 11, 1952.

I, John R. McGrath, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, hereby certify that the foregoing are true and correct copies of the Journals of Proceedings of said Board of the dates hereon stated and approved as recited.

JOHN R. McGRATH,  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors









Monday, July 21, 1952

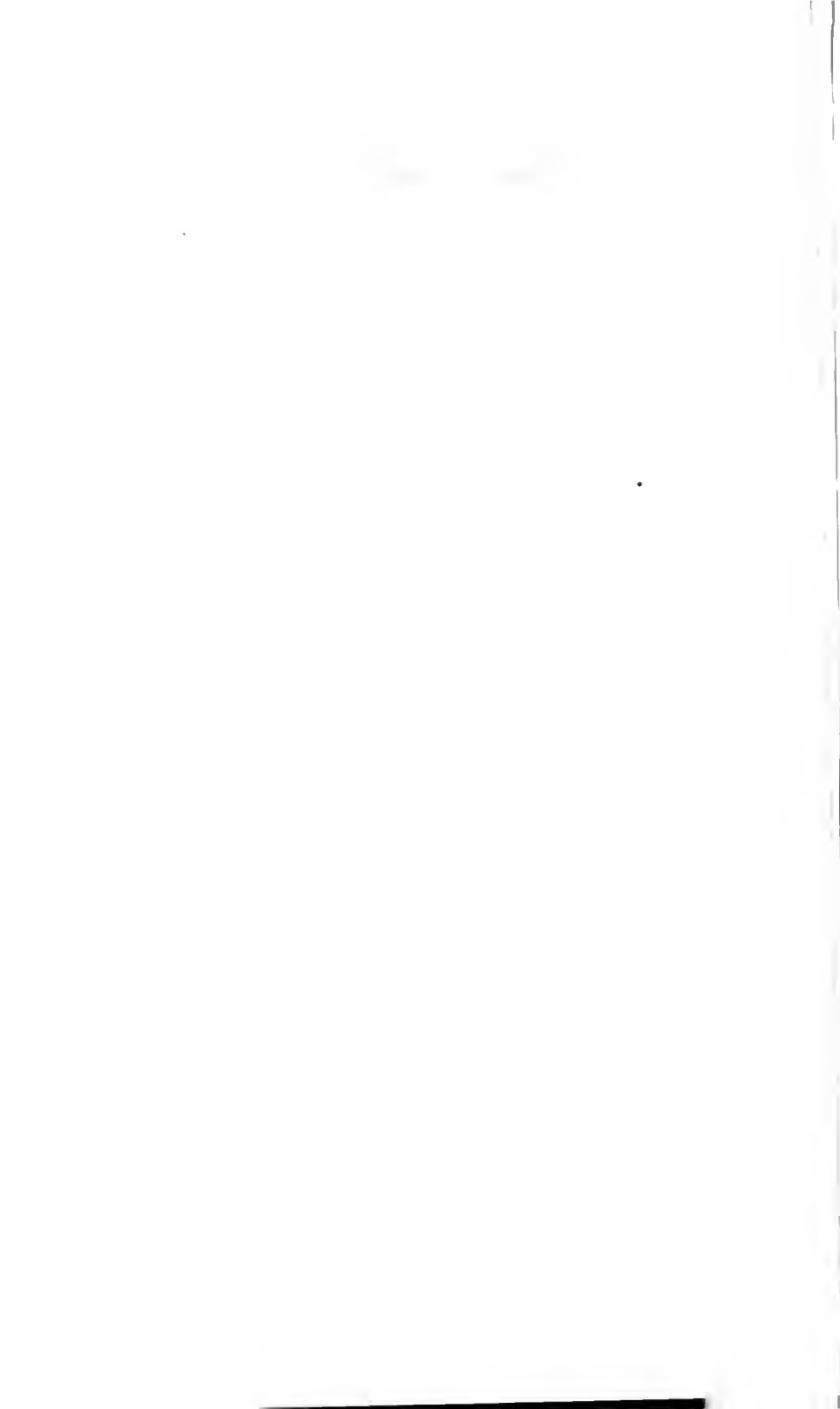
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# JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MONDAY, JULY 21, 1952—2:00 P. M.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, July 21, 1952.  
2:00 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

## CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present.

Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—6.

Absent Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Lewis, McCarty, McMurray—5.

Quorum present.

President Mead presiding.

Supervisor Lewis noted present at 2:15 p. m.

Supervisors Arnold and McCarty noted present at 2:25 p. m.

Supervisor Christopher on authorized leave.

Supervisor McMurray absent due to illness.

## APPROVAL OF JOURNAL.

The Journal of Proceedings for Monday, June 30, 1952, was considered read and approved.

## Communications.

From Captain of Traffic, reporting on request of Supervisor Dobbs, in connection with the installation of additional traffic controls at Golden Gate Avenue and Leavenworth Street.

*Copy given to Supervisor Dobbs, referred to Police Committee.*

From Frederick A. Noack, submitting data in connection with his application for reduction of assessment.

*Application considered; filed.*

## SPECIAL ORDER—2:00 P. M.

Board of Supervisors Meeting as a Board of Equalization.

File No. 9131

(Pursuant to Resolution No. 12346 (Series of 1939), Board of Supervisors to meet as Board of Equalization to examine the assessment books for the fiscal year 1952-53 and equalize the assessment of property in the City and County of San Francisco, and to continue in session for that purpose from time to time until the business of equalization is disposed of but not later than Monday, July 21, 1952, unless said period is extended.)

July 14, 1952—Consideration continued to July 21, 1952

(See Board of Equalization Journal Vol. 47, No. 29.)

## UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

## Final Passage.

The following recommendations of Finance Committee, heretofore considered, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

**Appropriating \$5,300, Fire Department, from Emergency Reserve Fund, for Electricity and Gas; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9153, Ordinance No. 7415 (Series of 1939).

July 14, 1952—Consideration continued to July 21, 1952.

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray—2.

**Appropriating \$1,320, Public Health, Laguna Honda Home, for Purchase of Equipment; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9162, Ordinance No. 7416 (Series of 1939).

(1 Bread Slicer

\$430

1 Diathermic Machine

390)

July 14, 1952—Consideration continued to July 21, 1952.

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray—2.

**Appropriating \$4,700, Public Health, San Francisco Hospital, for Purchase of Sterilizer; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9163, Ordinance No. 7417 (Series of 1939).

July 14, 1952—Consideration continued to July 21, 1952.

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray—2.

**Appropriating \$1,468, Public Health, Hassler Health Home, for Purchase of Mattresses; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9166, Ordinance No. 7418 (Series of 1939).

July 14, 1952—Consideration continued to July 21, 1952.

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray—2.

## Adopted.

The following recommendations of Finance Committee, heretofore considered, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher.

**Waiving Statute of Limitations, and Authorizing Payment from Employees' Retirement Fund of Warrants to Four Employees.**

File No. 9203, Resolution No. 12438 (Series of 1939).

(Mary M. Coyle, \$23.89; Gertrude H. Johnson, \$106.95; Herbert B. Jackson, \$50.31; Sidney G. Lippitt, Jr., \$144.85, consisting of return of employee contributions and interest.)

July 14, 1952 Consideration continued to July 21, 1952

*Adopted by the following vote*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray—2.

#### Final Passage.

Appropriating \$2,900, Fire Department, for Holiday Overtime; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9204, Ordinance No. 7419 (Series of 1939).

July 14, 1952 Consideration continued to July 21, 1952.

*Finally Passed by the following vote.*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray—2.

Appropriating \$1,700,037, Recreation and Park, from Appropriation No. 180,050.00, Construction—Unallocated, and from the 1947 Recreation Bond Fund, for Expenditures and Certification of Contracts and Related Expenses in Connection With the Development and Improvement of Recreational Areas and Playgrounds.

File No. 9167, Ordinance No. 7410 (Series of 1939).

(Corona Heights	\$ 94,040	St. Mary's	\$ 59,855
Eureka Valley	27,283	Sea Cliff	7,067
Hayward	22,067	Stern Grove	1,849
Laurel Hill	157,070	Upper Noe	30,737
Camp Mather	19,684	North Beach	17,500
Merced	39,290	West Sunset	552,513
Miraloma	29,288	Aptos	629
Mission	14,750	Argonne	6,720
Ocean View	36,810	Visitation Valley	37,138
Phelan Beach	127,678	West Portal	11,405
Potrero Hill	57,620	Junipero Serra	87,880
Pine Lake	5,000	Aquatic Park	31,856
Ross	7,000	Central Activities	
Unallocated	192,941	Building	24,367)

(In conformity with Master Plan)

*Finally Passed by the following vote*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray—2.

Appropriating \$1,210.37, Public Works, from Special Road Improvement Fund, for Retroactive Compensation and Retirement Contributions Based on Night Shift Differential Authorized for One J4 Laborer.

File No. 9178 Ordinance No. 7411 (Series of 1939)

*Finally Passed by the following vote.*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray—2

#### Final Passage.

The following measures from Finance Committee, without recommendation, heretofore considered, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty

Appropriating \$7,920, Public Welfare, for Two New Positions of Child Welfare Worker at Range of \$330-390 Per Month.

File No. 9184-1, Ordinance No. 7412 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray—2.

Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 66(a), Public Welfare Department—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.

File No. 9184-2, Ordinance No. 7413 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray—2.

#### Consideration Continued.

The following recommendation of Judiciary Committee, heretofore considered, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis.

Amending Subdivision C, Section 221, Article 3, Part I of the San Francisco Municipal Code, Relating to the Employees' Retirement System, so as to Allow Attorneys and Physicians in Non-Civil Service Positions, Who Resign and Withdraw Their Contributions from the Retirement System Within Sixty Days Prior to the Date Upon Which They Normally Would Be Required to Retire Because of Age, to Continue to Work for the City and County Under Subsequent Non-Civil Service Appointments, Without Limit as to Age.

File No. 8805, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

July 14, 1952—Consideration continued to July 21, 1952.

#### Motion to Defer Consideration.

Supervisor Mancuso moved, seconded by Supervisor MacPhee, that consideration of the foregoing measure be continued for a period of one week.

No objection and motion carried.

*Consideration continued one week.*

#### Adopted.

The following recommendation of Judiciary Committee, heretofore considered, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon.

Declaring Intention to Discontinue and Abandon the Use of Columbia Square as a Public Park, and Fixing Date for Public Hearing.

File No. 8738, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

July 14, 1952—Consideration continued to July 21, 1952.

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Sullivan—7.

Noes: Supervisors Lewis, Mead—2.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray—2.

## NEW BUSINESS.

## Adopted.

The following recommendations of Finance Committee were taken up

Present: Supervisors Arnold, McCarty.

**Authorizing Release of \$735.97 to See Lim Won, Recipient of Aid from the Public Welfare Department, and Directing That Balance of Accident Award in the Amount of \$550 Be Paid to the Public Welfare Department as Partial Repayment for Said Aid.**

File No. 9223, Resolution No. 12439 (Series of 1939).

(Public Welfare Department extended aid to See Lim Won in amount of \$1,307.84. Mr. Won was struck by a Municipal Railway bus and was awarded the sum of \$1,285.97. It was considered advisable to allow Mr. Won the sum of \$735.97 with which to pay medical bills incurred, with the balance to apply on aid extended by the Public Welfare Department.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray—2.

**Authorizing Extension of Grants of Emergency Relief to Dependent Non-Residents for July and August; List Dated July 21, 1952.**

File No. 9225, Resolution No. 12440 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray—2.

## Suspension of Rules.

Supervisor Arnold moved, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, that the rules be suspended for the purpose of considering the following measures from the Finance Committee **out of order**.

No objection and motion *carried*.

The following measure from Finance Committee, with recommendation "Do Pass" after amendments as indicated, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, McCarty.

## Final Passage.

**Fixing Schedules of Compensation, Effective July 1, 1952, to Be Paid Certain Employees Subject to Provisions of Section 151.3 of the Charter; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 8865-1, Ordinance No. 7414 (Series of 1939).

Proposed amendments are as follows:

- (1) (Note: The Civil Service Commission suggested this amendment as it had been called to their attention that there is a possibility that the Wage Stabilization Board's approval of rates in collective bargaining agreements may be effective at a date other than 7-1-52, although that is the agreed date, and may be at a lesser amount than the agreed rate.)

In the last sentence of Section 7.3, "Rates of Pay Specified in Contracts Not Yet Approved by the Wage Stabilization Board," add the language appearing in

upper case letters, so that the sentence shall, as amended, read as follows:

"After approval by the Wage Stabilization Board of the rate of pay indicated within the double parentheses for the craft OR A RATE NOT TO EXCEED THIS RATE to be effective as of July 1, 1952, OR A LATER DATE IF SO PROVIDED IN THE APPROVAL OF THE WAGE STABILIZATION BOARD, that rate shall be paid."

- (2) (NOTE: In accordance with Charter Section 151.3, the Civil Service Commission has certified that the two highest wage schedules in effect on July 1st for platform employees and bus operators of other street railway systems in the State of California are:

Pacific Electric Railway Company	\$1.79 per hour
Torrance Municipal Bus Lines	\$1.8808 per hour)

Your Finance Committee recommends that the Board fix wage schedules for platform employees and bus operators for the fiscal year 1952-1953 at the average of the foregoing rates, which, your Finance Committee has computed to be as follows:

*S102 Conductor	\$1.835 per hour
*S103 Street Car Operator (Female)	1.835 per hour
*S104 Motorman	1.835 per hour
*S106 Bus Operator	1.835 per hour

When, in addition to their usual duties, such employees are assigned duties of instructors of platform employees or bus operators, they shall receive twenty (20) cents per hour above the rates of pay fixed for platform employees and bus operators as herein provided.

#### Motion to Adopt Amendments.

Supervisor Arnold moved that Amendment No. 1 be adopted. Motion seconded by Supervisor McCarty, and there being no objection, motion *carried*.

Supervisor Arnold moved that Amendment No. 2 be adopted. Motion seconded by Supervisor McCarty.

#### Requests for Preparation of Legislation.

Supervisor Ferdon requested that the City Attorney be asked to prepare a Charter amendment which will clarify the ambiguities contained in Section 125 of the Charter, relating to the interpretation of the language pertaining to eight hours' work within a spread of ten hours as applied to Municipal Railway personnel.

No objection and the *Clerk was directed to comply*.

Supervisor Ferdon asked that the City Attorney prepare legislation to be submitted on the ballot which will authorize one-man car operation.

No objection and the *Clerk was directed to comply*.

Supervisor MacPhee requested that the City Attorney prepare a Charter amendment which will amend Section 151.3, to provide that the basis for computing wages for platform personnel of the Municipal Railway shall be determined by cities having a minimum population of 100,000 inhabitants.

No objection and the *Clerk was directed to comply*.

#### Amendment No. 2 Adopted.

There being no objection, Amendment No. 2 was *adopted*.



**Communication Read.**

The Clerk at this point read a communication from the San Francisco Bureau of Governmental Research, dealing with the subject matter.

*Ordered filed.*

**Measure Passed as Amended.**

The roll was thereupon called and the foregoing measure, as amended, was *finally passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray—2.

**Final Passage.**

The following recommendations of Finance Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, McCarty.

Amending the Annual Appropriation Ordinance for the Fiscal Year 1952-1953, File No. 8930, Ordinance No. 7345 (Series of 1939), in Order to Reflect Certain Revenue Adjustments Necessary to Meet Requirements for the Fiscal Year 1952-1953 Under the Provisions of Section 151.3 of the Charter; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9295-1, Ordinance No. 7422 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray—2.

Amending Ordinance No. 7357 (Series of 1939) (Annual Salary Ordinance) for the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1953, and Particularly Sections 9.4, 11.3, 12.6, 15, 15.1, 16.5, 17.2, 18, 21.3, 27.2, 27b, 37.1, 37.01, 37.5, 39.1, 42.2, 43, 43.1, 43.2, 46a, 48, 50.1, 50a, 51a, 51.1, 53.3, 53.4, 56.2, 56.5, 59a, 60c, 62.2, 70.2, 70c, 72.4, 72.5, 72.6, 73.5, 74.2, 74.3, 75.1, 75.2, 83.1, 83.3 and 83.4 Thereof, by Adjusting the Salary Schedules Effective as of July 1, 1952, to Provide Rates of Pay for Classes Subject to Section 151.3 of the Charter; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9295-2, Ordinance No. 7421 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray—2.

Amending Ordinance No. 7357 (Series of 1939) (Annual Salary Ordinance) by Adding a New Section to Be Known as Section 1.36, Rates of Pay Specified in Contracts Not Yet Approved by Wage Stabilization Board; an Emergency Measure, Effective July 1, 1952.

File No. 9297, Ordinance No. 7423 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray—2.

**Amending Ordinance No. 7357 (Series of 1939) (Annual Salary Ordinance) by Adding a New Section to Be Known as Section 1.32.1, Holidays for Platform Men and Bus Operators and Payment Therefor, Omitted Through Error, to Become Effective as of July 1, 1952; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9296, Ordinance No. 7422 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray—2.

**Adopted.**

The following recommendations of Finance Committee were taken up (Continued):

**Authorizing Refund of Duplicate and Erroneous Payments of Taxes for the Fiscal Years 1951-52 and 1952-53.**

File No. 9230, Resolution No. 12442 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray, Sullivan—3.

**Authorizing Refund of Duplicate and Erroneous Payments of Taxes for the Fiscal Year 1951-52.**

File No. 9230, Resolution No. 12441 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray—2.

**Authorizing Renewal of Lease With Harry M. B. Cordes and Margaretha M. L. Cordes, for Ground Floor Space in Building at 498 Sanchez Street, Required by the Department of Public Health as a Health Clinic.**

File No. 9234, Resolution No. 12443 (Series of 1939).

(For one year beginning September 1, 1952, at rental of \$100 per month.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray, Sullivan—3.

**Authorizing Renewal of Lease With Dora O. Swayne for Space in Building at 680 Howard Street and 33 Hunt Street, Required by the Department of Public Health as a Health Clinic.**

File No. 9235, Resolution No. 12444 (Series of 1939).

(For one year beginning July 1, 1952, at rental of \$240 per month.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray, Sullivan—3.

### Authorizing Leases of Space in Certain Buildings, Required for Branch Libraries.

File No. 9236, Resolution No. 12445 (Series of 1939).

(Mary L. Baumann, 37 Leland Avenue	\$ 55 per month
P. Colombo, 111 Broad Street	50 per month
Nickolos and Madeline Paxinas, 700 Bosworth Street	65 per month
T. L. Sharman, 5025 Third Street	60 per month
Dora Meherin and Adeline Williams, 2435 San Bruno Avenue	75 per month
Jane Agnes Soldavini, 389 Ashton Avenue	135 per month

Leases shall be for period of one year from July 1, 1952.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—4.

### Authorizing Purchase of Pipe Line Easement Located in San Mateo County from Peter Mondani et ux. for \$750, Required for Sunset Supply Line.

File No. 9244, Resolution No. 12446 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—4.

### Authorizing Purchase of Certain Real Property Located in Santa Clara County from F. W. Hackett for \$10, Required for Bay Division Pipe Line No. 3.

File No. 9245, Resolution No. 12447 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—4.

### Authorizing Purchase of Pipe Line Easement Located in San Mateo County from Sydney A. Stuart et ux. for \$750, Required for the Sunset Supply Line.

File No. 9257, Resolution No. 12448 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—4.

### Authorizing Purchase of Pipe Line Easement Located in San Mateo County from Harry Solomon et ux. for \$750, Required for the Sunset Supply Line.

File No. 9258, Resolution No. 12449 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—4.

**Authorizing Purchase of Pipe Line Easement Located in San Mateo County from Henry J. Beatty et ux. for \$750, Required for the Sunset Supply Line.**

File No. 9259, Resolution No. 12450 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—4.

**Authorizing Purchase of Certain Real Property from Anna M. Peterson for \$750, and from Edward L. Peterson for \$750, Required for School Project No. 50.**

File No. 9260, Resolution No. 12451 (Series of 1939).

(Lot 2-A, Block 6152, located on west side of Somerset Avenue, south of Olmstead Street. Size: 25 feet by 120 feet. Vacant land. Lot 3, Block 6152, located on west side of Somerset Street, south of Olmstead Street. Vacant land. In conformity with Master Plan.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—4.

**Authorizing Purchase of Certain Real Property from John Verlotti for \$2,500, and from Norma Ivancovich et al. for \$5,000, Required for School Project No. 14.**

File No. 9261, Resolution No. 12452 (Series of 1939).

(Lots 9 and 10, Block 2338-A, located at Castenada and Twelfth Avenues. Size of each lot: 32 feet by 80.05 feet. Vacant. Lots 24-A and 24-B, Block 2336, located on east side of Fourteenth Avenue, south of Rivera Street. Size of each lot: 25 feet by 120 feet. Vacant land. In conformity with Master Plan.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—4.

**Authorizing Purchase of Certain Real Property from Domenico Pierazzi for \$800, Required for School Project No. 53.**

File No. 9262, Resolution No. 12453 (Series of 1939).

(Lots 6 and 7, Block 6211, located on Teddy Avenue, west of Elliott Street. Size of each lot: 25 feet by 100 feet. Vacant land. In conformity with Master Plan.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—4.

**Authorizing Transfer of Certain Real Property from the San Francisco Unified School District to the City and County of San Francisco, Without Cost, Required for the Extension of Winston Drive from Stonestown to Lake Merced Boulevard.**

File No. 9263, Resolution No. 12460 (Series of 1939).

(Property consists of a strip of land approximately 80 feet in width and 640 feet in length, extending along the southerly boundary of the Lakeside School site. In conformity with Master Plan.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

*Ayes:* Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty—7.

*Absent:* Supervisors Christopher, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—4.

**Passage for Second Reading.**

**Authorizing Compromise and Settlement of Claim of Vistula E. Reeves  
Against the City and County by the Payment of \$1,500.**

File No. 9232, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Damages sustained by reason of flooding of Peter Pan  
Shop on Stockton Street, due to defective sewer.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

*Ayes:* Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty—7.

*Absent:* Supervisors Christopher, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—4.

**Authorizing Compromise and Settlement of Claim of Cora Larson  
Against the City and County by the Payment of \$300.**

File No. 9233, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Personal injuries sustained due to alleged defective con-  
dition of sidewalk.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

*Ayes:* Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty—7.

*Absent:* Supervisors Christopher, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—4.

**Appropriating \$162,000, Hetch Hetchy, for Reconstruction of Moccasin  
Penstock Anchors.**

File No. 9246, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

*Ayes:* Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty—7.

*Absent:* Supervisors Christopher, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—4.

**Appropriating \$25,000, Water Department, for Installation of a Water  
Supply System in Mt. Davidson Area.**

File No. 9247, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Not in conflict with the Master Plan.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

*Ayes:* Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty—7.

*Absent:* Supervisors Christopher, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—4.

**Appropriating \$5,750, Public Works, Bureau of Street Cleaning, for  
Purchase of a Dump Truck.**

File No. 9248, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

*Ayes:* Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty—7.

*Absent:* Supervisors Christopher, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—4.

**Appropriating \$5,040, Mayor, Disaster Corps, for New Position of Accountant; Abolishing Position of Executive Officer, Disaster Corps, and Executive Secretary, Disaster Council.**

File No. 9249-1, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Accountant, \$420-500 per month.

Executive Officer, Disaster Corps and Executive Secretary,  
Disaster Council, rate of \$600 per month.)

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—4.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 4.1, Mayor, Disaster Corps—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 9249-2, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—4.

**Appropriating \$3,720, Public Works, Bureau of Engineering, Sewers and Waste Treatment Plant, for New Position of Water Chemist; Abolishing Position of Senior Water Chemist; and Validating Related Annual Salary Ordinance Provisions.**

File No. 9250, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Water Chemist, \$310-370 per month.

Senior Water Chemist, \$410-470 per month.

Validate Section 46(a), Item No. 5.)

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—4.

**Appropriating \$3,720, Assessor, for New Position of Junior Draftsman; Abolishing Position of Block Book Draftsman; and Validating Related Annual Salary Ordinance Provisions.**

File No. 9251, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Junior Draftsman, \$310-370 per month.

Block Book Draftsman, \$285-350 per month.

Validate Section 5, Item 17.)

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—4.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 43, Public Works, Bureau of Building Repair, by Reallocating One Vacant Position of Cement Finisher's Helper to Cement Finisher (Interdepartmental).**

File No. 9255, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Cement Finishers' Helper, \$18.52 per day.

Cement Finisher, \$19.36 per day.)

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—4.

**Appropriating \$24,606, Mayor, Disaster Corps, for Purchase of Communication Equipment.**

File No. 9266, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—4.

**Ordered Submitted.**

The following recommendation of Judiciary Committee was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis.

**Charter Amendment, Section 150, Authorizing Payment to Officers and Employees, While Rendering Jury Service, of Basic Amount of Salary, Wage or Other Compensation, Exclusive of Premium Pay Differentials, and Less Any Amounts Received on Account of Such Jury Service.**

File No. 7762

*Ordered submitted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—4.

**Adopted.**

The following recommendations of County, State and National Affairs Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Lewis, Sullivan.

**Memorializing the Department of the Navy to Take Early Action for Conversion of Large Essex-Type Carrier at the San Francisco Naval Shipyard, and to Include in Its Fiscal 1954 Budget Provisions for Facilities and Equipment for Construction of a Third Supercarrier at Said Shipyard.**

File No. 8000, Resolution No. 12454 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray, Mead, Sullivan—4.

**Memorializing the President of the United States to Appoint a Resident of the West Coast as a Member of the Interstate Commerce Commission.**

File No. 8001, Resolution No. 12455 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray, Sullivan—3.

**Memorializing Federal Authorities to Release All Property Not Required in the San Francisco Presidio, and Directing Maintenance by the City and County of a Periodic Liaison With the Commanding General of the Sixth Army for Such Purpose.**

File No. 8555, Resolution No. 12456 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray, Sullivan—3.

# ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF MEASURES AND COMMUNICATIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

## References to Committees.

Adding Section 39.1 to the Charter, Relating to Powers of the Board of Permit Appeals.

Supervisor Arnold presented:

File No. 9301

Referred to Judiciary Committee.

Authorizing Sheriff and Confidential Secretary to Attend Convention of California State Peace Officers' Association to Be Held in Long Beach on August 14-16, 1952.

Supervisor Arnold presented:

File No. 9298, Resolution No. \_\_\_\_\_ Series of 1939)

Referred to Finance Committee.

## Supervisor Arnold Excused from Board Attendance

There being no objection, Supervisor Arnold was excused from attendance at Board meeting scheduled for Monday, July 28, 1952.

## Announcement of Committee Meeting.

Supervisor Lewis announced a meeting of the County, State and National Affairs Committee for Wednesday, July 23, 1952, 4 p. m., to consider the subject of rent control and other matters pending in the committee.

## Supervisor Lewis Excused from Board Attendance.

There being no objection, Supervisor Lewis was excused from attendance at Board meeting scheduled for Monday, July 28, 1952.

## Supervisor MacPhee Excused from Board Attendance.

There being no objection, Supervisor MacPhee was excused from attendance at Board meeting scheduled for Monday, August 4, 1952.

## Adopted.

Requesting Mayor to Appoint Citizens' Committee for Proper Observance of Columbus Day, October 12, 1952.

Supervisor Mancuso presented:

File No. 9228, Resolution No. 12459 Series of 1939)

## Motion to Adopt.

Supervisor Mancuso moved adoption, motion seconded by Supervisor MacPhee.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferden, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray, Sullivan—3

## Adopted

## In Memoriam—Domenico Fontana.

Supervisor Mancuso presented:

File No. 9221, Resolution No. 12453 (Series of 1939)



## Motion to Adopt

Superintendent McCarty moved adoption of the following resolution: That the Board of Education be authorized to purchase a new swimming pool for the Log Cabin School.

As amended by the Board of Education.

Superintendent McCarty presented the following resolution: That the Board of Education be authorized to purchase a new swimming pool for the Log Cabin School.

As amended by the Board of Education.

## References to Judiciary Committee

Amending Section 1801 of the Charter Relating to the Creation of a Transit Authority

Superintendent McCarty presented

File No. 127

Referred to Judiciary Committee

Amending Section 1811 of the Charter Relating to Retirement Benefits of Employees Retired Prior to July 1, 1934

Superintendent McCarty presented

File No. 128

Referred to Judiciary Committee

Amending Section 141 of the Charter Relating to Compensation of Employees Temporarily Assigned to Higher Classifications

Superintendent McCarty presented

File No. 129

Referred to Judiciary Committee

Amending Section 31 of the Charter by Providing that Reductions in Force Shall Be Governed Only by the Civil Service Provisions of the Charter

Superintendent McCarty presented

File No. 130

Referred to Judiciary Committee

## Condition of Log Cabin School Praised

Superintendent McCarty made a report on the condition of the Log Cabin School, and on the opening of a new swimming pool. He expressed satisfaction at the improvement made at the school. The Superintendent also reported on the condition of the school building, and on the condition of the school grounds. He also reported on the condition of the school bus, and on the condition of the school playground.

## Adopted

The following resolution was adopted: That the Board of Education be authorized to purchase a new swimming pool for the Log Cabin School.

Leaves of Absence—Superintendent Byron Arnold, July 21-22; Phil C. Hare, Public Administrator, July 21-August 19; Fred D. Parr, Recreation and Park Commissioner, July 21-August 4; Walter A. Leonard, Fire Commissioner, July 19-August 3, 1935. All With Permission to Leave the State.

File No. 131 Resolution No. 1277, See page 54.

## Motion to Adopt

Superintendent Arnold moved adoption of the following resolution: That the Board of Education be authorized to purchase a new swimming pool for the Log Cabin School.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, McMurray, Sullivan—3.

### ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 6:43 p. m., adjourned.

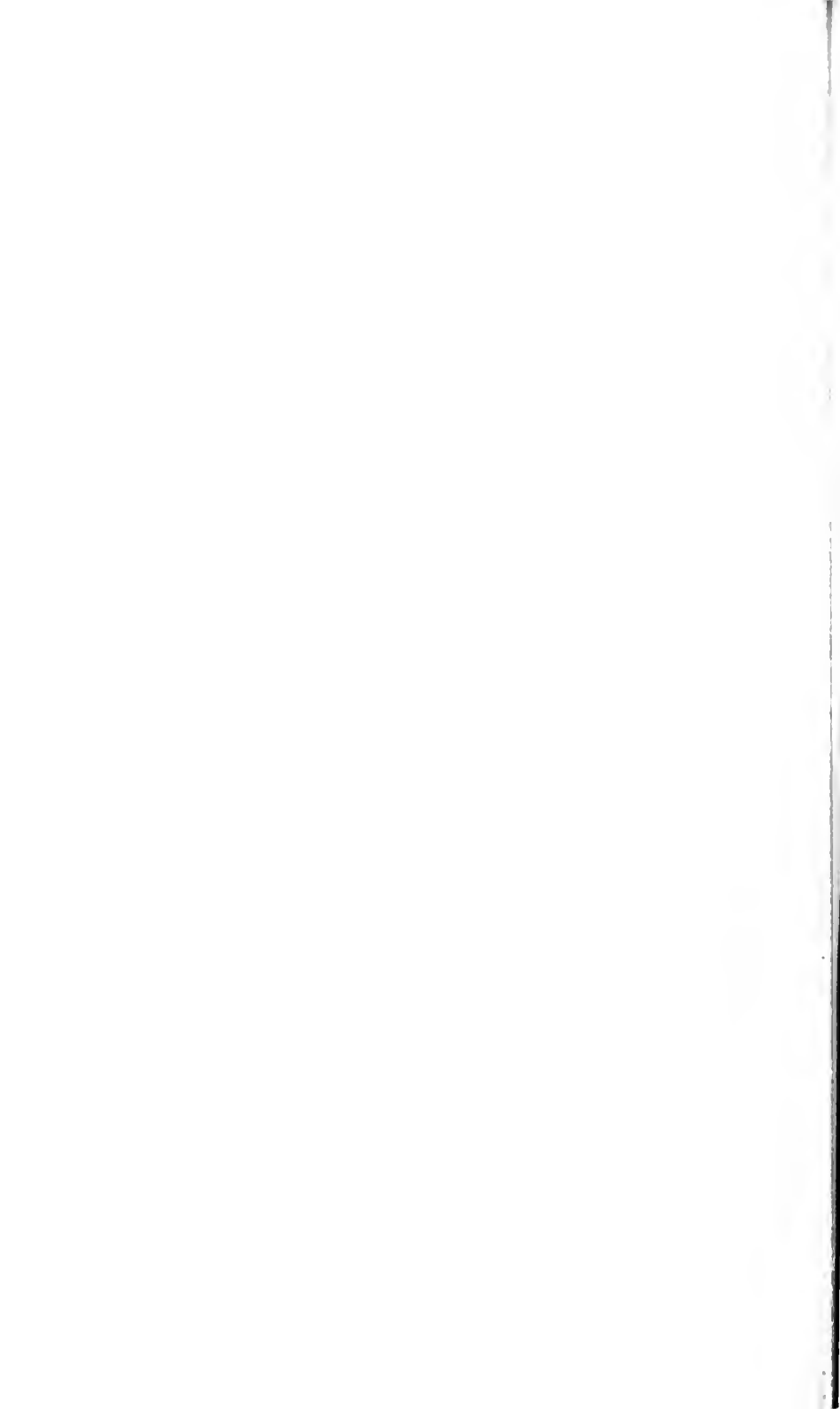
JOHN R. McGRATH, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors August 11, 1952.

I, John R. McGrath, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the date hereon stated and approved as recited.

JOHN R. McGRATH.  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.





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# JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MONDAY, JULY 28, 1952—2:00 P. M.

In the Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, July 28, 1952,  
2:00 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session

## CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present

Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent. Supervisors Arnold, Lewis, McMurray—3.

Quorum present

President Dewey Mead presiding.

Supervisor Arnold on authorized leave.

Supervisor Lewis noted present at 2:55 p. m.

Supervisor McMurray on sick leave.

## APPROVAL OF JOURNAL.

The Journal of Proceedings for Monday, July 7, 1952, was considered read and approved.

## Communications.

From American Public Works Association, extending invitation to attend 53th Congress and Equipment Show to be held in Los Angeles during period August 24 to 27, 1952.

*Copy to each member of Board; filed.*

From Barristers' Club, opposing proposed amendment to Subdivision (c), Section 221, Part I of the San Francisco Municipal Code, relating to right of attorneys and physicians in non-civil service positions to resign and withdraw their contributions within a certain period of time, and then continue to work for the city under non-civil service appointments without limit as to age.

*Consideration of measure over two weeks.*

From the Board of Education, requesting that Board postpone action until August 4 on measure vetoed by Acting Mayor Marvin E. Lewis, relating to intention to discontinue and abandon use of Columbia Square as a public park.

*Consideration continued one week.*

## Consideration Continued.

From Acting Mayor Marvin E. Lewis, returning disapproved and vetoed measure calling for the discontinuance and abandonment of the use of Columbia Square as a public park.

**Motion to Defer Consideration.**

Supervisor Dobbs moved, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, that consideration of the foregoing veto be continued for one week.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Lewis, McMurray—3.

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS.****Final Passage.**

The following recommendations of Finance Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, McCarty.

**Appropriating \$2,000, Public Works, from Unappropriated Balance of Special Road Improvement Fund, for Paving Unimproved Portions of Innes Avenue Between Mendell and Lane Streets.**

File No. 9179, Ordinance No. 7427 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Lewis, McMurray—3.

**Authorizing Compromise and Settlement of Claim of Hilde Feibleman Against the City and County by the Payment of \$275.**

File No. 9214, Ordinance No. 7429 (Series of 1939).

(Personal injuries sustained by reason of alleged defective condition of sidewalk.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Lewis, McMurray—3.

**Appropriating \$1,690, Sheriff, for Temporary Salaries and Overtime.**

File No. 9254, Ordinance No. 7431 (Series of 1939).

(For period ending June 30, 1952:

Allowance for Overtime	\$1,225
Temporary Salaries	465)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Lewis, McMurray—3.

**Consideration Continued.**

The following recommendation of Judiciary Committee, heretofore considered, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis.

**Amending Subdivision C, Section 221, Article 3, Part I of the San Francisco Municipal Code, Relating to the Employees' Retirement System, so as to Allow Attorneys and Physicians in Non-Civil Service Positions, Who Resign and Withdraw Their Contributions from the Retirement System Within Sixty Days Prior to the Date Upon Which They Normally Would Be Required to Retire Because of Age, to Continue to Work for the City and County Under Subsequent Non-Civil Service Appointments, Without Limit as to Age.**

File No. 8805, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

July 21, 1952—Consideration continued to July 28, 1952.



### Communication.

The Clerk read a communication from the Barristers' Club, opposing enactment.

No action being taken on the communication, the President ordered it filed.

### Explanation of Vote.

Supervisor Mancuso voiced opposition to the foregoing measure, contending that its enactment constituted class privilege, although he was aware of the fact that many of those benefiting from such a measure were numbered among his friends.

### Motion to Defer Consideration.

Supervisor Mancuso moved, seconded by Supervisor Dobbs, that consideration be continued for a period of two weeks.

No objection and motion carried.

*Consideration continued two weeks.*

### Final Passage.

The following recommendations of Streets Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, were taken up:

Present. Supervisors Ferdon, Sullivan.

**Regulating the Construction, Reconstruction or Repair of Private Side Sewers or Drains, and the Connection Thereof With Public Sewers; and Repealing Ordinances Nos. 2216 and 5923 (New Series).**

File No. 8644, Ordinance No. 7424 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Lewis, McMurray—3.

**Regulating the Use of Sewers and Drains; the Disposal of Sewage; Use of Garbage Grinders in Individual Dwelling Units and the Discharge of Waters and Wastes into the Public Sewer System, and Providing Penalties for Violation of This Ordinance; and Repealing Various Ordinances in Conflict Therewith.**

File No. 8645, Ordinance No. 7425 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Lewis, McMurray—3.

**Creating Underground Districts on Portions of Folsom, Twenty-fourth and Clay Streets and Precita Avenue.**

File No. 9168, Ordinance No. 7426 (Series of 1939).

(Underground District No. 131: Folsom Street from southwesterly line of Tenth Street to northeasterly line of Eleventh Street, and from southwesterly line of Eleventh Street to southerly line of Sixteenth Street.

Underground District No. 132: Twenty-fourth Street from easterly line of South Van Ness Avenue to westerly line of Potrero Avenue, and from easterly line of Potrero Avenue to easterly line of San Bruno Avenue.

Underground District No. 133: Precita Avenue from westerly line of Folsom Street to the southerly line of Army Street.

Underground District No. 134: Clay Street from the easterly line of Scott Street to the easterly line of Arguello Boulevard.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Lewis, McMurray—3.

**Accepting the Roadway and Curbs of Mercury Street from Thornton Avenue to 180 Feet More or Less Southerly, and the Crossing of Carroll Avenue and Ingalls Street.**

File No. 9202, Ordinance No. 7428 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Lewis, McMurray—3.

**Conditionally Accepting the Roadways and Curbs of Portions of Army, Marin and Michigan Streets, Including Certain Crossings.**

File No. 9219, Ordinance No. 7430 (Series of 1939).

(Army Street between the west line of Michigan Street and 640 feet east to the former east line of Louisiana Street, including the crossing of Army and Michigan Streets; Marin Street between the west line of Illinois Street and the east line of Michigan Street, including the crossings of Marin Street at Illinois and Michigan Streets; Michigan Street between Army and Marin Streets, except those portions required by law to be kept in order by the railroad company having tracks thereon, and the curbs.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Lewis, McMurray—3.

## NEW BUSINESS.

### Consideration Temporarily Postponed.

The following measures from Finance Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisor McCarty.

(In each of the following instances, Supervisor McCarty moved, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, that the subject measure be either adopted or passed for second reading.)

**Authorizing Purchase of Portion of Lot 1, Block 3935, from the Western Pacific Railroad Company for \$17,850, Required for a Firehouse Site.**

File No. 8583, Resolution No. 12463 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Located at Sixteenth and Vermont Streets. Size: 50 feet by 119 feet. Vacant.)

### Discussion.

Supervisor Mancuso desired to ask questions concerning the measure and asked that the Director of Property be sent for.

*Consideration temporarily postponed pending arrival of Mr. Rior-dan.*

**Adopted.****Authorizing Release of Lien Recorded by the Public Welfare Department for Aid Extended to Frank and Frieda Eheleben.**

File No. 9223, Resolution No. 12470 (Series of 1939).

(Full amount of \$2,764.04 paid.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Lewis, McMurray—3.

**Approving Supplemental Recommendations, Public Welfare Department, Relative to Categorical Aids; Letter Dated July 22, 1952.**

File No. 9224, Resolution No. 12471 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Lewis, McMurray—3.

**Authorizing Extension of Grants of Emergency Relief to Dependent Non-Residents for July, August and September; List Dated July 28, 1952.**

File No. 9225, Resolution No. 12472 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Lewis, McMurray—3.

**Confirming Lease of Property Located on the Southwest Corner of California and Hyde Streets to Frank Davidson and John Silvestri.**

File No. 9002-1, Resolution No. 12464 (Series of 1939).

(Not in conflict with the Master Plan. First floor and basement of building located on Lot 1, Block 250. Three-year lease, \$1.00 for first month, and \$237.50 per month thereafter. Property to be used either for restaurant or store purposes.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Lewis, McMurray—3.

**Requesting Retirement System to Submit Actuarial Report on Proposed Charter Amendment, Section 158.2, Relating to the Retirement of Elective Officers.**

File No. 9240-1, Resolution No. 12473 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Lewis, McMurray—3.

**Authorizing Purchase of Certain Real Property for \$2,700 from Various Parties, Required for McLaren Park.**

File No. 9268, Resolution No. 12478 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Agnes Shea, Lot 12, Block 6138, \$1,500. Located on east side of Gambier Street, south of Dwight Street. Size: 125 feet by 120 feet. Vacant land. Charles A. Louis et ux., Lot 12, Block 6105, \$300. Lo-

cated on east side of Gambier Street, south of Woolsey Street. Size: 25 feet by 120 feet. Vacant land. A. H. Morrow et ux., Lot 9, Block 6143, \$900. Located on east side of Cambridge Street, south of Olmstead Street. Size: 75 feet by 120 feet. Vacant land.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Lewis, McMurray—3.

**Authorizing Attendance of General Manager of Municipal Railway at the Annual Meeting of the American Transit Association, to Be Held at Atlantic City, New Jersey, September 22-25, 1952.**

File No. 9283, Resolution No. 12479 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Lewis, McMurray—3.

**Authorizing Acceptance of Quitclaim Deed from Spring Valley Company, Ltd., to Certain Land in Vallejo's Mill Tract, Alameda County.**

File No. 9284, Resolution No. 12480 (Series of 1939).

(Parcel previously sold to Merced Rosales et ux., and acceptance of deed is necessary to clear title.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Lewis, McMurray—3.

**Authorizing Holding of San Francisco Flower Show in the City Hall on August 20 and 21, and Approving Premium Schedule and Budget.**

File No. 9288, Resolution No. 12481 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Lewis, McMurray—3.

#### Consideration Continued.

**Approving and Adopting Mission-Bartlett Parking Plaza Legal Documents, and Authorizing and Directing Publication of Call for Bids.**

File No. 9290, Resolution No. . . . (Series of 1939).

#### Discussion.

Supervisor MacPhee voiced the opinion that the Board should give considerable study to the foregoing matter so that the city's investment may be protected by the assurance of sufficient income.

#### Motion to Defer Consideration.

Supervisor MacPhee moved, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, that consideration of the foregoing measure be continued for one week.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, McMurray—2.

*Consideration continued one week.*

**Passage for Second Reading.**

**Appropriating \$3,840, Municipal Railway, for New Position of Inspector; Abolishing Position of Day Dispatcher; and Validating Related Annual Salary Ordinance Provisions.**

File No. 9285, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Validate Item 31, Section 72.3, Annual Salary Ordinance.	
Inspector	\$320-370 per month
Day Dispatcher	340-390 per month)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent Supervisors Arnold, McMurray—2.

**Appropriating \$3,960, Public Works, from Special Road Improvement Fund, for New Position of Operating Engineer; Abolishing Position of Laborer; and Validating Related Annual Salary Ordinance Provisions.**

File No. 9286, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Validate Item 10, Section 51a, Annual Salary Ordinance.	
Laborer	\$13.60 per day
Operating Engineer	\$330-390 per month)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent Supervisors Arnold, McMurray—2.

**Appropriating \$10,080, Water Department, for Three New Positions of Special Collector; Abolishing Three Positions of General Clerk; and Validating Related Annual Salary Ordinance Provisions.**

File No. 9287, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Validate Item 50, Section 73.7, Annual Salary Ordinance.	
General Clerk	\$240-300 per month
Special Collector	280-330 per month)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent Supervisors Arnold, McMurray—2.

**Resumption of Consideration of File No. 8583, "Authorizing Purchase of Portion of Lot 1, Block 3935, from the Western Pacific Railroad Company for \$17,850, Required for a Firehouse Site.**

Consideration was resumed on the foregoing measure upon the appearance of Director of Property Eugene Riordan, who proceeded to answer questions raised by Supervisor Mancuso.

Director of Planning Paul Oppermann informed the Board that the subject location was one that would remain as a permanent site for a firehouse as contained in the Master Plan, although a number of such sites had been deleted from said plan.

Mr. Riordan stated that the subject transaction was consummated some months ago and at that time his office was advised that such a purchase was in conformity with the Master Plan.

Mr. Oppermann stated that the amendment to the Master Plan involving firehouse sites had not been completed but if the Board wished, he would check with the Chief of the Fire Department to substantiate his belief that such a proposed site would remain in the amendment to the Master Plan. Mr. Oppermann thereupon con-

sulted with the Chief of the Fire Department and returned within a few minutes, informing the Board that the proposed site was in conformity with the Master Plan.

The roll was thereupon called and the foregoing measure was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, McMurray—2.

Adopted.

The following measure from the Public Buildings, Lands and City Planning Committee was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Mancuso, Dobbs, Lewis.

Approving Modification of Set-Back Lines on the South Side of Sloat Boulevard from Nineteenth Avenue to Twenty-second Avenue, and from Twenty-third Avenue to a Point 100 Feet West of the Westerly Line of Twenty-sixth Avenue, from 28 Feet to 12½ Feet.

File No. 9253, Resolution No. 12476 (Series of 1939).

Motion to Adopt.

Supervisor Mancuso moved, seconded by Supervisor MacPhee, that the foregoing measure be adopted.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, McMurray—2.

Adopted.

The following recommendation of County, State and National Affairs Committee was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso, Sullivan.

Directing Legislative Representative to Support Appropriations by the State Legislature Which Would Provide Additional Funds for the Housing of the State's Mentally Defective.

File No. 9164, Resolution No. 12466 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, McMurray—2.

Adopted.

The following recommendations of Streets Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Ferdon, Sullivan.

Declaring Intention to Order the Vacation of a Portion of Baldwin Court.

File No. 7925-3, Resolution No. 12461 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, McMurray—2.

**Approving Assignment of Permit to Operate a Flower Stand on the Westerly Side of Powell Street, Within One Hundred Feet of the Southerly Line of Ellis Street.**

File No. 9116, Resolution No. 12465 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, McMurray—2.

**Authorizing Acquisition, by Eminent Domain Proceedings, of Certain Real Property Required for the Widening of Clarendon Avenue Through Sutro Forest, at a Cost Not to Exceed \$5,000.**

File No. 9242, Resolution No. 12474 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, McMurray—2.

**Granting Revocable Permit to Cahill Construction Company, Inc., to Occupy a Portion of the Sidewalk Area on the South Side of Helena Street, Between Bayshore Boulevard and Boutwell Street.**

File No. 9252, Resolution No. 12475 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, McMurray—2.

#### **Passage for Second Reading.**

**Accepting the Roadway and Curbs of the Crossing of Montcalm and York Streets.**

File No. 9291, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, McMurray—2.

#### **Adopted.**

The following recommendations of Judiciary Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis.

**Requesting Retirement System to Submit Actuarial Report on Proposed Charter Amendment, Section 158.3, to Extend Retirement Benefits to Certain Employees and Attaches of the Superior and Municipal Courts.**

File No. 9256-1, Resolution No. 12477 (Series of 1939)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, McMurray—2.

#### **Consideration Continued.**

**Charter Amendment—Section 149, Prescribing Authority of Civil Service Commission in Making Emergency Appointments.**

File No. 8727

### Motion to Delete Repetitious Language.

Supervisor Dobbs moved, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, that the last sentence appearing in the second paragraph of page 2 of the proposed Charter amendment, and reading in part as follows: "... No person shall be compensated under any non-civil service appointments, etc. . . .", be deleted, as it already appears in the last paragraph on page 1 of the proposed measure.

Mrs. Kathleen C. Dolen, representing the Civil Service Commission, set forth the position of the Commission concerning necessity of submitting the measure to the voters.

The roll was thereupon called and the motion to delete *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, McMurray, Sullivan—3.

### Motion to Defer Consideration.

Supervisor Christopher moved, seconded by Supervisor MacPhee, that consideration of the foregoing measure be continued for two weeks to permit his giving the matter further study.

No objection and motion *carried*.

*Consideration continued two weeks.*

### References to Committee.

The following emergency measures, appearing on the Board's supplemental calendar, were taken up:

(In each of the following instances, Supervisor McCarty moved, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, that the measure be referred to the Finance Committee. No objection and motion *carried*.)

Appropriating \$960, Finance and Records, Public Administrator, from the Emergency Reserve Fund, for Temporary Salaries; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9311, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

Appropriating \$638, War Memorial, from the Emergency Reserve Fund, for Wages; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9312, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

### OFF-CALENDAR LEGISLATION.

#### Adopted.

The following recommendation of the Public Utilities Committee was taken up:

Present Supervisors McCarty, Christopher, Sullivan.

Vacation of Public Service Easements Located in Blocks 7240-A and 7241, Vicinity of Holloway Avenue and Junipero Serra Boulevard.

File No. 8029-2, Resolution No. 12462 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, McMurray—2.



**Adopted.**

The following recommendation of his Honor, the Mayor, was presented by the Clerk:

**Leaves of Absence—Supervisor Edward T. Mancuso, August 3-4; Harold T. Lopez, City Planning Commission, July 24-August 10, 1952. With Permission to Leave the State.**

File No. 9220, Resolution No. 12469 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor McCarty moved adoption; motion seconded by Supervisor Ferdon.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

*Ayes:* Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

*Absent:* Supervisors Arnold, McMurray—2.

**ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF MEASURES AND COMMUNICATIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.**

**Adopted.****In Memoriam—Armand Girard.**

Jointly presented by Supervisors Christopher and Lewis:

File No. 9221, Resolution No. 12468 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Christopher moved adoption; motion seconded by Supervisor Lewis.

*Unanimously adopted by rising vote:*

*Ayes:* Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

*Absent:* Supervisors Arnold, McMurray—2.

**Adopted.**

**Requesting Mayor to Proclaim and Appoint a Citizens' Committee for the Celebration of "Angel Island Day," September 21, 1952.**

Supervisor Dobbs presented:

File No. 9114, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Dobbs moved adoption; motion seconded by Supervisor Ferdon.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

*Ayes:* Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

*Absent:* Supervisors Arnold, McMurray—2.

**Reference to Committee.**

**Requesting Legislative Representative to Support Legislation to Be Considered by a Special Session of the Legislature, Increasing Amount of Old-Age Assistance.**

Supervisor Mancuso presented:

File No. 9315, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Joint County, State and National Affairs and Finance Committee.*

### Reference to Committee.

**Declaring That a Substantial Shortage of Housing Accommodations Exists Which Requires the Continuance of Federal Rent Control in the City and County of San Francisco Up to and Including April 30, 1953.**

Supervisor Mancuso presented:

File No. 9316, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

### Motion.

Supervisor Lewis expressed the opinion that the Board should hear the foregoing measure sitting as a Committee of the Whole, and accordingly moved, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, that the Board do sit and consider the foregoing measure, as a Committee of the Whole; that the President fix the date and time for such hearing and that wide publicity be given said hearing.

### Discussion.

Supervisor Christopher stated that a hearing such as the one proposed by Supervisor Lewis would accomplish nothing. The landlords would speak for themselves; the tenants would speak for themselves and the members of the Board would have pressure exerted on them from both sides. The proper thing to do would be to determine if a housing shortage actually exists, and if it does, then continue the controls; if not, remove them.

Supervisor Ferdon suggested that the measure be referred to committee and advocated the conduct of a survey to determine the existence of a housing shortage. The Supervisor stated he believed a survey was already under way and that Supervisor Lewis should await the outcome of that check before presenting his motion for a public hearing.

Supervisor MacPhee, at this point, read excerpts from the San Francisco Examiner for Monday, July 28, in which he pointed out the existence of many vacancies.

### Point of Order.

Supervisor Lewis rose to a point of order, contending that Supervisor MacPhee was straying from the specific subject. The President ruled the point of order not well taken, informing Supervisor Lewis that the courtesy extended to Supervisor MacPhee would be extended to any other Supervisors.

### Portion of Motion Withdrawn.

Supervisor Lewis, there being no objection, withdrew that portion of the motion relating to the publicity required for the meeting.

### Question.

Supervisor Christopher asked Deputy City Attorney Thomas O'Connor if the Board had the authority to extend rent controls in the absence of official findings of an actual housing shortage.

Mr. O'Connor replied that the federal law provided that the continuance of rent control shall be predicated upon a substantial housing shortage.

### Motion Lost.

The roll was thereupon called on Supervisor Lewis' motion and it lost by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso, Mead—3.

Noes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, McCarty, Sullivan—6.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, McMurray—2.

The President referred the foregoing measure to the Joint County, State and National Affairs and Finance Committee.

## Reference to Committee

Authorizing a Survey of Housing Accommodations in San Francisco to Determine Whether or Not a Shortage Exists as Would Require the Continuance of Rent Control Beyond September 30, 1952.

Supervisor Mancuso presented.

File No. 9324, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Joint Finance and County, State and National Affairs Committee*

Poll of Membership Relating to Attendance at Convention of County Supervisors' Association.

The Clerk was directed to poll the members of the Board in connection with attendance at the convention of the County Supervisors' Association to be held in San Diego during period September 9-12, with following results:

Supervisors Christopher, no; Dobbs, uncertain; Ferdon, uncertain; Lewis, yes; MacPhee, no; Mancuso, yes; McCarty, yes; Mead, yes; Sullivan, yes.

The Clerk was directed to check again with those Supervisors who had expressed doubt about attending

Adopted.

In Memoriam—A. G. Costa.

Supervisor McCarty presented:

File No. 9221, Resolution No. 12467 (Series of 1939).

Motion to Adopt.

Supervisor McCarty moved adoption, motion seconded by Supervisor MacPhee.

*Unanimously adopted by rising vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, McMurray—2.

## ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 5:50 p. m., adjourned.

JOHN R. McGRATH, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors August 11, 1952

I, John R. McGrath, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the date hereon stated and approved as recited.

JOHN R. McGRATH,  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors



Monday, August 4, 1952

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# JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MONDAY, AUGUST 4, 1952—2:00 P. M.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, August 4, 1952,  
2:00 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

## CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, McMurray—3.

Quorum present.

President Dewey Mead presiding.

Supervisor Dobbs on authorized leave.

Supervisor Lewis noted present at 2:30 p. m.

Supervisor McMurray absent due to illness.

## APPROVAL OF JOURNAL.

The Journal of Proceedings for Monday, July 14, 1952, was considered read and approved.

## Communications.

From the County Supervisors' Association of California, notice of meeting of Board of Directors, Sacramento, August 29, at 10:30 a. m., and extending invitation to all members of the Board.

*Copy to each member of Board: filed.*

From the Redwood Empire Association Supervisors' Unit, enclosing questionnaire indicating preference of dates for hearing by the State Legislative Interim Committee on Highways, Streets and Bridges.

*Copy to each member of Board: filed.*

From California Highway Commission, advising that the Board's resolution recommending construction of overpass or underpass at Tiburon Wye, Corte Madera and Greenbrae Junctions had been placed on record for consideration in the preparation of future State highway budgets.

*Copy to Supervisor MacPhee, filed.*

From San Francisco Unified School District, review of facts in connection with the desire of the District to discontinue and abandon the use of Columbia Square as a public park.

*Considered in connection with calendar item, filed.*

From J. L. Haugh, president of the City Transit Systems, San Diego, submitting a proposal for the leasing of the operative properties of the Municipal Railway.

*Referred to Joint Finance and Public Utilities Committee.*

**Mayor's Veto Overridden.  
Consideration of Mayor's Veto.**

**Declaring Intention to Discontinue and Abandon the Use of Columbia Square as a Public Park.**

File No. 8738, Resolution No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(The above measure was returned vetoed and disapproved by Acting Mayor Marvin E. Lewis on July 24, 1952, accompanied by the Acting Mayor's explanatory letter of July 23, 1952.)

July 28, 1952—Consideration continued to August 4, 1952.

Question: Shall the proposed resolution become effective notwithstanding the Mayor's veto?

**Consideration Temporarily Postponed.**

There being no objection, consideration of the foregoing measure was temporarily postponed pending appearance of Supervisor Lewis.

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS.**

**Final Passage.**

The following recommendations of Finance Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, McCarty.

**Authorizing Compromise and Settlement of Claim of Vistula E. Reeves Against the City and County by the Payment of \$1,500.**

File No. 9232, Ordinance No. 7432 (Series of 1939).

(Damages sustained by reason of flooding of Peter Pan Shop on Stockton Street, due to defective sewer.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, McMurray—3.

**Authorizing Compromise and Settlement of Claim of Cora Larson Against the City and County by Payment of \$300.**

File No. 9233, Ordinance No. 7433 (Series of 1939).

(Personal injuries sustained due to alleged defective condition of sidewalk.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, McMurray—3.

**Appropriating \$162,000, Hetch Hetchy, for Reconstruction of Moccasin Penstock Anchors.**

File No. 9246, Ordinance No. 7434 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, McMurray—3.

**Appropriating \$25,000, Water Department, for Installation of Water Supply System in Mt. Davidson Area.**

File No. 9247, Ordinance No. 7435 (Series of 1939).

(Not in conflict with the Master Plan.)



*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, McMurray—3.

**Appropriating \$5,750, Public Works, Bureau of Street Cleaning, for Purchase of a Dump Truck.**

File No. 9248, Ordinance No. 7436 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, McMurray—3.

**Appropriating \$5,040, Mayor, Disaster Corps, for New Position of Accountant; Abolishing Position of Executive Officer, Disaster Corps, and Executive Secretary, Disaster Council.**

File No. 9249-1, Ordinance No. 7437 (Series of 1939).

(Accountant \$420-500 per month  
Executive Officer, Disaster Corps and Executive Secretary,  
Disaster Council—rate of \$600 per month.)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, McMurray—3.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 4.1, Mayor, Disaster Corps—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 9249-2, Ordinance No. 7438 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, McMurray—3.

**Appropriating \$3,720, Public Works, Bureau of Engineering, Sewers and Waste Treatment Plants, for New Position of Water Chemist; Abolishing Position of Senior Water Chemist; and Validating Related Annual Salary Ordinance Provisions.**

File No. 9250, Ordinance No. 7439 (Series of 1939).

(Water Chemist \$310-370 per month  
Senior Water Chemist 410-470 per month  
Validate Section 46(a), Item No. 5.)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, McMurray—3.

**Appropriating \$3,720, Assessor, for New Position of Junior Draftsman; Abolishing Position of Block Book Draftsman; and Validating Related Annual Salary Ordinance Provisions.**

File No. 9251, Ordinance No. 7440 (Series of 1939).

(Junior Draftsman \$310-370 per month  
Block Book Draftsman 285-350 per month  
Validate Section 5, Item 17.)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, McMurray—3.

Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 43, Public Works, Bureau of Building Repair, by Reallocating One Vacant Position of Cement Finisher's Helper to Cement Finisher (Interdepartmental).

File No. 9255, Ordinance No. 7441 (Series of 1939).

(Cement Finisher's Helper .....	\$18.52 per day
Cement Finisher .....	19.36 per day

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, McMurray—3.

Appropriating \$24,606, Mayor, Disaster Corps, for Purchase of Communication Equipment.

File No. 9266, Ordinance No. 7442 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, McMurray—3.

**Adopted.**

The following measure from Finance Committee, heretofore considered, was taken up:

Present: Supervisor McCarty.

Approving and Adopting Mission-Bartlett Parking Plaza Legal Documents, and Authorizing and Directing Publication of Call for Bids.

File No. 9290, Resolution No. 12491 (Series of 1939).

July 23, 1952—Consideration continued to August 4, 1952.

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor McCarty moved adoption of the foregoing measure. Motion seconded by Supervisor Ferdon.

**Discussion.**

Supervisor MacPhee stated he did not believe the bid provisions proposed by the Parking Authority in its call for bids would provide sufficient revenues to protect the city's investment in the parking lot, and that he believed the city should enter into such a transaction in the same manner as any individual would in the investment of his personal funds.

Mr. Albert Jacobs, representing the Parking Authority, informed the Board that the decision reached represented a compromise between two schools of thought, a compromise that would produce the greatest revenue and benefit the most people.

Supervisor Mancuso expressed the belief that the Parking Authority had done a grand job.

**Roll Call.**

The roll was thereupon called and the foregoing measure was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

No: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, McMurray—2.

### Presentation of Distinguished Guest.

The President announced to the Board that he was taking great pleasure in presenting to the members and to the people assembled in the Chambers, Lieutenant John Shannon of the Air Force, who is a pilot of a jet plane known as the "Shooting Star." Lieutenant Shannon is a native of San Francisco, lives at 100 Ewing Terrace and was educated at St. Ignatius High School. The Lieutenant has participated in over one hundred missions on the Korean front and is recommended for the Distinguished Flying Cross. The Lieutenant was rousinglly applauded.

Lieutenant Shannon said it was indeed a pleasure for him to appear before the Board and proceeded to explain his presence in San Francisco and outlined his future plans.

Supervisor Sullivan was called upon by the President to reply and he expressed the Board's pride in having the opportunity of welcoming one of the city's war heroes.

### Resumption of Consideration of File No. 8738 "Declaring Intention to Discontinue and Abandon the Use of Columbia Square as a Public Park."

Supervisor Lewis having been noted present, consideration was resumed with respect to the adoption of the foregoing measure.

### Explanation of Action on Acting Mayor's Veto.

The President of the Board explained the voting on the Acting Mayor's veto as follows: "A vote 'Aye' overrides the Mayor's veto, and eight votes are required to so override."

### Discussion.

Supervisor Christopher stated that over the years no effort had been made to keep the Square in presentable condition with the result that it has deteriorated rapidly. However, he believed that a suitable plaque or memorial should be constructed on the site in honor of the donor of the land to the city.

### Privilege of the Floor.

The privilege of the floor was extended to a Mr. William K. Gutzkow who proceeded to protest the proposed abandonment, informing the Board that the land had been donated to the city in 1852 for park purposes and that the City Attorney had ruled that it was illegal to give park land away. Further, the area had historical value, having been the site for many refugees from the great fire of 1906, and that to build a school in the area would not only destroy the purpose of the donor of the land but would jeopardize the lives of the children who would attend the school as extremely heavy traffic prevails on both Folsom and Harrison Streets.

Mr. Paul Oppermann, Director of Planning, expressed the opinion that the proposed expenditure by the Board of Education of approximately one million dollars for a school in the subject area seemed to be an unwise expenditure since the housing in the neighborhood seemed to compare with the dilapidated dwellings found in the Western Addition. Further, a check showed some 697 children attended school in 1947 while today there are not more than 400 and that this number will undoubtedly continue to decline. Eventually, Mr. Oppermann continued, it may come to the point where the school will have to seek pupils from other parts of the city to justify its existence. While the City Planning Commission sympathizes with the circumstances confronting the Board of Education, its opinion was that it was unwise and unsound to construe a school in an industrial area and one which seeks more and more industries.

The privilege of the floor was next extended to Dr. Herbert C. Clish, Superintendent of Schools. Dr. Clish stated that his Board

had gone thoroughly into this vexing problem and that sufficient children live in the area to justify the construction of a school. The suggestion had been advanced by Supervisor Lewis at a previous meeting of the Board that no school be constructed and that the children be transported to other schools. This the Superintendent of Schools objected to, contending that the transportation of children at best had proven undesirable. In any event, Dr. Clish concluded, the voters should be accorded the opportunity of deciding whether or not Columbia Park should be abandoned for park purposes.

#### **Permission to Abstain from Voting—Denied.**

Supervisor Lewis requested permission to abstain from voting. Supervisor Ferdon objected.

The President accordingly denied the request.

#### **Roll Call.**

The roll was thereupon called and the Acting Mayor's veto was *overridden* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

No: Supervisor Lewis—1.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, McMurray—2.

#### **Re-reference to Committee.**

The following recommendation of County, State and National Affairs Committee, heretofore considered, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Lewis, Sullivan.

#### **Opposing Proposed Construction of High Level Steel Bridge Between Richmond and San Rafael.**

File No. 9072, Resolution No. . . . (Series of 1939).

July 14, 1952—Consideration continued to August 4, 1952.

#### **Communications.**

The Clerk read communications from the cities of Martinez, Concord and Walnut Creek, favoring adoption of resolution approving construction of high level steel bridge between Richmond and San Rafael, and one from C. A. "Cappy" Ricks of Martinez, opposing the construction of such a bridge.

#### **Motion to Re-refer to Committee.**

Supervisor Mancuso asserted that the Board should leave the decision whether or not to support the construction of such a bridge to the discretion of the Board's Sacramento Legislative Representative and accordingly moved, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, that the pending measure be re-referred to committee.

Supervisor McCarty pointed out that the city should not jeopardize its chances of constructing a southern crossing by adopting a measure favoring the construction of the San Rafael-Richmond bridge.

Supervisor Christopher stated he was opposed to the language of the pending measure since its adoption might impede the progress of local communities and that he believed a deal for a southern crossing might be years in the offing.

#### **Substitute Motion.**

Supervisor Lewis moved, as a substitute, that consideration of the pending measure be continued for a period of one week on the grounds that (1) he would like to prepare amendments, and (2) to permit Supervisor Dobbs, who is absent, the opportunity of voting on the question.

**Opposition to Continuance.**

Supervisor Arnold opposed the continuance for one week on the grounds that the matter had been thoroughly aired and that action should now be forthcoming.

**Motion to Continue Consideration Lost.**

The roll was thereupon called and the motion to continue consideration for one week lost by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty—4.

Noes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—5.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, McMurray—2.

**Re-referred to Committee.**

The roll was then called on the original motion to re-refer the pending measure to committee and it carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, MacPhee, Mancuso, Sullivan—5.

Noes: Supervisors Ferdon, Lewis, McCarty, Mead—4.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, McMurray—2.

*Re-referred to County, State and National Affairs Committee.*

**NEW BUSINESS.****Adopted.**

The following recommendations of Finance Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

**Authorizing Refund of Erroneous and Illegal Payment of Taxes in Sum of \$7,119.20, to the Young Women's Christian Association for the Fiscal Years 1948-49, 1949-50 and 1950-51.**

File No. 7464, Resolution No. 12433 (Series of 1939).

(NOTE: In this situation the Assessor had already granted the exemption provided charitable institutions in the amount of 58 per cent. Upon protest by the Y.W.C.A., and further investigation by the Assessor, it is now recommended that exemption be granted to the extent of 85 per cent. This measure provides a refund for the dollar difference between 58 per cent and 85 per cent.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, McMurray—2.

**Authorizing Release of Lien Recorded by the Public Welfare Department for Aid Extended to Frances Newman.**

File No. 9223, Resolution No. 12488 (Series of 1939).

(NOTE: On a claim in the amount of \$1,503.42 for indigent aid granted, the City will receive \$1,140 or 76 per cent from funds received from the sale of Mrs. Newman's property. This is the same pro rata as is being made to other creditors and it is recommended for acceptance by the Public Welfare Department. If and when it is found that Mrs. Newman has further assets, claim will be made for the balance of \$363.42.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, McMurray—2.

**Authorizing Release of Lien Recorded by the Public Welfare Department for Aid Extended to Abel Chabasseur.**

File No. 9223, Resolution No. 12487 (Series of 1939).

(Full payment of \$76.12 made.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, McMurray—2.

**Authorizing Extension of Grants of Emergency Relief to Dependent Non-Residents for August and September; List Dated August 4, 1952.**

File No. 9225, Resolution No. 12489 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, McMurray—2.

**Authorizing Refund of Duplicate and Erroneous Payments of Taxes for the Fiscal Years 1950-51 and 1951-52.**

File No. 9230, Resolution No. 12490 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, McMurray—2.

**Exempting Position of Junior Actuary from the Residential Requirements of the Charter.**

File No. 9293, Resolution No. 12492 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, McMurray—2.

**Transferring Jurisdiction of Certain Municipal Railway Land to the Recreation and Park Department for Sum of \$22,500, Required for Lincoln Park.**

File No. 9294, Resolution No. 12493 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Located north of Point Lobos Avenue in the vicinity of Merrie Way. Consists of a 30-foot right of way strip and depot site. Vacant.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, McMurray—3.

**Authorizing Purchase of Pipe Line Easement Located in San Mateo County from John Tragoutsis et ux. for \$750, Required for Sunset Supply Line.**

File No. 9310, Resolution No. 12494 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, McMurray—3.

# Ordering Annual Audit of Controller's Books at a Cost Not to Exceed \$7,500.

File No. 9323, Resolution No. 12497 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, McMurray—3.

## Passage for Second Reading.

Appropriating \$8,640, San Francisco Hospital, for Two Positions of Instructor of Nurses; Abolishing One Position of Instructor of Nurses, Pediatrics, and One Position of Instructor of Nurses, Communicable Diseases; and Validating Item 87, Section 60, of the Annual Salary Ordinance.

File No. 9306, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(NOTE: This measure merely provides for the retitling of two positions at the request of the State Department of Public Health. No new position and no change in salary.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Lewis, McMurray—4.

Appropriating \$3,000, County Clerk, for Position of General Clerk-Stenographer; Abolishing Position of General Clerk, and Validating Section 34, Item 8.1, of the Annual Salary Ordinance.

File No. 9307, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(NOTE: This is merely a reclassification of a position from General Clerk to General Clerk-Stenographer at the same salary.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, McMurray—3.

Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Public Utilities, Section 70e, Engineering—Specific Projects, by Deleting Therefrom One Position of Engineer, Civil, and Adding One Position of Engineer, Mechanical; Amending Section 71.2, Interdepartmental Employments as Needed, by Deleting One Position of Engineer, Mechanical, and Adding One Position of Engineer, Civil.

File No. 9303, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(NOTE: This measure provides for the transfer of 1 Mechanical Engineer from "Interdepartmental" to "Specific Projects," and 1 Civil Engineer from "Specific Projects" to "Interdepartmental." Designed to more properly round out the engineering staff on "Specific Projects." No new position created.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, McMurray—3.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 43, Public Works, Bureau of Building Repair, by Deleting One Position of Cement Finisher's Helper and Adding One Position of Cement Finisher.**

File No. 9309, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(NOTE: It is the policy of the Civil Service Commission, as positions in this particular classification become vacant, to reclassify them either to journeymen or laborer, depending upon the particular duties of each such job.)

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, McMurray—3.

#### Final Passage.

**Appropriating \$960, Public Administrator, from the Emergency Reserve Fund, for Temporary Salaries; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9311, Ordinance No. 7443 (Series of 1939).

(NOTE: The Public Administrator will retire on December 31 of this year. Approximately 600 estates must be reviewed prior to that time and this money is necessary so that the Public Administrator may wind up his affairs prior to the appointment of his successor.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, McMurray—2.

**Appropriating \$638, War Memorial, from the Emergency Reserve Fund, for Wages; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9312, Ordinance No. 7444 (Series of 1939).

(NOTE: The amount now requested is to pay a substitute for the E-109, Stage Electrician, while he is on sick leave with pay. Funds appropriated for wages are allocated to specific employments. Amount appropriated for this employment was \$6,886 at \$22 a day, 313 days a year.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, McMurray—2.

#### OFF-CALENDAR LEGISLATION.

The following recommendation of his Honor the Mayor was presented by the Clerk:

**Adopted.**

**Leaves of Absence—Supervisor Harold S. Dobbs, August 5-10; August 22-September 2; Fred D. Parr, Recreation and Park Commissioner, August 5-9; August 14-21, 1952, Both With Permission to Leave the State.**

File No. 9220, Resolution No. 12484 (Series of 1939).

#### Motion to Adopt.

Supervisor McCarty moved adoption; motion seconded by Supervisor Ferdon.

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis, McMurray—3.



### Five-Minute Recess.

Supervisor MacPhee began an explanation of his stand with respect to existing rental accommodations but noting that a quorum of Board members was not present, moved a five-minute recess. Motion seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, and there being no objection, motion *carried*.

### Consideration of Legislation Returned Unsigned by Acting Mayor.

Upon reconvening, the Clerk read a communication from Acting Mayor Marvin E. Lewis, returning unsigned File No. 9314 entitled "Requesting Mayor to Appoint Citizens' Committee for the Proper Celebration of Angel Island Day, September 21, 1952."

### Explanation.

Supervisor Lewis explained that his action, as Acting Mayor, in returning the above measure unsigned was due to information furnished him by the Mayor's office that such a measure should contain a reference therein that such a committee would be operative "providing funds are available." He did not oppose the measure as such but was advised that it should contain the additional information regarding the availability of funds.

### Motion to Amend—Out of Order.

Supervisor Lewis thereupon moved that provision be inserted in the subject measure regarding the operation of the committee "providing funds are available."

The President ruled the motion out of order as not being a proper motion.

### Rescission of Action.

Supervisor Lewis moved that the Board rescind its action whereby it had adopted the subject measure on July 28, 1952. Motion seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, and there being no objection, motion *carried*.

Supervisor Lewis thereupon introduced the following measure:

**Requesting Mayor to Proclaim and Appoint Citizens' Committee for the Proper Celebration of Angel Island Day, September 21, 1952.**

File No. 9314-1, Resolution No. 12495 (Series of 1939).

### Motion to Adopt.

Supervisor Lewis moved adoption; motion seconded by Supervisor Ferdon.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, McMurray—2.

### Statement Regarding Position of Purported Existence of Housing Shortage in San Francisco.

Supervisor MacPhee reaffirmed his stand taken at an earlier meeting that facts prove that beyond a doubt that rental accommodations are available and that this premise does not apply simply to those paying in excess of \$75 or \$100 a month. Items in the papers show that accommodations are also available in the lower-bracket group as well. (Here he pointed out six columns of the San Francisco Examiner containing rental accommodations data.) The Supervisor also commented on certain cities where rents have been decontrolled and attempted to show that after such action had been taken the unfavorable reaction was nebulous.

Adopted.

In Memoriam—Walter S. Van Winkle.

Supervisor Mancuso presented:

File No. 9221, Resolution No. 12486 (Series of 1939).

Motion to Adopt.

Supervisor Mancuso moved adoption; motion seconded by Supervisor MacPhee.

*Adopted by rising vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, McMurray—2.

Adopted.

In Memoriam—Edward F. Bryant.

Presented jointly by all members of the Board:

File No. 9221, Resolution No. 12485 (Series of 1939).

Motion to Adopt.

Supervisor Mancuso moved adoption; motion seconded by Supervisor Christopher.

*Adopted by rising vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, McMurray—2.

Adopted.

Requesting Legislative Representative to Support Pending Legislation in the Special Session of the Legislature, Providing for an Increase in Amounts of Aid to Recipients of Old-Age Assistance, Needy Blind and Partially Self-Supporting Blind.

Supervisor Mancuso presented:

File No. 9315, Resolution No. 12496 (Series of 1939).

Motion to Adopt.

Supervisor Mancuso moved adoption; motion seconded by Supervisor Sullivan.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—3.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, McMurray—3.

References to Finance Committee.

Rescinding Resolution No. 11714 (Series of 1939), Authorizing Application to Voluntary Credit Restraint Committee for Approval of Any Bond Sale During Present Defense Emergency.

Supervisor McCarty presented:

File No. 9342, Resolution No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

**Authorizing Police Department Representatives to Attend Annual Meeting of American Institute of Traffic Engineers to Be Held in Chicago, Ill., During Period September 8-11, 1952.**

Supervisor McCarty presented:

File No. 9343, Resolution No. \_\_\_\_\_ (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

**Adopted.**

**Authorizing Representation of Police Department at California State Peace Officers' Conference to Be Held in Long Beach During Period August 14-16, 1952.**

Supervisor McCarty presented:

File No. 9344, Resolution No. 12493 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor McCarty moved adoption; motion seconded by Supervisor Ferdon.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, McMurray—3.

**Reference to Committee.**

**Providing for Acceptance of Gifts, Donations and Contributions of Money, Property and Personal Services for the Installation and Maintenance of Fairyland in Golden Gate Park, and Providing for the Control and Expenditure of Such Money.**

Supervisor McCarty presented:

File No. 9346, Ordinance No. \_\_\_\_\_ (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

**Referred to Registrar of Voters.**

**Declaration of Policy Concerning Appropriation of Funds for Preservation of Butano Forest.**

Supervisor McCarty presented a declaration of policy with respect to the city's appropriating the sum of \$100,000 as a contribution toward the preservation of Butano Forest, and asked members of the Board who so desired, to sign it so that it could then be referred to the Registrar of Voters for submission on the ballot.

File No. 9347

No Board action necessary; Declaration to be filed with Registrar by the Clerk.

**Adopted.**

**Authorizing Representation of the Board of Supervisors at Annual Meeting of the County Supervisors' Association to Be Held in San Diego During Period September 9-12, 1952.**

Supervisor Sullivan presented:

File No. 9345, Resolution No. 12499 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Sullivan moved adoption; motion seconded by Supervisor Lewis.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, McMurray—3.



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MONDAY, AUGUST 11, 1952—2:00 P. M.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, August 11, 1952,  
2:00 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

## CALLING THE ROLL

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

Quorum present.

President Dewey Mead presiding.

Supervisor McMurray excused from attendance because of illness.

## APPROVAL OF JOURNALS OF PROCEEDINGS

The Journals of Proceedings for July 21, July 28, and the Board of Supervisors sitting as a Board of Equalization, July 14 and 21, were considered read and approved.

## COMMUNICATIONS

From the Public Utilities Commission, copy of adopted resolution, requesting Board to prepare legislation for submission to the voters in amount of \$6,620,000 for the modernization and rehabilitation of the Municipal Railway.

*Considered with Calendar item—filed.*

From the Parking Authority, report on the need and feasibility of providing off-street parking facilities in the West Portal District.

*Referred to Public Buildings, Lands and City Planning Committee.*

From the Chief Administrative Officer, report on Supervisor Christopher's request regarding the issuance of bonds for highway purposes to be redeemed with State gas tax moneys.

*Copy to Supervisor Christopher—filed.*

From C. D. Miller, General Manager, Municipal Railway, inclosing copies of Consultant Marmion D. Mills' report on the proposed rehabilitation of the Municipal Railway.

*Copy to each member of the Board—filed.*

From Veterans of Foreign Wars, extending invitation to Board members to attend the annual VFW Home Day North to be held at the Veterans' Home, Napa County, on Sunday, September 14.

*Copy to each member of the Board—filed.*

From the Acting Manager of Utilities, transmitting recommendation of the Public Utilities Commission in connection with the 1952 Municipal Railway Bond Issue for \$6,620,000

*Considered with Calendar item—filed.*

From Thor B. Gravem, Director, Angel Island Foundation, requesting coordination of plans in connection with Angel Island Day and the reception of California participants in the Olympic Games.

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

**Taken Up Out of Order.**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor Christopher, moved that the following be taken up out of order.

No objection and motion carried.

**Adopted.**

Recommendation of the Joint Committee on Finance and County, State and National Affairs.

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Mancuso, McCarty.

**Authorizing a Survey of Housing Accommodations and Approving Actions Incident to Provision for Such a Survey.**

File No. 9324, Resolution No. 12500 (Series of 1939).

**Explanation of Vote.**

Supervisor MacPhee stated that while he was opposed to rent control he would vote for the survey because it would prove beyond any shadow of a doubt that vacancies exist, and that rent control should be discontinued.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

**Motion Adopted.**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, moved that the Clerk of the Board, with the approval of the Chairman of the Joint Committee on Finance and County, State and National Affairs, be authorized and directed to make known to the contractor for the rental survey, in questions of interpretation, the understanding of the City with respect to the meaning of the details of such contract.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

**Final Passage.**

Supervisor Arnold presented, as a recommendation of the Joint Committee on Finance and County, State and National Affairs:

**An Ordinance Making a Supplemental Appropriation of \$12,000 to Provide the Additional Funds Required for the Purpose of Conducting a Rental Survey with Regard to the Continuance or Discontinuance of Rent Control by the Board of Supervisors; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9367, Ordinance No. 7445 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor Lewis, moved that at 3 p. m. or as soon thereafter as the bids are opened, the Board consider the report in connection with said bids.

No objection and motion carried.



## UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

## Final Passage.

The following, from Finance Committee, heretofore considered, were taken up:

Present: Supervisor McCarty.

**Appropriating \$3,840, Municipal Railway, for New Position of Inspector; Abolishing Position of Day Dispatcher; and Validating Related Annual Salary Ordinance Provisions.**

File No. 9285, Ordinance No. 7446 (Series of 1939).

(Validate Item 31, Section 72.3, Annual Salary Ordinance.

Inspector	\$320-370 per month
Day Dispatcher	340-390 per month)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, McMurray—2.

**Appropriating \$3,960, Public Works, from Special Road Improvement Fund, for New Position of Operating Engineer; Abolishing Position of Laborer; and Validating Related Annual Salary Ordinance Provisions.**

File No. 9286, Ordinance No. 7447 (Series of 1939).

(Validate Item 10, Section 51a, Annual Salary Ordinance.

Laborer	\$13.60 per day
Operating Engineer	\$330-390 per month)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, McMurray—2.

**Appropriating \$10,080, Water Department, for Three New Positions of Special Collector; Abolishing Three Positions of General Clerk; and Validating Related Annual Salary Ordinance Provisions.**

File No. 9287, Ordinance No. 7448 (Series of 1939).

(Validate Item 50, Section 73.7, Annual Salary Ordinance.

General Clerk	\$240-300 per month
Special Collector	280-330 per month)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, McMurray—2.

## Final Passage.

The following recommendation of Streets Committee, heretofore considered, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Ferdon, Sullivan

**Accepting the Roadway and Curbs of the Crossing of Montcalm and York Streets.**

File No. 9291, Ordinance No. 7449 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, McMurray—2.

### Temporary Postponement.

The following recommendations of Judiciary Committee, heretofore considered, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis.

#### Charter Amendment—Section 149, Prescribing Authority of Civil Service Commission in Making Emergency Appointments.

File No. 8727.

July 28, 1952—Consideration continued to August 11, 1952.

Supervisor MacPhee, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, moved temporary postponement.

No objection and motion *carried*.

Amending Subdivision C, Section 221, Article 3, Part I of the San Francisco Municipal Code, Relating to the Employees' Retirement System, so as to Allow Attorneys and Physicians in Non-Civil Service Positions, Who Resign and Withdraw Their Contributions from the Retirement System Within Sixty Days Prior to the Date Upon Which They Normally Would Be Required to Retire Because of Age, to Continue to Work for the City and County Under Subsequent Non-Civil Service Appointments, Without Limit as to Age.

File No. 8805, Ordinance No. . . (Series of 1939).

July 28, 1952—Consideration continued to August 11, 1952.

Supervisor MacPhee, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, moved temporary postponement.

No objection and motion *carried*.

### NEW BUSINESS.

#### Adopted.

The following recommendations of Finance Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

#### Authorizing Release of Lien Recorded by the Department of Public Health for Care and Treatment Furnished Anne Frincheboy.

File No. 9222, Resolution No. 12507 (Series of 1939).

(Full payment of \$595 made.)

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, McMurray—2.

#### Approving Supplemental Recommendations, Public Welfare Department, Relative to Categorical Aids; Letter Dated August 5, 1952.

File No. 9224, Resolution No. 12508 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, McMurray—2.

#### Authorizing Extension of Grants of Emergency Relief to Dependent Non-Residents for August and September; List Dated August 11, 1952.

File No. 9225, Resolution No. 12509 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, McMurray—2.

**Authorizing and Directing the Civil Service Commission to Conduct a Salary Standardization Survey and Authorizing Expenditure of Funds Therefor.**

File No. 9133, Resolution No. 12503 (Series of 1939).

(Proposed schedules of compensations to be submitted to Board not later than February 7, 1953.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, McMurray—2.

**Authorizing Attendance of Sheriff and Confidential Secretary to the Sheriff at the Convention of the California State Peace Officers' Association to Be Held in Long Beach on August 14-16, and to Visit and Inspect the Facilities and Operations of the Los Angeles County Honor Farm.**

File No. 9293, Resolution No. 12510 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, McMurray—2.

**Authorizing Transfer of Unclaimed Duplicate Tax Payments for Period August, 1948, to June, 1949, in Sum of \$3,094.17, from the Duplicate Tax Fund to the General Fund.**

File No. 9317, Resolution No. 12511 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

**Ordered Submitted.**

The following, heretofore considered and temporarily postponed, were taken up:

**Charter Amendment—Section 149, Prescribing Authority of Civil Service Commission in Making Emergency Appointments.**

File No. 8727

July 23, 1952—Consideration continued to August 11, 1952

*Ordered Submitted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

**Passage for Second Reading.**

**Amending Subdivision C, Section 221, Article 3, Part I of the San Francisco Municipal Code, Relating to the Employees' Retirement System, so as to Allow Attorneys and Physicians in Non-Civil Service Positions, Who Resign and Withdraw Their Contributions from the Retirement System Within Sixty Days Prior to the Date Upon Which They Normally Would Be Required to Retire Because of Age, to Continue to Work for the City and County Under Subsequent Non-Civil Service Appointments, Without Limit as to Age.**

File No. 8805, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

July 23, 1952—Consideration continued to August 11, 1952.

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Sullivan—9.

No: Supervisor Mead—1.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

**Adopted.**

The Board resumed consideration of the Finance Committee recommendations.

**Authorizing Extension of Sublease with Charles Sava and Dr. Henry Domeniconi, Lessees of Crystal Palace Salt Water Baths, for the Period July 15 to September 14, 1952, at a Rental of \$1,250 Per Month.**

File No. 9319-2, Resolution No. 12502 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Mancuso, McMurray—2.

**Authorizing Attendance of Two Representatives of the Civil Service Commission at the Annual Convention of the Civil Service Assembly of the United States and Canada, to Be Held in New York City, October 20-23, 1952.**

File No. 9321, Resolution No. 12512 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Mancuso, McMurray—2.

**Authorizing Attendance of Three Representatives of the San Francisco Water Department at the Annual Meeting of the California Section of the American Water Works Association, to Be Held in Pasadena, October 28-31, 1952.**

File No. 9325, Resolution No. 12513 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Mancuso, McMurray—2.

**Rescinding Resolution No. 11714 (Series of 1939), Authorizing Application to Voluntary Credit Restraint Committee for Approval of Any Bond Sale During the Present Defense Emergency.**

File No. 9342, Resolution No. 12514 (Series of 1939).

(Director of Office of Defense Mobilization has suspended the voluntary credit restraints on state and municipal borrowing in amounts of one million dollars and over.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Mancuso, McMurray—2.

**Authorizing Attendance of Two Representatives of the Police Department at the Annual Meeting of the American Institute of Traffic Engineers to Be Held in Chicago, Illinois, September 8-11, 1952.**

File No. 9343, Resolution No. 12515 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Mancuso, McMurray—2.

**Authorizing Extension of Time to October 9, 1952, for Awarding of Recreation and Park Commission Contract for Construction of Paving, Fencing and Utilities, Quarters for Primates and Panthers, in the San Francisco Zoological Gardens.**

File No. 9349, Resolution No. 12516 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Mancuso, McMurray—2.

#### Passage for Second Reading.

**Appropriating \$7,500, Public Health, Adult Guidance Center, for Two Positions of Physician Specialist (Part-Time); Abolishing One Position of Physician Specialist.**

File No. 9267-1, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Physician Specialist	\$625 per month
Physician Specialist (PT)	625 per month.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Mancuso, McMurray—2.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 54, Public Health, Central Office—a Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 9267-2, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Mancuso, McMurray—2.

**Authorizing Compromise and Settlement of Claim of Henrietta Gill Against the City and County by the Payment of \$375.**

File No. 9322, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Personal injuries suffered as result of alleged defective condition of sidewalk.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Mancuso, McMurray—2.

**Authorizing Compromise and Settlement of Claim of Anna and Jean Altorfer Against the City and County by the Payment of \$500.**

File No. 9323, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Personal injuries suffered by Anna Altorfer as result of alleged defective condition of sidewalk.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Mancuso, McMurray—2.

**Appropriating \$3,000, Water Department, for Position of Senior Clerk;  
Abolishing Position of Cashier.**

File No. 9329-1, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(Senior Clerk	\$300-370 per month
Cashier . . . . .	485-575 per month.
Reassignment of duties formerly allocated to position of Cashier.)	

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Mancuso, McMurray—2.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 73.1, Water Department, Accounting and Financial—a Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 9329-2, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Mancuso, McMurray—2.

**Appropriating \$4,837.50, Electricity, for Position of Senior Radio Maintenance Man; Abolishing Position of Radio Maintenance Man.**

File No. 9330-1, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(Radio Maintenance Man	\$97.50 per week
Senior Radio Maintenance Man . . . . .	*117.50 per week)
Reclassification of position. *Subject to approval of Wage Stabilization Board.)	

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Mancuso, McMurray—2.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 53.4, Electricity, Wages—a Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 9330-2, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

**Appropriating \$2,800, Sheriff, for One Position of Bookkeeper, Abolishing One Position of Storekeeper.**

File No. 9331-1, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(Storekeeper	\$240-300 per month
Bookkeeper . . . . .	280-340 per month
Reallocation of vacant position of storekeeper.)	

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 9, Sheriff—a Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 9331-2, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

**Appropriating \$1,080, Police, to Enable Three Positions of General Clerk-Typist to Work a 44-Hour Week; Eliminating Provision Allowing Three Positions of General Clerk-Stenographer to Work a 44-Hour Week, and Validating Salary Ordinance Provisions.**

File No. 9332, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Validates Section 1.8, Annual Salary Ordinance.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

**Appropriating \$15,000, Public Utilities, from 1949 Cherry Valley Dam Bond Fund, for Operation of Camp and Cookhouse at Cherry Valley.**

File No. 9333, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Required for field engineering and administrative employees assigned to the Cherry River Project.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

**Appropriating \$3,000, San Francisco Airport, for Purchase of Equipment.**

File No. 9334, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(1 Tractor-Loader (estimated cost)	\$2,350
1 Spreader Box (estimated cost)	150)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

**Appropriating \$6,944, Hetch Hetchy, to Provide for Control of Expenditure and Receipts for Meals Provided Through the Hetch Hetchy Operating Fund, in Connection with the Subsistence of Employees and Official Visitors.**

File No. 9335, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

**Authorizing Exchange of Lands Between the City and County and Loyd D. Larsen et ux., Required for Twin Peaks Boulevard View Preservation.**

File No. 9336, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Even exchange. In conformity with Master Plan. Parcel to be acquired: Approximately 1.981 acres, along easterly side of Twin Peaks Boulevard in a northerly and southerly direction. Parcel to be traded: Approximately 1.812 acres, located on westerly side of Burnett Avenue about 200 feet north of Hopkins Street.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

### Temporary Postponement.

The following recommendation of Finance Committee was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarthy.

(Supervisor Christopher dissenting.)

**Motion Requesting City Attorney to Prepare Legislation Calling for Submission of a \$6,620,000 Bond Issue for the Rehabilitation of the Municipal Railway.**

File No. 9303.

It is moved that the Clerk be directed to request that the City Attorney prepare and submit to this Board at as early a date as is possible legislation necessary to the submission at the election to be held on November 4, 1952, a bond issue in the amount of \$6,620,000 for rehabilitation of the Municipal Railway, the details of estimated expenditure being as shown in the report of the Public Utilities Commission dated August 6, 1952.

(NOTE: The request for this bond issue as originally submitted by the Public Utilities Commission was in the amount of \$8,981,600 and included funds for buses, trolley coaches and other equipment intended to provide a substitute for certain of the existing cable car facilities. Upon reconsideration by the Public Utilities Commission such proposal was abandoned and a substitute measure requesting a bond issue in the amount of \$6,620,000 was presented, detailed expenditures under which are set forth in the Public Utilities communication of August 6, 1952.)

### Explanation of Vote.

#### Statement of Supervisor George Christopher in re Submission of Municipal Bond Issue.

I am voting against the submission of a bond issue in the amount of \$6,620,000 for the Municipal Railway for the following reasons:

1. There is now pending before the Administration the matter of establishing a "Transit Authority" to manage the affairs of the Municipal Railway. It is unquestionably the intent of all concerned that this new Transit Authority shall be comprised of expert transportation persons, fully versed and experienced in the management of a transit system. I would prefer to have the Transit Authority's recommendation in this regard, for it is wholly possible that the new Authority may be saddled with equipment which it may deem inappropriate. If a new authority is to run the railway, it should not be encumbered with decisions made by a prior Commission.

2. I do not recall that the \$20,000,000 originally voted to rehabilitate the Municipal Railway was only for partial rehabilitation. It was my understanding that the \$20,000,000 constituted a full program, and the people were promised fast, efficient service at minimum fares.

3. I am not convinced that the type of cars and equipment contemplated for purchase with this proposed new bond issue is the proper equipment for our needs. In seeking expert advice on this matter, I note that there is a wide variance of opinion between the experts themselves, and a private operator who recently made a lease offer for the Municipal Railway to San Francisco (Mr. Jess Haugh) indicated that our type of equipment was entirely too costly. I believe we should obtain fuller information as to type of equipment before spending more millions.

If a private operator considers our type of equipment inefficient and in need of complete conversion as he stated, we should think twice about spending more millions for the same kind of equipment.

Supervisor McCarty, in explaining his vote, stated that he was of the belief that the bond issue should be submitted notwithstanding



the fact that a Transit Authority might be created, because such a bond issue was necessary for the efficient operation of the Municipal Railway

#### Motion to Postpone.

Supervisor Lewis remarked that he was not convinced that the bond issue was necessary and that before he voted on the matter he would like to have additional information from the proponents of the measure.

Supervisor Lewis moved that consideration be continued for one week.

Motion lost for want of a second.

#### Motion to Temporarily Postpone.

Supervisor Arnold informed the Board that the report on the bids for the housing survey was ready and moved that the Board temporarily postpone consideration of the bond issue and recess to consider the report on the bids in connection with the housing survey, seconded by Supervisor Dobbs.

No objection and motion carried.

#### Reconvening of Board.

The Board reconvened at the hour of 4:20 p. m.

#### Adopted.

The following recommendation of the Joint Committee on Finance and County, State and National Affairs was taken up:

Recommending That the Purchaser of Supplies Award a Contract for the Conduct of a Survey of Housing Accommodations in San Francisco to John Kellogg and Associates.

File No. 9324-1, Resolution No. 12501 (Series of 1939).

#### Discussion.

Supervisor Arnold explained that the committee was recommending the award to John Kellogg and Associates even though Keaton Advertising submitted a lower bid. He further remarked that the reason for so doing was that the services of Keaton Advertising were not acceptable to labor, business or the apartment house industry.

#### Suspension of the Rules.

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor Lewis, moved the suspension of the rules for the immediate consideration of the legislation.

No objection and motion carried.

#### Question of Parliamentary Information.

Supervisor Christopher inquired of the Chair as to whether or not the legislation would require a unanimous vote for adoption.

The Chair ruled that the matter was a committee recommendation and would require a majority vote.

#### Explanation of Vote.

Supervisor Mead in explaining his vote stated that he would have to vote against the legislation because the lowest bid was not accepted.

#### Adoption.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Sullivan—9.

No: Supervisor Mead—1.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

**Adopted.**

The Board resumed consideration of File No. 9303, heretofore temporarily postponed.

**Motion Requesting City Attorney to Prepare Legislation Calling for Submission of a \$6,620,000 Bond Issue for the Rehabilitation of the Municipal Railway.**

File No. 9303.

It is moved that the Clerk be directed to request that the City Attorney prepare and submit to this Board at as early a date as is possible legislation necessary to the submission at the election to be held on November 4, 1952, a bond issue in the amount of \$6,620,000 for rehabilitation of the Municipal Railway, the details of estimated expenditure being as shown in the report of the Public Utilities Commission dated August 6, 1952.

(NOTE: The request for this bond issue as originally submitted by the Public Utilities Commission was in the amount of \$8,981,600 and included funds for buses, trolley coaches and other equipment intended to provide a substitute for certain of the existing cable car facilities. Upon reconsideration by the Public Utilities Commission such proposal was abandoned and a substitute measure requesting a bond issue in the amount of \$6,620,000 was presented, detailed expenditures under which are set forth in the Public Utilities communication of August 6, 1952.)

**Explanation of Vote.**

Supervisor Lewis in explaining his vote stated that by voting to have the City Attorney prepare the legislation he would not be bound to vote to submit the proposal to the people.

**Adoption.**

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Fardon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—3.

Noes: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

**OFF-CALENDAR LEGISLATION.****Adopted.**

The following recommendation of his Honor, the Mayor, was presented by the Clerk:

Leaves of Absence, Ben C. Kline, Director of Finance and Records, Two Weeks Commencing August 15; Dr. Herbert C. Clish, Superintendent of Schools, August 11-24; Bert W. Levit, Member, Board of Education, September 4-8; Charles T. McDonough, Civil Service Commissioner, August 13-18; Karl L. Schaupp, Member, Board of Education, August 18-September 15; Edward P. Walsh, Chief, Fire Department, August 20-September 10; Harold L. Zellerbach, President, Art Commission, September 9-16 and September 27-October 11, 1952, All With Permission to Leave the State.

File No. 9220, Resolution No. 12504 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved adoption.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

**ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF BILLS, PROPOSALS AND COMMUNICATIONS NOT PRESENTED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.**

**Extending Thanks to Mr. Harold Dunleavy, and the Clerk of the Board, for Their Assistance in Preparing the Questionnaire for the Housing Survey.**

Supervisor Arnold, speaking on behalf of the Joint Committee on Finance and County, State and National Affairs, remarked that he desired to express his thanks to Mr. Harold Dunleavy and Mr. McGrath, Clerk of the Board, for their invaluable assistance in preparing the questionnaire for the housing survey.

Supervisor Arnold requested that a letter be written to Mr. Dunleavy thanking him for his assistance.

No objection and request *granted*.

**Reference to Committee.**

**Supporting Plans for Construction and Utilization of a Scale Model of San Francisco Bay.**

Supervisor Christopher presented:

File No. 9097-1, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Christopher, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, moved adoption.

Upon objection by Supervisor Lewis, the Chair referred the legislation to the Joint Committee on Finance and County, State and National Affairs.

**Adopted.**

**In Memoriam—Judge Matthew F. Brady.**

Presented jointly by all members of the Board.

File No. 9221, Resolution No. 12506 (Series of 1939)

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Dobbs, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, moved adoption.

*Adopted by a rising vote as follows:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

**Protest re Remarks Attributed to State Legislative Representative Concerning San Francisco's Position on Construction of Scale Model of San Francisco Bay.**

Supervisor Ferdon objected to the action taken by the State Legislative Representative in informing a legislative committee that San Francisco would approve the construction of the scale model of San Francisco Bay and contribute its share of the cost, although the City and County, through its legislative body, had taken no official position.

Supervisor Ferdon requested that the Clerk direct a communication, over his signature, to admonish Mr. Cleary in connection with his future representations.

No objection and request *granted*.

### Statements by Supervisors Concerning Construction of Scale Model of San Francisco Bay.

Supervisor Lewis stated that he did not believe that a scale model would be of assistance to San Francisco because the other counties would not be persuaded to change their minds if the model proved that a southern crossing was the only feasible crossing. He further remarked that he would be in favor of the construction of the model if either the State or the United States would pay the cost.

Supervisor Christopher requested that the Clerk prepare legislation calling for the State to appropriate money for the construction of the scale model of San Francisco Bay.

No objection and request *granted*.

Supervisor MacPhee explained that he believed that the construction of a scale model would be of great benefit to San Francisco because it would help decide what type of crossing should be constructed, and, because of that, he was in favor of going ahead and undertaking the construction of the model.

Supervisor Mancuso remarked that the scale model would be of great assistance in finding out what would be best for the Bay Area, not only for today but for the future.

Supervisor McCarty said that he felt that a model should be built and that San Francisco should contribute its share of the cost, but at the present time no money was available for that purpose. He further stated that he believed that another meeting should be held on the subject, preferably in Alameda County.

### Adopted.

### Authorizing Attendance of Supervisors at State Fair on County Supervisors' Day, August 29, 1952.

Supervisor Mancuso presented:

File No. 9370, Resolution No. 12517 (Series of 1939).

### Motion to Adopt.

Supervisor Mancuso, seconded by Supervisor Lewis, moved adoption.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

### Lease of the Municipal Railway.

Supervisor Mancuso stated that he desired to congratulate City Transit Lines, submitting the proposal for the leasing of the Municipal Railway, for offering a very fine deal for themselves and a poor one for the taxpayers of San Francisco. He remarked that he was unalterably opposed to leasing the Municipal Railway under the provisions of the proposed lease filed with the Board of Supervisors.

### Reference to Committee.

### Requesting His Honor, the Mayor, to Appoint a Citizens' Committee for Reception to California Participants in the Olympic Games.

Supervisor McCarty presented:

File No. 9371, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

### Adopted.

### In Memoriam—Elie Leon Escallier.

Supervisor Sullivan presented:

File No. 9221, Resolution No. 12505 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Sullivan, seconded by Supervisor Lewis, moved adoption.

*Adopted by a rising vote as follows:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

**Absent:** Supervisor McMurray—1.

**ADJOURNMENT.**

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 5:20 p. m., adjourned.

JOHN R. McGRATH, Clerk.

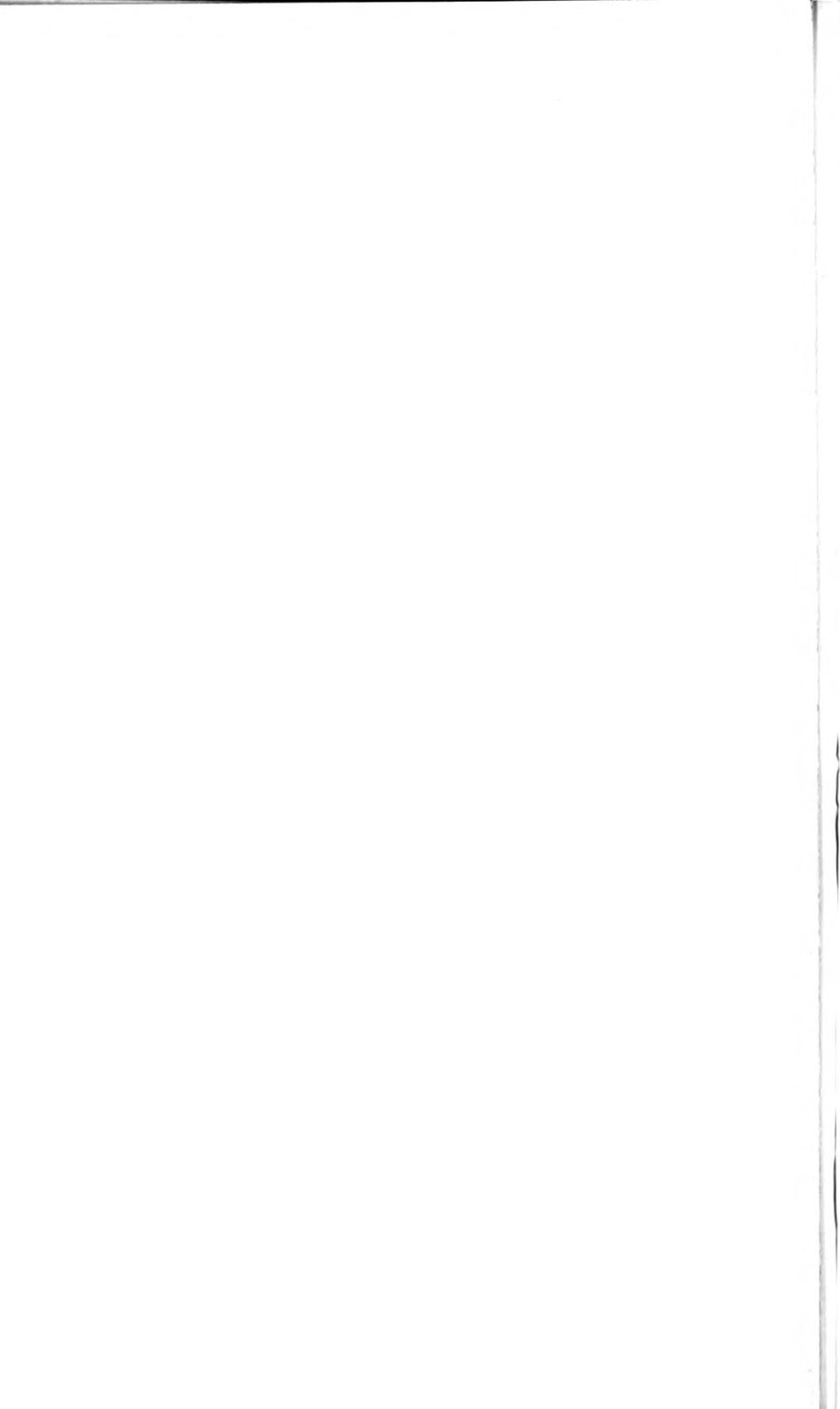
Approved by the Board of Supervisors September 2, 1952

I, John R. McGrath, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the date hereon stated and approved as recited.

JOHN R. McGRATH,  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors









Monday, August 18, 1952

# Journal of Proceedings Board of Supervisors





# JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MONDAY, AUGUST 18, 1952—2:00 P. M.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, August 18, 1952,  
2:00 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

## CALLING THE ROLL

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

Quorum present.

President Dewey Mead presiding.

Supervisor McMurray excused on account of illness.

## APPROVAL OF JOURNAL

The Journal of Proceedings for Monday, August 4, 1952, was considered read and approved.

## Communication

Communication from Dion R. Holm, City Attorney, transmitting proposed resolution determining that public interest and necessity require a bond issue in the amount of \$6,620,000 for further rehabilitation of the Municipal Railway.

*Ordered filed.*

## Adopted

Determining and Declaring That Public Interest and Necessity Demand the Acquisition, Construction and Completion by the City and County of San Francisco of the Following Municipal Improvement, To-wit: A Further Rehabilitation of the Municipal Railway Consisting of Reconstruction of California Streetcars, Grips, Reconstruction of California-Hyde Carhouse, Conversion of Streetcar Lines Into Trolley Coach Operations, New Streetcars, Trolley Coaches and Motor Coaches, Automatic Electric Substation, Automotive Shops and Equipment, Fare Collection Equipment, Radio Cars, the Removal of Unused Tracks and Reconstruction of New Tracks, and All Other Works, Property or Structures Necessary or Convenient for the Complete Further Rehabilitation of the Municipal Railway, and That the Estimated Cost of Said Municipal Improvement Is and Will Be Too Great to Be Paid Out of the Ordinary Annual Income and Revenue of Said City and County.

The Clerk presented:

File No. 9303-1, Resolution No. 12527 (Series of 1939).

MONDAY, AUGUST 18, 1952

### Motion to Adopt

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved adoption.

### Communication

From the Central Council of Civic Clubs, protesting the proposed bond issue for further rehabilitation of the Municipal Railway.

*Ordered filed.*

### Refused Adoption

*Refused adoption by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Noes: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

### Motion to Rescind Action

Supervisor Christopher stated that he did not believe that any member of the Board had any more definite opinion on the Municipal Railway bond issue than he did. That he did not believe that the people should be requested to pass on another bond issue at this time because the first \$20,000,000 was not spent as it should have been, and that he felt it would be bad business for the taxpayers of San Francisco to permit the Public Utilities Commission to have the amount of money as proposed by bond issue.

The Chair ruled that Supervisor Christopher was out of order since the matter had been voted upon and defeated.

Supervisor Christopher informed the Chair that he was prefacing a motion.

Upon that premise the Chair permitted the Supervisor to continue.

Supervisor Christopher further stated that he felt that if the people wanted to vote on the bond issue that was their prerogative and for that reason he moved that the Board rescind action. Motion seconded by Supervisor Mancuso.

### Discussion

Supervisor Mancuso explained that he had voted for the submission of the bond issue but that he was not in favor of it, and that he felt the people should have an opportunity of determining whether or not they wanted further improvements of the Municipal Railway.

Supervisor Lewis remarked that he could not understand why a Supervisor would change his vote just to submit a matter to the people.

The Chair ruled that a Supervisor could change his vote any time he so desires.

### Point of Order

Supervisor Christopher rose to a point of order: that the Chair was out of order in debating with members of the Board without relinquishing the chair and coming down on the floor.

The Chair ruled that the point of order was not well taken.

### Discussion

Supervisor Lewis stated that he reserved the right to give his views on any matters before the Board and would do so without reference to personalities. He explained that he voted against the legislation because no far-sighted plan had been evolved, and that under those circumstances he would continue to vote against the legislation.

Motion to rescind *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

No: Supervisor Lewis—1.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

#### Explanation of Vote

Supervisor MacPhee stated that he voted to rescind because it was a courtesy he would extend to any member of the Board; that he would vote against the bond issue because no plan had been made for an over-all rapid transit program.

Supervisor Christopher explained that he would vote for the bond issue because he did not want his vote to be the one to prohibit the citizens from expressing their opinion on the matter.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Noes: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee—2.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

#### Temporary Postponement

#### SPECIAL ORDER—2:00 P. M.

Hearing of Persons Interested in or Objecting to the Proposed Vacation of Portions of Thomas Avenue and Conkling Street.

File No. 8231.

(Pursuant to notice of intention given in Resolution No. 12418 (Series of 1939).)

Mrs. Walter T. Follma, a property owner, inquired as to how much of the streets would be vacated.

#### Motion to Temporarily Postpone

Supervisor MacPhee, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, moved temporary postponement.

No objection and motion *carried*.

#### UNFINISHED BUSINESS

##### Final Passage

The following recommendations of Finance Committee, heretofore considered, were taken up:

Present. Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

Appropriating \$8,640, San Francisco Hospital, for Two Positions of Instructor of Nurses; Abolishing One Position of Instructor of Nurses, Pediatrics, and One Position of Instructor of Nurses, Communicable Diseases; and Validating Item 87, Section 60, of the Annual Salary Ordinance.

File No. 9306, Ordinance No. 7451 (Series of 1939).

(NOTE: This measure merely provides for the retitling of two positions at the request of the State Department of Public Health. No new position and no change in salary.)

Finally Passed by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, McMurray—2.

Appropriating \$3,000, County Clerk, for Position of General Clerk-Stenographer; Abolishing Position of General Clerk, and Validating Section 34, Item 8.1 of the Annual Salary Ordinance.

File No. 9307, Ordinance No. 7452 (Series of 1939).

(NOTE: This is merely a reclassification of a position from General Clerk to General Clerk-Stenographer at the same salary.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, McMurray—2.

Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Public Utilities, Section 70e, Engineering-Specific Projects, by Deleting Therefrom One Position of Engineer, Civil, and Adding One Position of Engineer, Mechanical; Amending Section 71.2, Interdepartmental Employments as Needed, by Deleting One Position of Engineer, Mechanical, and Adding One Position of Engineer, Civil.

File No. 9308, Ordinance No. 7453 (Series of 1939).

(NOTE: This measure provides for the transfer of 1 Mechanical Engineer from "Interdepartmental" to "Specific Projects," and 1 Civil Engineer from "Specific Projects" to "Interdepartmental." Designed to more properly round out the engineering staff for "Specific Projects." No new position created.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, McMurray—2.

Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 43, Public Works, Bureau of Building Repair, by Deleting One Position of Cement Finisher's Helper and Adding One Position of Cement Finisher.

File No. 9309, Ordinance No. 7450 (Series of 1939).

(NOTE: It is the policy of the Civil Service Commission, as positions in this particular classification become vacant, to reclassify them either to journeyman or laborer, depending upon the particular duties of each such job.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, McMurray—2.

## NEW BUSINESS

### Adopted

The following recommendations of Finance Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

Authorizing Controller to Release \$100 to Luther L. Stibbens, and \$125 to Public Welfare Department in Partial Settlement for Indigent Aid Granted Said Luther L. Stibbens.

File No. 9223, Resolution No. 12523 (Series of 1939).

(Mr. Stibbens settled suit against the Municipal Railway for \$225.)

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, McMurray—2.

**Approving Supplemental Recommendations, Public Welfare Department, Relative to Categorical Aids; Letter Dated August 12, 1952.**

File No. 9224, Resolution No. 12524 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

**Absent:** Supervisors Lewis, McMurray—2.

**Authorizing Refund of Duplicate and Erroneous Payment of Taxes.**

File No. 9230, Resolution No. 12526 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

**Absent:** Supervisors Lewis, McMurray—2.

**Authorizing Purchase of Water Pipe Line Easement Over Certain Land in San Mateo County, From Joseph F. Mancha et ux., for \$2,025; Required for Sunset Supply Line.**

File No. 9339, Resolution No. 12530 (Series of 1939).

(Strip of land 20 feet wide, extending 403.61 feet along northeasterly lines of Lots 6, 7 and 9, Block "A," Map No. 1, Country Club Park, San Mateo County, containing 0.186 of an acre.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

**Absent:** Supervisors Lewis, McMurray—2.

**Authorizing Acceptance of Gift of \$50 From Robert H. Leech, for and on Behalf of the Public Library.**

File No. 9354, Resolution No. 12532 (Series of 1939).

(To be credited to the Edward F. Leech Memorial Fund for the purchase of books on journalism.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

**Absent:** Supervisors Lewis, McMurray—2.

**Authorizing Attendance of Director of Public Welfare at the West Coast Regional Conference of the American Public Welfare Association, to Be Held in Victoria, B. C., September 2-4, 1952.**

File No. 9355, Resolution No. 12533 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

**Absent:** Supervisors Lewis, McMurray—2.

#### Consideration Continued

**Authorizing Attendance of Representatives of Various Departments at the Annual Convention of the League of California Cities, to Be Held at San Diego, October 12-15, 1952.**

File No. 9375, Resolution No. . (Series of 1939).

Supervisor MacPhee, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, moved that consideration be continued for one week.

No objection and motion *carried*.

## Passage for Second Reading

Appropriating \$194.89, Purchasing Department, for Vacation Pay as Provided in Charter Section 151.5 for the Calendar Years 1948, 1949 and 1950.

File No. 9351, Ordinance No. . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, McMurray—2.

Appropriating \$7,954, Recreation and Park Commission, for the Construction of Paving, Fencing and Utilities, Quarters for Primates and Panthers at San Francisco Zoological Gardens.

File No. 9352, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, McMurray—2.

Appropriating \$797.20, Police Department, for Retroactive Compensation Due Police Officer Entitled to Credit for Time Previously Served for Purpose of Salary Increments.

File No. 9353, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, McMurray—2.

Amending Ordinance No. 6563 (Series of 1939), Ordering Improvement of Campbell Street Between Brussels and Goettingen Streets, by Authorizing an Additional Sum of \$1,729.22 in City Aid to Legalize and Equalize the Assessment.

File No. 6840-1, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(On July 14, 1952, Board of Supervisors canceled the assessments against Lots 3-11, inc., Block 6206 and Lots 1, 1A, 1B, 2 and 4, Block 6205.)

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, McMurray—2.

Authorizing Extension of Grants of Emergency Relief to Dependent Non-residents for August and September: List Dated August 18, 1952.

File No. 9225, Resolution No. 12525 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, McMurray—2.

## Adopted

The following, from Finance Committee without recommendation, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.



Requesting Mayor to Appoint a Citizens' Committee to Arrange a Reception for California Participants in the Olympic Games; and Providing for the Transfer of \$4,000 From the Appropriation for Civic Celebrations to the Publicity and Advertising Fund.

File No. 9371, Resolution No. 12535 (Series of 1939).

#### Motion to Adopt.

Supervisor McCarty, seconded by Supervisor Arnold, moved adoption.

#### Discussion

Supervisor Dobbs explained that he was prepared to vote against the legislation because the two proposals on the calendar would deplete the entire amount of the appropriation.

Supervisor McCarty remarked that the Angel Island Day Committee was not in a position to undertake the reception and that it should be done by San Francisco.

Supervisor MacPhee stated that the reception was a policy matter and should be determined by the Mayor.

Mr. Brooks, Chief Administrative Officer, explained that the Mayor had appointed a citizens' committee, that a meeting had been held at which a representative of the Angel Island Day Committee was present, and it had been decided that the reception should be a San Francisco affair.

#### Privilege of the Floor

Supervisor Ferdon, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, moved the privilege of the floor for Mr. Gordon Blackman.

No objection and motion carried.

Mr. Blackman informed the Board that the Mayor had suggested that San Francisco invite all California participants in the Olympic Games to come to San Francisco. The amount necessary would be \$5,000, of which \$4,000 would come from the Board of Supervisors.

Supervisor MacPhee requested Mr. Blackman to submit a copy of the budget and also a listing of how the monies had been spent.

#### Adoption

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

No: Supervisor Dobbs—1.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

#### Re-reference to Committee

Authorizing Transfer of \$6,000 from the Appropriation for Civic Celebrations to the Publicity and Advertising Fund to Defray in Part the Expenses of the 77th Annual Session, Grand Chapter of California Order of the Eastern Star, to Be Held in San Francisco, October 19-24, Inclusive.

File No. 9336, Resolution No. 12536 (Series of 1939).

#### Motion to Re-refer

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, moved that the legislation be re-referred to Finance Committee.

No objection and motion carried.

#### Adopted

The following, from the Rules Committee, was taken up:

Present: Supervisor Mead.

Appointing Stanley Breyer to San Francisco Bay Area Rapid Transit Commission, Vice Henry E. North, Resigned.

File No. 7994-1, Resolution No. 12519 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt**

Supervisor MacPhee, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved adoption.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

**Adopted**

The following recommendations of Streets Committee were taken up:

Present Supervisors Ferdon, Sullivan.

Ordering the Vacation of a Portion of Wattson Place Between Ruth and Leo Streets.

File No. 7032-2, Resolution No. 12518 (Series of 1939).

(Not in conflict with the Master Plan.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

Granting Revocable Permission to State of California to Occupy a Six-Inch Strip of the Inner Sidewalk Area on South Side of Turk Street Between the Westerly Line of Franklin Street and a Point 100 Feet Westerly Therefrom.

File No. 9337, Resolution No. 12528 (Series of 1939).

(State is erecting a 4-story reinforced concrete building at the above site and due to inaccurate location of building foundation and basement wall the forms do not line up with the buildings to the west. Sidewalk 12 feet wide.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

Approving Map Showing the Opening of a Portion of Moulton Street Between Steiner and Fillmore Streets.

File No. 9338, Resolution No. 12534 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

**Passage for Second Reading**

Changing or Modifying the Grades on Peralta Avenue Between a Line 254.04 Feet Northerly From Mayflower Street and Powhattan Avenue.

File No. 9069, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

### Changing or Modifying Grades on Portions of Goettingen Street and Mansell Street.

File No. 9114, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan - 10.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray - 1.

### Accepting the Roadways and Curbs of a Portion of Hamilton Street and Certain Streets in the Parkmerced Subdivision, Including Various Intersections.

File No. 9305, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Hamilton Street between Woolsey and Dwight Streets,

Chumasero Drive from Font Boulevard to Stanley Drive, including the intersection of Galindo Avenue;

Font Boulevard, southwest one-half, from Vidal Drive to Lake Merced Boulevard;

Galindo Avenue from Chumasero Drive to a point 135 feet more or less easterly to its termination;

Higuera Avenue, southerly one-half, from Arballo Drive to Vidal Drive, including the southerly one-half of the intersection of Vidal Drive;

Vidal Drive from Garces Drive to northerly one-half of Higuera Avenue;

Vidal Drive from Acevedo Avenue to Arballo Drive.)

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan - 10.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray - 1.

### Adopted

The following, from the Public Buildings, Lands and City Planning Committee, were taken up:

Fixing Date of Monday, August 25, 1952, at 2:00 p. m., for Hearing the Appeal From the Decision of the City Planning Commission by Its Resolution No. 4066, Dated July 3, 1952, Disapproving Application to Rezone Property Located on the Southwest Corner of Alemany Boulevard and Santa Rosa Avenue From First Residential District to Commercial District.

File No. 9333, Resolution No. 12529 (Series of 1939)

### Motion to Adopt.

Supervisor McCarty, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, moved adoption.

### No Protestants—Referred to Real Estate Department

The Board resumed consideration of File No. 3231, relative to protests in connection with the proposed vacation of portions of Thomas Avenue and Conkling Street.

### Discussion

Mr. Whaley, representative of the Department of Public Works, explained to Mrs. Follma that the vacation was being done for the Board of Education for the construction of a school, and showed her where the fence would be erected. Mrs. Follma expressed satisfaction with the project.

There being no protests made, the Chair ordered the matter referred to the Real Estate Department for preparation of the order of vacation of the streets.

**Adopted**

Fixing Date of Monday, August 25, 1952, at 2:00 p. m., for Hearing the Appeal From the Decision of the City Planning Commission by Its Resolution No. 4067, Dated July 3, 1952, Disapproving Application to Rezone Property Located on the South Line of West Portal Avenue Distant Thereon 227 Feet Measured From the Tangent Point of a Curve to the Left From Fifteenth Avenue, From First Residential District to Commercial District.

File No. 9348, Resolution No. 12531 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt**

Supervisor Mancuso, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved adoption.

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

**Ordered Submitted**

The following recommendation of Judiciary Committee was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon.

Charter Amendment, Section 156, Providing for Method of Fixing Salaries of Employees Who Have Taken Disability Transfers From or to Positions, the Compensations for Which Are Subject to Section 151.3.

File No. 9289.

*Ordered submitted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

**OFF-CALENDAR LEGISLATION**

The following recommendation of his Honor, the Mayor, was presented by the Clerk:

Leave of Absence, Sherman P. Duckel, Director of Public Works, September 1-30; Dan S. Hewitt, Member, Board of Trustees of the War Memorial, August 20-September 20; Thomas C. Howe, Jr., Member, Board of Trustees of the California Palace of the Legion of Honor, September 5-7; David E. Lewis, General Manager, Recreation and Park Department, September 8-October 10; and Oliver M. Rousseau, President, Public Utilities Commission, August 19-24. All With Permission to Leave the State.

File No. 9220, Resolution No. 12520 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor Dobbs, moved adoption.

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

## ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF MEASURES NOT CONSIDERED OR ACTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

### Statement in Connection With Rejection of Lowest Bid for Conduct of Housing Survey.

Supervisor Arnold remarked that a week ago the Board approved the contract with Kellogg and Associates for a housing survey. The lowest bidder was Keaton Advertising Company, which was rejected, not on the grounds that the members of the Joint Committee thought them incompetent but due to the fact that the time limitation would not permit a thorough investigation of their qualifications.

### Referred to Registrar of Voters.

### Declaration of Policy—Scale Model of San Francisco Bay.

Supervisor Christopher presented a declaration of policy with respect to including in the next Annual Appropriation Ordinance a sum sufficient to provide an equitable contribution by San Francisco toward construction of a scale model of San Francisco Bay.

File No. 9097-2.

No Board action necessary; Declaration to be filed with Registrar by the Clerk.

### Reference to Committee

Requesting Board of Education to Declare Commerce High School Playfield Surplus Property No Longer Necessary for School Purposes; and Providing for the Use of Said Land for Surface Parking Purposes Pending the Construction of Permanent Facilities Thereon.

Supervisor Christopher presented:

File No. 9390, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Public Buildings, Lands and City Planning Committee.*

### Referred to Chief Administrative Officer

### Invitation to Participate in Festival of Lights Parade.

Supervisor Dobbs presented a communication from Herb Wegner, Promotion Chairman, Berkeley's 7th Annual Festival of Lights, extending an invitation to San Francisco to enter a parade unit in the Festival of Lights Parade, September 19, in Berkeley.

*Referred to the Chief Administrative Officer.*

### Request Granted

Extending Wishes for a Successful Season to the '49ers, San Francisco's Entry in the National Football League.

Supervisor Ferdon requested that a communication be directed to the Morabito brothers extending the wishes of the Board and the people of San Francisco for a most successful season for the '49ers.

No objection and request *granted*.

### Reference to Committee

Supervisor Lewis called the Board's attention to communications from the City and County of Denver and the Denver Tramway Corporation in connection with the 5-cent shoppers' special now operating in Denver, and requested that committee study be again given to the proposal.

*Referred to Public Utilities Committee.*

### Adopted

### In Memoriam—William Gutzkow.

Supervisor MacPhee presented:

File No. 9221, Resolution No. 12521 (Series of 1939).

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**Motion to Adopt**

Supervisor MacPhee, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, moved adoption.

*Adopted by a rising vote as follows:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

**Announcement of Committee Meeting**

Supervisor Mancuso announced a meeting of the Public Buildings, Lands and City Planning Committee for Friday, September 5, 3:30 p. m., to consider the question of slum clearance and other items.

**Adopted****In Memoriam—Ralph L. Spoor.**

Supervisor Mead presented:

File No. 9221, Resolution No. 12522 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt**

Supervisor Mead, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, moved adoption.

*Adopted by a rising vote as follows:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

**Procedure to Be Followed by Supervisor in Prefacing a Motion.**

Supervisor Mead instructed the Board that it would be appreciated by the Chair if, in the future, when a member of the Board desires to preface a motion, he so announce when he starts to speak.

**Reference to Committee**

Authorizing David E. Lewis, General Manager, and Carey N. Baldwin, Director of Zoo, Recreation and Park Department, to Attend the 54th Annual Conference of American Institute of Park Executives, to Be Held in Montreal, Canada, September 15-18.

Supervisor Sullivan presented:

File No. 9391, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

**ADJOURNMENT**

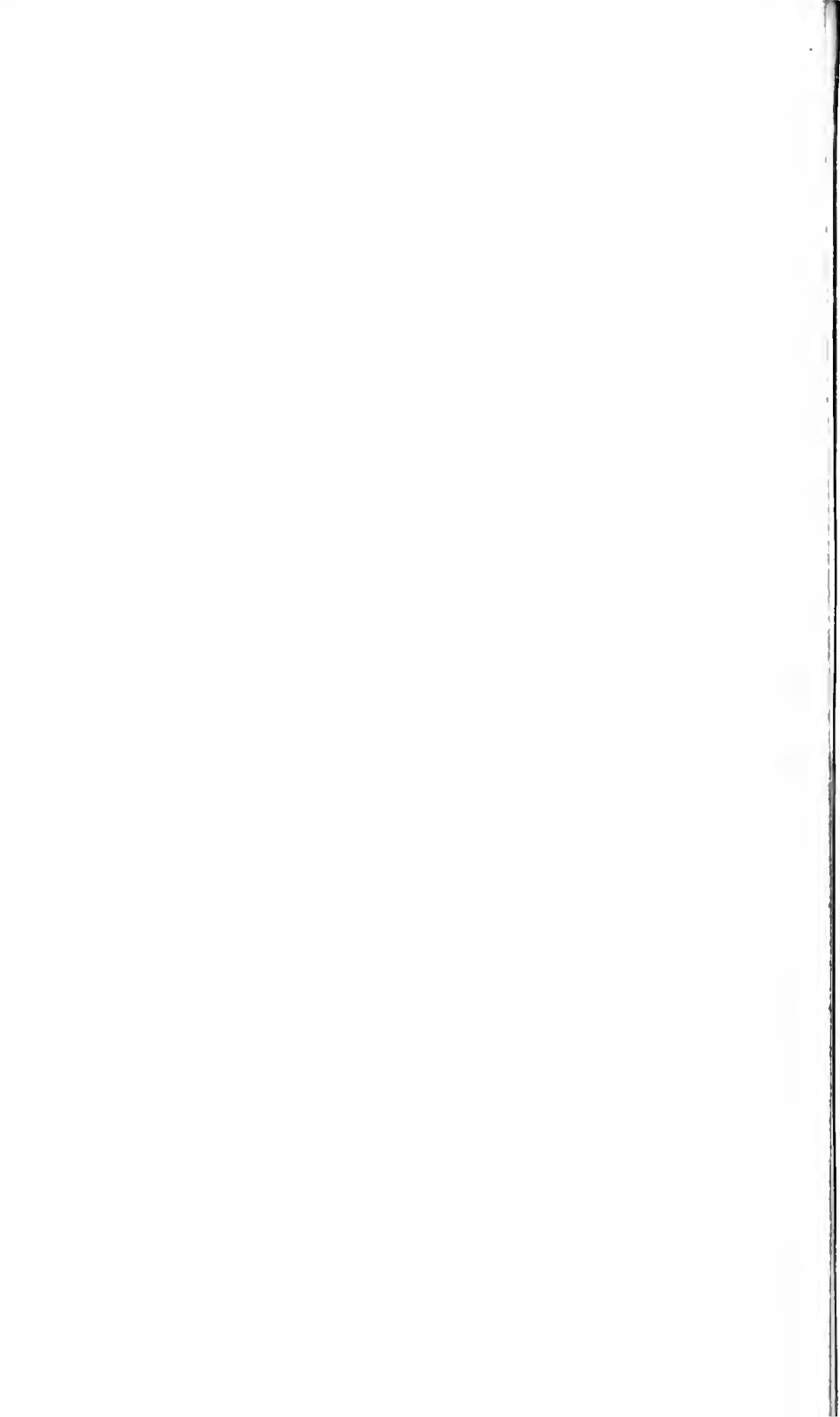
There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 4:05 p. m., adjourned.

JOHN R. McGRATH, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors September 3, 1952.

I, John R. McGrath, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the date hereon stated and approved as recited

JOHN R. McGRATH,  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.





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MONDAY, AUGUST 25, 1952—2:00 P. M.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, August 25, 1952, 2:00 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

## CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, McMurray—3.

Quorum present.

President Dewey Mead presiding.

Supervisor Dobbs excused from attendance, on leave of absence.

Supervisor McMurray excused from attendance due to illness.

Supervisor Christopher noted present at 2:25 p. m.

Supervisor MacPhee excused from attendance at 4:45 p. m.

## Communications.

From Mr. Charles P. Teevin, parade director, Annual Mission Miracle Mile Celebration, extending an invitation to the Board of Supervisors to participate in parade, Wednesday, October 1st.

*Copy to each member of the Board: filed.*

From N. Loyall McLaren, Chairman, Municipal Government Survey Advisory Committee, transmitting information that the Committee plans to close its offices in the Adam Grant Building on or before August 29, 1952.

*Legislation adopted: filed.*

From Bradford Bosley, attorney-at-law, requesting Board to postpone consideration of appeal from the decision of the City Planning Commission in connection with property on West Portal near Fifteenth Avenue.

*Calendar item continued to September 2, 1952.*

## SPECIAL ORDER—2:00 P. M.

### Consideration Continued.

Hearing of Appeal from the Decision of the City Planning Commission by Its Resolution No. 4066, Disapproving Application to Rezone Property Located on the Southwest Corner of Alemany Boulevard and Santa Rosa Avenue from First Residential District to Commercial District.

File No. 9338

### Motion to Postpone.

Supervisor Lewis, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, moved that consideration be continued to September 2, 1952.

No objection and motion *carried*.

### Consideration Temporarily Postponed.

Hearing of Appeal from the Decision of the City Planning Commission by Its Resolution No. 4067, Disapproving Application to Rezone Property Located on the South Line of West Portal Avenue Distant Thereon 227 Feet Measured from the Tangent Point of a Curve to the Left from Fifteenth Avenue, from First Residential District to Commercial District.

File No. 9348

### Motion to Temporarily Postpone.

Supervisor MacPhee, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, moved temporary postponement.

No objection and motion *carried*.

### UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

#### Consideration Continued.

The following recommendation of Judiciary Committee, heretofore considered, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis.

Amending Subdivision C, Section 221, Article 3, Part I of the San Francisco Municipal Code, Relating to the Employees' Retirement System, so as to Allow Attorneys and Physicians in Non-Civil Service Positions, Who Resign and Withdraw Their Contributions from the Retirement System Within Sixty Days Prior to the Date Upon Which They Normally Would Be Required to Retire Because of Age, to Continue to Work for the City and County Under Subsequent Non-Civil Service Appointments, Without Limit as to Age.

File No. 8805, Ordinance No. . . (Series of 1939).

#### Motion to Continue Consideration.

Supervisor MacPhee, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, moved that consideration be continued to September 2, 1952.

No objection and motion *carried*.

### Final Passage.

The following recommendations of Finance Committee, heretofore considered, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

Appropriating \$7,500, Public Health, Adult Guidance Center, for Two Positions of Physician Specialist (Part-Time); Abolishing One Position of Physician Specialist.

File No. 9267-1, Ordinance No. 7454 (Series of 1939).

(Physician Specialist . . . . .)	\$625 per month
Physician Specialist (Part-Time) . . . . .	625 per month)

Finally Passed by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 54, Public Health, Central Office—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 9267-2, Ordinance No. 7455 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

**Authorizing Compromise and Settlement of Claim of Henrietta Gill Against the City and County by the Payment of \$375.**

File No. 9322, Ordinance No. 7456 (Series of 1939).

(Personal injuries suffered as result of alleged defective condition of sidewalk.)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

**Authorizing Compromise and Settlement of Claim of Anna and Jean Altorfer Against the City and County by the Payment of \$500.**

File No. 9323, Ordinance No. 7457 (Series of 1939).

(Personal injuries suffered by Anna Altorfer as result of alleged defective condition of sidewalk.)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

**Appropriating \$3,000, Water Department, for Position of Senior Clerk; Abolishing Position of Cashier.**

File No. 9329-1, Ordinance No. 7458 (Series of 1939).

(Senior Clerk	\$300-370 per month
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Cashier	485-575 per month
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Reassignment of duties formerly allocated to position of Cashier.)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 73.1, Water Department, Accounting and Financial—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 9329-2, Ordinance No. 7459 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

**Appropriating \$4,837.50, Electricity, for Position of Senior Radio Maintenance Man; Abolishing Position of Radio Maintenance Man.**

File No. 9330-1, Ordinance No. 7460 (Series of 1939).

(Radio Maintenance Man	\$ 97.50 per week
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Senior Radio Maintenance Man	*117.50 per week
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Reclassification of position.

\*Subject to approval of Wage Stabilization Board.

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 53.4, Electricity, Wages—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 9330-2, Ordinance No. 7461 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

**Appropriating \$2,800, Sheriff, for One Position of Bookkeeper; Abolishing One Position of Storekeeper.**

File No. 9331-1, Ordinance No. 7462 (Series of 1939).

(Storekeeper . . . . . \$240-300 per month  
Bookkeeper . . . . . 280-340 per month  
Reallocation of vacant position of storekeeper.)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 9, Sheriff—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 9331-2, Ordinance No. 7463 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

**Appropriating \$1,080, Police, to Enable Three Positions of General Clerk-Typist to Work a 44-Hour Week; Eliminating Provision Allowing Three Positions of General Clerk-Stenographer to Work a 44-Hour Week, and Validating Salary Ordinance Provisions.**

File No. 9332, Ordinance No. 7464 (Series of 1939).

(Validates Section 1.8, Annual Salary Ordinance.)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

**Appropriating \$15,000, Public Utilities, from 1949 Cherry Valley Dam Bond Fund, for Operation of Camp and Cookhouse at Cherry Valley.**

File No. 9333, Ordinance No. 7465 (Series of 1939).

(Required for field engineering and administrative employees assigned to the Cherry River Project.)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

**Appropriating \$3,000, San Francisco Airport, for Purchase of Equipment.**

File No. 9334, Ordinance No. 7466 (Series of 1939).

(1 Tractor-Loader (estimated cost)	\$2,850
1 Spreader Box (estimated cost)	150)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, McMurray, Sullivan—4

**Appropriating \$6,944, Hetch Hetchy, to Provide for Control of Expenditures and Receipts for Meals Provided Through the Hetch Hetchy Operating Fund, in Connection With the Subsistence of Employees and Official Visitors.**

File No. 9335, Ordinance No. 7467 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

**Authorizing Exchange of Lands Between the City and County and Loyd D. Larsen et ux., Required for Twin Peaks Boulevard View Preservation.**

File No. 9336, Ordinance No. 7468 (Series of 1939).

(Even exchange. In conformity with Master Plan. Parcel to be acquired: Approximately 1.981 acres, along easterly side of Twin Peaks Boulevard in a northerly and southerly direction. Parcel to be traded: Approximately 1.812 acres located on westerly side of Burnett Avenue about 200 feet north of Hopkins Street.)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

**Adopted.****Authorizing Attendance of Representatives of Various Departments at the Annual Convention of the League of California Cities, to Be Held at San Diego, October 12-15, 1952.**

File No. 9375, Resolution No. 12551 (Series of 1939).

August 18, 1952—Consideration continued to August 25, 1952.

**Communication.**

Supervisor Arnold presented a communication from the Sheriff requesting that the persons from his department be deleted from the list of persons authorized to attend the convention.

**Adoption.**

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

## NEW BUSINESS.

## Adopted.

The following recommendations of Finance Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

**Approving Supplemental Recommendations, Public Welfare Department,  
Relative to Categorical Aids; Letter Dated August 19, 1952.**

File No. 9224, Resolution No. 12542 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

**Authorizing Extension of Grants of Emergency Relief to Dependent  
Non-Residents for August and September; List Dated August 25,  
1952.**

File No. 9225, Resolution No. 12543 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

**Authorizing Extension of Grants of Emergency Relief to Dependent  
Non-Residents for September and October; List Dated August 25,  
1952.**

File No. 9225, Resolution No. 12544 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

**Confirming Sale of City-Owned Surplus Land Located on Southeast  
Corner of Fifteenth Avenue and Lawton Street, Lot 1, Block 1930-A,  
to James A. Mayer et ux., for \$19,200.**

File No. 7634-1, Resolution No. 12536 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, McMurray, Sullivan—3.

**Authorizing City and County to Sublease Crystal Palace Salt Water  
Baths from Charles Sava and Dr. Henry Domeniconi.**

File No. 9319-3, Resolution No. 12545 (Series of 1939).

(For period September 15, 1952-July 14, 1953, at rental of \$1,250 per month, plus such additional amounts, not to exceed a total of \$5,000, as may be necessary to reimburse the sublessors for the cost of doing certain work in the demised premises, providing such work is first approved by the Board of Supervisors.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, McMurray, Sullivan—3.



Authorizing Superintendent of the Bureau of Building Inspection, Department of Public Works, to Attend a Conference of the Pacific Coast Building Officials, to Be Held in Spokane, Washington, September 8-12

File No. 9359, Resolution No. 12546 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, McMurray, Sullivan—3.

Authorizing Purchase of Portions of Lots 8 and 9, Block 7059, from Dominic F. Bans et ux. for \$2,700; Required for Mission Freeway.

File No. 9360, Resolution No. 12547 (Series of 1939).

(Property consists of a 25-foot strip of land, abutting the Southern Pacific Company right-of-way at Whipple Avenue. In conformity with the Master Plan.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, McMurray, Sullivan—3.

Authorizing Purchase of Lot 2, Block 6719, from Fred Marzolf et al. for \$500; Required for Mission Freeway.

File No. 9361, Resolution No. 12548 (Series of 1939).

(Property located on southwesterly side of Mateo Street southeast from Arlington Street. Size: 5 feet by 150.881 feet by 21.2 feet by 150 feet. Vacant land. In conformity with the Master Plan.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, McMurray, Sullivan—3.

Authorizing Eminent Domain Proceedings for the Acquisition of Slope Rights on Lot 1, Block 2819, from Walter H. Adams et ux. in an Amount Not to Exceed \$5.00 Unless an Additional Authorization is Secured; Required for the Reconstruction and Improvement of Castenada Avenue Opposite Ventura Avenue.

File No. 9362, Resolution No. 12549 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, McMurray, Sullivan—3.

Authorizing Director of Public Works to Attend a Convention of the American Society of Civil Engineers, to Be Held in Chicago, September 3-13, 1952.

File No. 9366, Resolution No. 12550 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, McMurray, Sullivan—3.

**Temporarily Postponed.****Waiving the Statute of Limitations, and Authorizing Payment from Employees' Retirement Fund of Warrants to Certain Employees.**

File No. 9368, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

(Julitta H. Abel, \$11.87; Elizabeth G. Dean, \$500 and \$25.30; Edward H. Kelly, \$36.22; Alice Sims, \$8.91; Marilyn Wilms, \$208.19; and Harry J. Chinazzo, \$291.28.)

**Motion to Temporarily Postpone.**

Supervisor MacPhee, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, moved temporary postponement

No objection and motion *carried*.

**Adopted.****Authorizing Refund to James J. Donnelly of \$250, Being Deposit for Reservation of Polk Hall in Civic Auditorium.**

File No. 9377, Resolution No. 12552 (Series of 1939).

(After arrangements had been made, Mr. Donnelly was elected to membership in the Society of California Accountants which prohibits advertising. The City suffered no detriment or expense because of the cancellation.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, McMurray, Sullivan—3.

**Authorizing Refund to American Dietetic Association of \$500, Being Deposit for Reservation of Civic Auditorium.**

File No. 9378, Resolution No. 12553 (Series of 1939).

(After arrangements had been made, the Association was forced to cancel the reservation because of inability to secure commitments for hotel accommodations.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, McMurray, Sullivan—3.

**Authorizing Purchase of Lots 35 and 36, Block 6241, from Alice Fitzgerald for \$800, and Lots 2 and 3, Block 6241, from George F. Haas et ux. for \$600; Required for School Project No. 53.**

File No. 9379 Resolution No. 12554 (Series of 1939).

(Located within area bounded by Sawyer Street, Arletta Avenue, Elliott Street and Raymond Avenue. Size: 25 feet by 100 feet each. Vacant land. No street work except street crossing paved. In conformity with the Master Plan.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, McMurray, Sullivan—3.

**Authorizing Purchase of Portion of Lot 2, Block 211, from The Board of National Missions of the Presbyterian Church in the United States of America for \$5,900; Required for School Project No. 25.**

File No. 9380, Resolution No. 12555 (Series of 1939).

(Located on Collier Street, northerly of Clay Street. Size: 68 feet 9 inches by 42 feet 6 inches. Playyard with asphalt surface and brick retaining walls. In conformity with the Master Plan.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, McMurray, Sullivan—3.

**Authorizing Purchase of Lots 1 and 18, Block 6151, from Patrick Bros. for \$15,000; Required for School Project No. 50.**

File No. 9381, Resolution No. 12556 (Series of 1939).

(Located at southeast corner of Olmstead and Hamilton Streets. Size: 100 feet by 240 feet and 25 feet by 120 feet, respectively. Improvements consist of a one-story three-sided frame truck shed, a frame storage building 10 feet by 40 feet and an 8-foot board fence on three sides of the lot. In conformity with the Master Plan.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, McMurray, Sullivan—3.

**Authorizing Purchase of Lots 4-8, Inclusive, Block 6127, from Vincenzo Antonio Paolitto for \$4,500; Required for School Project No. 50.**

File No. 9382, Resolution No. 12557 (Series of 1939).

(Located at northwest corner of Holyoke and Olmstead Streets. Size: Lots 4-5, 25 feet by 120 feet. Lots 6-8, 30 feet by 100 feet. Vacant land. In conformity with the Master Plan.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, McMurray, Sullivan—3.

**Authorizing Purchase of Lots 23 and 24, Block 6241, from Lloyd F. Federlain for \$800; Required for School Project No. 53.**

File No. 9383, Resolution No. 12558 (Series of 1939).

(Located on north side of Raymond Street, east of Sawyer Street. Vacant land. No street work. In conformity with the Master Plan.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, McMurray, Sullivan—3.

**Authorizing Purchase of Lot 11a, Block 6153, from Augustus F. J. Riechers et ux. for \$750; Required for School Project No. 53.**

File No. 9384, Resolution No. 12559 (Series of 1939).

(Located on east side Somerset Street, north of Mansell Street. Size: 25 feet by 100 feet. Vacant land. No street work. In conformity with the Master Plan.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

Authorizing Purchase of Lot 14, Block 6153, from Stephen George Peterson for \$1,500; Required for School Project No. 50.

File No. 9385, Resolution No. 12560 (Series of 1939).

(Located on east side of Somerset Street 100 feet south of Olmstead Street. Size: 50 feet by 100 feet. Vacant land. No street work. In conformity with the Master Plan.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

Authorizing General Manager and Director of Zoo, Recreation and Park Department, to Attend 54th Annual Conference of American Institute of Park Executives, to Be Held in Montreal, Canada, September 15-18.

File No. 9391, Resolution No. 12562 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

Authorizing Chief of the Department of Electricity to Attend State Conference of The International Municipal Signal Association to Be Held in San Jose, August 21-23.

File No. 9394, Resolution No. 12563 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, McMurray, Sullivan—4.

#### Passage for Second Reading.

Appropriating \$2,891.35, M. H. deYoung Memorial Museum, for Installation of Hardwood Flooring in Period Rooms.

File No. 9363, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, McMurray—3.

#### Appropriating \$31.70, Registrar of Voters, for Overtime.

File No. 9364, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Two employees were inadvertently omitted from overtime payroll for period ending June 15, 1952.)

Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, McMurray—3.

#### Appropriating \$108.76, Superior Court, for Overtime.

File No. 9365, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(For Courtroom Clerks, on jury duty after working hours during the month of June, 1952.)

Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, McMurray—3.

**Appropriating \$16,005.66, Purchasing Department, for Payment of Retroactive Compensation Covering Premium Pay and Unworked Holidays.**

File No. 9387, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(For J-66 Garagemen, in accordance with provisions of Superior Court Action No. 404184, Eugene K. Allen et al vs. City.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, McMurray—3.

**Appropriating \$526.27, Police Department, for Retroactive Compensation.**

File No. 9388, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(For Patrolman Paul H. Dotur entitled to credit for time previously served for purpose of salary increments, Years 1943-49, 1949-50, 1950-51, 1951-52. In accordance with provisions of Section 35.5 of Charter and City Attorney Opinion No. 465.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, McMurray—3.

**Appropriating \$490, Water Department, for the Purchase of a Check Endorsing Machine.**

File No. 9389, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, McMurray—3.

**Authorizing Chief, Fire Department, to Attend Annual Conference of International Association of Fire Chiefs, to Be Held in Boston, August 25-29.**

File No. 9404, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, McMurray—3.

**Temporarily Postponed.**

**Calling and Providing for a Special Election to Be Held in the City and County of San Francisco on Tuesday, November 4, 1952, for the Purpose of Submitting to the Voters of the City and County of San Francisco a Proposition to Incur a Bonded Debt of the City and County to the Amount of \$6,620,000 for the Acquisition, Construction and Completion by the City and County of San Francisco of the Following Municipal Improvement, to wit: A Further Rehabilitation of the Municipal Railway Consisting of Reconstruction of California Streetcars, Grips, Reconstruction of California-Hyde Carhouse, Conversion of Streetcar Lines into Trolley Coach Operations, New Streetcars, Trolley Coaches and Motor Coaches, Automatic Electric Substation, Automotive Shops and Equipment, Fare Collection Equipment, Radio Cars, the Removal of Unused Tracks and Reconstruction of New Tracks, and All Other Works, Property or Structures Necessary or Convenient for the Complete Further Rehabilitation of the Municipality.**

pal Railway; That the Estimated Cost to the City and County of San Francisco of Said Municipal Improvement Is and Will Be Too Great to Be Paid Out of the Ordinary Annual Income and Revenue of the City and County of San Francisco and Will Require an Expenditure Greater Than the Amount Allowed Therefor by the Annual Tax Levy; All in Order to Do and Perform Any and All of the Matters Hereinabove Referred to for the Acquisition, Construction and Completion of a Further Rehabilitation of Said Municipal Railway; Fixing Rate of Interest of Said Bonds and Providing for the Levy and Collection of Taxes to Pay Both Principal and Interest Thereof, Prescribing Notice to Be Given of Such Election and Consolidating the Special Election With the General Election.

File No. 9303-3, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

#### Refused Passage for Second Reading.

*Refused Passage for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Noes: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee—2.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, McMurray—2.

#### Motion to Rescind Action.

Supervisor Mancuso, seconded by Supervisor Arnold, moved that the Board rescind the action it had just taken.

No objection and motion *carried*.

#### Question of Information.

Supervisor Mancuso inquired of the representative from the City Attorney's Office whether or not the Board could continue action for one week.

Mr. Walker Peddicord, Assistant City Attorney, remarked that Mr. Holm, the City Attorney, would be present in a few minutes and that he would explain the procedure to be followed.

#### Motion to Temporarily Postpone.

Supervisor Mancuso, seconded by Supervisor Arnold, moved temporary postponement.

No objection and motion *carried*.

#### Temporarily Postponed.

Providing for the Consolidation of the Special Election Called for Submission of a Proposition to Authorize the Issuance of \$6,620,000 Municipal Railway Rehabilitation Bonds, 1952, With the General Election to Be Held on Tuesday, November 4, 1952.

File No. 9303-2, Resolution No. . . . (Series of 1939).

#### Motion to Temporarily Postpone.

Supervisor Mancuso, seconded by Supervisor Arnold, moved temporary postponement.

No objection and motion *carried*.

#### Adopted.

Determining and Declaring That Public Interest and Necessity Demand the Acquisition, Construction and Completion by the City and County of San Francisco of the Following Municipal Improvement, To Wit: The Acquisition of Lands and the Improvement Thereof by the Construction of Firehouses Thereon and the Reconstruction of Existing Firehouses, and All Other Works, Properties, or Structures Necessary or Convenient for the Construction and Reconstruction of

**Firehouses. All Within the City and County of San Francisco, and That the Estimated Cost of Said Municipal Improvement Is and Will Be Too Great to Be Paid Out of the Ordinary Annual Income and Revenue of Said City and County.**

File No. 9395-1, Resolution No. 12564 (Series of 1939).

#### Discussion.

Supervisor Mancuso requested an explanation as to why the proposed bond issue was so much higher than the one that had been presented earlier in the year.

Chief Gilmore explained that the proposal provided for the rehabilitation of all the firehouses in San Francisco; that the amount was arrived at after consultation with the City Planning Commission. He informed the Board that the bond issue took into consideration present needs and those in the foreseeable future, the purchase of sites, the relocation of certain houses, the construction of 19 new firehouses and the reconstruction of 25 existing ones.

Supervisor MacPhee asked whether or not the firehouse in the Lake Merced area was included in the bond issue.

Mr. Leo H. Shapiro, President of the Fire Commission, remarked that the project was now under construction with money budgeted by the Board.

Chief Gilmore explained that the list showing the firehouses to be constructed was prepared by the City Planning Commission and did not differentiate between those to be erected with bond money and those that would be built by money budgeted for the Fire Department.

Supervisor Christopher stated that the only report that had been presented to the Board was the report dated August, 1952, "Report on Plan and Location of Firehouses in San Francisco," and that he was under the impression that the report was only for firehouses to be constructed by bond money.

Supervisor Christopher further remarked that although he was in favor of reconstructing the firehouses he was of the belief that the Board should be presented with a comprehensive report on the proposal.

Supervisor Mancuso asked for a breakdown of the bond issue.

Chief Gilmore replied that \$285,000 would be for the purchase of new sites; \$3,950,000 for construction of 19 new firehouses; \$50,000 for engineering studies; \$365,000 for reconstruction of 25 existing firehouses and \$100,000 for contingencies.

Supervisor MacPhee said that he believed the firehouses should be repaired and that they should be started as quickly as possible; that it should and could be done by funds for capital improvements which should be secured by broadening the tax base. He further stated that although he would vote for the bond issue he believed that the Board should have more information on the matter.

#### Presentation of Guest.

Supervisor Mancuso introduced Supervisor Frank Gibson from San Diego County.

Supervisor Gibson extended an invitation to all members to attend the forthcoming convention to be held in San Diego.

#### Discussion Continued.

Supervisor Christopher remarked that in view of the fact that some millions of dollars were involved he would like to know whether or not the legislation could be continued to the next meeting.

Mr. Dion Holm explained the procedure followed by the Registrar of Voters and also the time limits in connection therewith. Mr. Holm

stated that the Board could continue consideration to the next meeting, but if any Supervisor changed his mind when the legislation calling the election was up on final passage, and the legislation failed to receive the necessary votes, the Registrar would have to block out the bond issue on the voting machines and also the ballots.

#### Privilege of the Floor.

Supervisor Christopher, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, moved privilege of the floor for Mrs. Martha Page, representing the San Francisco Planning and Housing Association.

No objection and motion *carried*.

Mrs. Page explained that her association had been studying the matter for about six weeks; that they had contacted interested parties and, although the proposal had not been adopted as part of the Master Plan, because of the necessity of the matter it was their recommendation that the bond issue be submitted to the people.

#### Discussion Continued.

Supervisor Mancuso stated that he did not believe that the bond issue should be presented to the people until after public hearings were held and determination made as to the exact location of the firehouses, and for that reason he would not vote to submit the proposal to the people.

Supervisor Christopher asked the City Attorney as to whether or not, in view of the letter of transmittal from the City Planning Commission in which they state that the location of the firehouses had not been included in the Master Plan, the Board could properly submit the bond issue to the people.

Mr. Holm answered that it properly met, for the time being, the provisions of Section 116.1 in that they had made a review and said that it did not conflict with the Master Plan; later the City Planning Commission would have to give the Board specific reports as to conformity with the Master Plan.

Supervisor McCarty remarked that he did not believe that the bond issue should be amended to set forth specific sites for the firehouses because of the delay that would be entailed in determining whether or not the property owners would sell the land. He reminded the Board that the Firehouse Bonds were left off the June election because it had been agreed by the members that nothing should go on that ballot that might jeopardize the proposed Charter amendment making the firemen and policemen subject to salary standardization.

#### Point of Order.

Supervisor MacPhee rose to a point of order; that he had made no agreement as mentioned by Supervisor McCarty and if any other Supervisor did so he knew nothing of it.

The Chair ruled the point of order well taken.

#### Discussion Continued.

Supervisor MacPhee continued that it was his opinion that the Board should have more time to consider the proposal and that he would suggest that the resolution of necessity be passed but that the legislation consolidating the Special Election with the General Election be continued to the next meeting of the Board.

Supervisor Ferdon stated that he agreed with Supervisor MacPhee but believed that the legislation consolidating the elections should be re-referred to the Finance Committee.

Supervisor Mancuso explained that he was in favor of the construction of firehouses in San Francisco, but that he was also aware of the fact that the proposal had not been given the consideration



that it should have been given; that he was afraid that the Board was giving the Fire Department the authority to construct firehouses in the downtown area and not in the residential district. He further stated that he would vote for the resolution of necessity but that he desired more information before he could vote for the legislation to consolidate the elections.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent Supervisors Dobbs, McMurray—2.

#### Consideration Continued.

The Board resumed consideration of File No. 9348 relating to the zoning appeal on property located on West Portal Avenue.

#### Discussion.

Supervisor Mancuso inquired as to whether or not the Charter amendment permitting postponement until all members of the Board were present had been ratified by the Legislature.

Mr. Walker Peddicord replied that it was in effect, and suggested that the matter be continued to the next meeting and then if a full membership is not present the matter could be continued to a time certain.

#### Motion to Continue Consideration.

Supervisor MacPhee, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, moved that consideration of the proposal be continued to the next meeting of the Board.

No objection and motion *carried*.

#### Consideration Continued.

The Board resumed consideration of File No. 9303-3, providing for a special election for \$6,620,000 Municipal Railway Rehabilitation Bonds.

#### Motion to Continue Consideration.

Supervisor Mancuso, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that consideration be continued to the next meeting of the Board.

No objection and motion *carried*.

#### Consideration Continued.

The Board resumed consideration of File No. 9303-2, providing for the consolidation of the Special Election with the General Election in connection with the Municipal Railway Rehabilitation Bond Issue.

#### Motion to Continue Consideration.

Supervisor Mancuso, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that consideration be continued to the next meeting of the Board.

No objection and motion *carried*.

#### Re-referred to Committee.

Providing for the Consolidation of the Special Election Called for Submission of a Proposition to Authorize the Issuance of \$4,750,000 Firehouse Bonds, With the General Election to Be Held on Tuesday, November 4, 1952.

File No. 9395-2, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Re-refer.**

Supervisor Mancuso, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, moved that the legislation be re-referred to Finance Committee.

Supervisor Arnold expressed the opinion that inasmuch as the main objection to the bond issue seemed to be in connection with the sites for the firehouses, the legislation should be referred to the Public Buildings, Lands and City Planning Committee.

The Chair ruled that the proper committee was the Finance Committee because the issue is the authorizing of \$4,750,000 Firehouse Bonds.

There being no objection to the motion the Chair *re-referred the legislation to the Finance Committee.*

**Consideration Continued.**

The following recommendation of Joint Police and Judiciary Committee was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon.

**An Ordinance Requiring Any Person Engaged in the Business of Selling Air Travel Passenger Tickets to the Public to File a Bond With the Chief of Police, and Providing Penalty for Violation Thereof.**

File No. 7726-2, Ordinance No. . . (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Continue Consideration.**

Supervisor Ferdon, seconded by Supervisor Christopher, moved that consideration be continued to next meeting.

No objection and motion *carried.*

**Adopted.**

The following recommendations of Police Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon.

**Authorizing Temporary Closing of Grove Street Between Polk and Larkin Streets to Vehicular Traffic for an Undetermined Number of Days Between June 13, 1954, and July 1, 1954; and Granting Permission to American Medical Association to Erect and Maintain a Canvas Cover Over Said Street.**

File No. 9187, Resolution No. 12539 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, McMurray—2.

**Authorizing Temporary Closing of Grove Street Between Polk and Larkin Streets to Vehicular Traffic for an Undetermined Number of Days During the Month of September, 1954; and Granting Permission to the American Mining Congress to Erect and Maintain a Canvas Cover Over Said Street.**

File No. 9188, Resolution No. 12538 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, McMurray—2.

**Temporary Postponement.**

The following recommendations of Judiciary Committee were taken up:

Present Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon.

**Charter Amendment, Section 172, to Provide for Compensation Insurance Payments to Certain Members of the Fire Department as Defined in Charter Section 169.**

File No. 9279

**Discussion.**

Supervisor Ferdon explained that the same Charter amendment had been submitted to, and approved by, the people at a previous election but due to inadvertence, reference to Section 169 was omitted, thus making it an invalid amendment.

Mr. Walker Peddicord remarked that the amendment would take care of those members of the Fire Department who were members prior to January 8, 1952; that it was through no fault of any persons that reference to Section 169 was omitted from the last Charter amendment.

**Motion to Temporarily Postpone.**

Supervisor MacPhee, seconded by Supervisor Arnold, moved temporary postponement

No objection and motion carried.

**Consideration Continued.**

**Charter Amendment, Section 36.4, to Provide for Appointment of a Supervisor of Personnel, Fire Department.**

File No. 9280

**Motion to Continue Consideration.**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, moved that consideration be continued to the next meeting.

No objection and motion carried.

**Ordered Submitted.**

The Board resumed consideration of the following:

**Charter Amendment, Section 172, to Provide for Compensation Insurance Payments to Certain Members of the Fire Department as Defined in Charter Section 169.**

File No. 9279

*Ordered Submitted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, McMurray—2.

**Charter Amendment, Section 145.01, to Extend Veterans' Credit in Civil Service Examinations to Veterans of the Current Korean Conflict and of Possible Future Hostilities Which Might Occur Without Formal Declaration of War.**

File No. 9281

*Ordered Submitted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, McMurray—2

## Consideration Continued.

Charter Amendment, Sections 13 and 17, to Provide for Preparation and Publication of a Municipal Code; to Provide That Ordinances Shall Be Passed After Two Readings and Votes at Separate Meetings of the Board, Which Meetings Shall Be at Least Five, Rather Than Ten, Days Apart; and to Provide That no Resolution Shall Be Adopted on the Date of Introduction and Without Reference to Committee, Except by Unanimous Consent of the Supervisors Present.  
File No. 9292

## Motion to Continue Consideration.

Supervisor Mancuso, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, moved that consideration be continued to the next meeting.

No objection and motion *carried*.

## Consideration Continued.

The following from Judiciary Committee, without recommendation, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon.

Charter Amendment, Section 39.1, to Provide That the Board of Permit Appeals Shall Have the Power to Hear and Determine Applications for Variances from the Strict Application of the Provisions of Any Law, Ordinance, Resolution, Rule or Regulation Governing the Issuance or Revocation of Permits or Licenses.

File No. 9301

## Motion to Continue Consideration.

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, moved that consideration be continued to the next meeting.

No objection and motion *carried*.

## Reference to Committee.

The following emergency measures appearing on the Board's supplemental calendar were taken up:

Appropriating \$900, Public Health Department, Laguna Honda Home, from the Emergency Reserve Fund, for Temporary Salaries; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9412, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

## Motion to Refer to Committee.

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, moved reference to Finance Committee.

No objection and motion *carried*.

Appropriating \$6,790, Mayor, Disaster Corps, from the Emergency Reserve Fund, for Director's Office, Contractual Services, Rescue and First Aid Equipment, and Rescue and First Aid, Services of Other Department; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9413, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

## Motion to Refer to Committee.

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, moved reference to Finance Committee.

No objection and motion *carried*.

**Consideration Continued.**

The Board resumed consideration of File No. 9368 relating to the waiving of the Statute of Limitations for payment of warrants to certain employees

**Motion to Continue Consideration.**

Supervisor Ferdon, seconded by Supervisor Christopher, moved that consideration be continued to the next meeting.

No objection and motion carried.

**OFF-CALENDAR LEGISLATION.**

The following recommendation of his Honor, the Mayor, was presented by the Clerk:

**Adopted.**

Leaves of Absence—Ronald H. Born, Director, Public Welfare Department, September 1-5; Milton W. Kletter, Member, Board of Trustees of the War Memorial, September 1-30; Rene A. Vayssie, Member, Public Library Commission, September 3-November 15; and Byron Arnold, Marvin E. Lewis, Edward T. Mancuso, Francis McCarty, Dewey Mead and John J. Sullivan, Members of the Board of Supervisors, September 8-14, All With Permission to Leave the State.

File No. 9220, Resolution No. 12539 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved adoption

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, McMurray—2.

**Adopted.**

Supervisor Arnold presented the following recommendation of the Finance Committee:

Authorizing the Transfer of \$6,000 from Civic Celebrations Fund to Publicity and Advertising Fund, to Defray, in Part, Expenses Incident to the 77th Annual Session of the Grand Chapter of California Order of the Eastern Star, to Be Held in San Francisco, October 19-24, 1952.

File No. 9386, Resolution No. 12561 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, MacPhee, McMurray—3.

**ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF MEASURES AND COMMUNICATIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.****Adopted.**

Authorizing Mayor and the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors to Execute and Give Thirty Days' Notice of Intention to Terminate Tenancy of Rooms 541 and 542 of Adam Grant Building, Presently Occupied by the Municipal Government Survey Advisory Committee.

Supervisor Arnold presented:

File No. 9423, Resolution No. 12565 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved adoption.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, MacPhee, McMurray—3.

**Adopted.**

**In Memoriam—Lawrence Mario Giannini.**

Presented jointly by all members of the Board:

File No. 9221, Resolution No. 12540 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Christopher, seconded by Supervisor MacPhee, moved adoption.

*Adopted by a rising vote as follows:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, McMurray—2.

**Adopted.**

**In Memoriam—Ellis L. Stoneson.**

Presented jointly by all members of the Board:

File No. 9221, Resolution No. 12541 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Christopher, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, moved adoption.

*Adopted by a rising vote as follows:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, McMurray—2.

**Amortization of Bonds With Gas Tax Money.**

Supervisor Christopher remarked that he had received a report from the Controller advising that a program to amortize bonds with gas tax money would be feasible and practical but would require enabling legislation to be enacted by the State Legislature.

Supervisor Christopher then requested the Clerk to prepare the necessary legislation for presentation at next Tuesday's meeting.

No objection and request *granted*.

**Supervisor MacPhee Excused from Attendance.**

The Chair informed the Board that, while the Board was discussing a matter on the floor, he had excused Supervisor MacPhee from attendance.

**Statement by Supervisor Ferdon in Connection With Action Taken by Public Utilities Commission With Reference to the Proposed Charter Amendment Synchronizing Retirement Benefits and Social Security Benefits for Employees of the Municipal Railway.**

Supervisor Ferdon explained that for six months the Judiciary Committee had requested the Public Utilities Commission to submit a report on the proposed Charter amendment providing for the synchronization of retirement benefits of the City and social security benefits, for employees of the Municipal Railway, and at the last meeting of the Committee, Mr. George Warren, Acting Manager of Utilities, advised the Committee that the Public Utilities Commission

did not know exactly what was proposed by the amendment and requested that it be withdrawn from consideration for the forthcoming November election.

Supervisor Ferdon further stated that Supervisor Dobbs and himself had sent a letter to the Public Utilities Commission on the subject.

He expressed his opinion that each Committee of the Board should inform the various departments that it expects to receive full cooperation on matters affecting such department; otherwise it would be impossible for the Board to accomplish its end, which is good government.

**Referred to Committee.**

**Amending Resolution No. 9295 (Series of 1939) by Adding Powell Street, Between Sutter and California Streets, to List of Streets on Which Parking Is Prohibited, Day or Night.**

Supervisor Lewis presented:

File No. 9424, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Police Committee*

**Inquiry as to Planting of Trees on Junipero Serra Boulevard.**

Supervisor Mancuso inquired from Mr. Brooks as when the trees would be planted on Junipero Serra Boulevard.

Mr. Brooks replied that the contract had been let and the project should be completed before winter.

**Inquiry as to Status of Program Relating to Junipero Serra Boulevard Extension.**

Supervisor Mancuso asked the President as to the status of the program providing for the continuation of the Junipero Serra Boulevard Extension.

Supervisor Mead advised the Supervisor that the boulevard would be extended but that he did not know whether or not it would be completed to Burlingame because the City of Burlingame was protesting said extension.

**Statement by Supervisor Mancuso Concerning Anonymous Telephone Calls He Had Received in Connection With Rent Control.**

Supervisor Mancuso stated that he, as well as his brother, had received anonymous telephone calls from persons purporting to be large property owners and members of the Apartment House Associations, informing them that if he did not vote to discontinue rent control, a petition would be circulated for the purpose of boycotting their businesses.

Supervisor Mancuso requested that the Clerk direct a communication to the Apartment House Industries advising them of the situation.

Supervisor Christopher expressed the hope that Supervisor Mancuso would relent from his position and let the matter die a natural death, because by so doing he would not be leaving himself open to ramifications at present unknown.

*Supervisor Mancuso withdrew his request.*

**Attendance at County Supervisors' Day at the State Fair.**

Supervisor Mancuso remarked that Friday, August 29, was County Supervisors' Day at the State Fair and expressed the hope that the members of the Board would be able to be in attendance.

**San Francisco's Exhibit at Sacramento.**

Supervisor Mancuso inquired from Mr. Brooks as to when San Francisco would have its exhibit ready in Sacramento.

Mr. Brooks explained that it would be completed around October 1, but it would be too late for the State Fair; that it would be a replica of San Francisco to scale.

**Statement of Supervisor McCarty Relative to Litigation Between Retired City Employees and Retirement Board in Determination of Retirement Benefits.**

Supervisor McCarty explained that the Finance Committee was requested to authorize dismissal of appeal taken by the City against a certain retired employee who had brought suit to determine the exact amount of retirement benefits to which he was entitled; that such dismissal was brought about because the pensioner had to waive his right of appeal due to the fact that he did not have any more money to continue the litigation.

Supervisor McCarty expressed the opinion that some legislation should be enacted to provide that in cases of disagreement between the Retirement Board and a retired City employee as to the amount of pension due said City employee, that the employee receive the pension established by the Retirement Board until such time as the courts determine the pension benefits to which said City employee is entitled.

On advice of Mr. Walker Peddicord, Supervisor McCarty requested the Clerk to prepare a communication directed to the Retirement Board and the City Attorney requesting them to investigate the matter and submit remedial legislation; that said communication was to be sent on behalf of Supervisors Lewis, Mead and McCarty.

**Adopted.**

**Closing Portions of Polk, Grove, Larkin and Fulton Streets to Vehicular Traffic Between the Hours Commencing Saturday, September 13, at 12 Noon and Extending Through the Hour of Midnight Sunday, September 14, in Connection With the Celebration of "I Am an American Day."**

Supervisor Sullivan presented:

File No. 9425. Resolution No. 12566 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Sullivan, seconded by Supervisor Lewis, moved adoption.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, MacPhee, McMurray—4.

**ADJOURNMENT.**

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 5:20 p. m., adjourned.

JOHN R. McGRATH, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors September 15, 1952.

I, John R. McGrath, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the date hereon stated and approved as recited.

JOHN R. McGRATH,  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.



Tuesday, September 2, 1952

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# JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 1952—2:00 P. M.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, September 2, 1952, 2:00 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

## CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee, McMurray—3.

Quorum present.

President Dewey Mead presiding.

Supervisor Lewis noted present at 2:37 p. m.

Supervisor MacPhee noted present at 2:55 p. m.

Supervisor McMurray absent due to illness.

## APPROVAL OF JOURNAL.

The Journal of Proceedings for Monday, August 11, 1952, was considered read and approved.

## Communications.

From George S. Hill, Chairman of Traffic and Transportation Committee, Central Council of Civic Clubs, submitting copy of report on the Municipal Railway, and recommending certain improvements thereto.

*Copy given to each member of the Board; referred to Public Utilities Committee.*

From American Institute of Architects, Associated Home Builders, Consulting Engineers' Association of California, and Structural Engineers' Association of Northern California, requesting continuance of proposed charter amendment, enlarging the powers of the Board of Permit Appeals.

*Considered in connection with Calendar item; ordered filed.*

From Associated General Contractors of America, Inc., Central California Chapter, recommending an amendment to the proposed charter amendment designed to broaden the powers of the Board of Permit Appeals.

*Considered in connection with Calendar item; ordered filed.*

From the San Francisco Bureau of Governmental Research, urging that proposed charter amendment relating to the organization and personnel of the Bureau of Fire Prevention and Public Safety be re-referred to committee for further hearing.

*Considered in connection with Calendar item; ordered filed.*

From San Francisco Fire Department, submitting statement in connection with proposed \$4,750,000 bond issue for the rehabilitation of firehouses.

*Considered in connection with Calendar item; ordered filed.*

From Union Square Garage, Inc., protesting award of bid to W. and B. Realty Company and S. E. Onorato, Inc., in connection with lease of St. Mary's Square Garage.

*Consideration continued one week.*

From the Retirement System, actuarial report as to the cost and effect of amending the provisions of Section 158.3 of the Charter, relative to the inclusion of certain employees and attaches of the Superior and Municipal Courts into the Retirement System.

*Ordered filed.*

#### SPECIAL ORDER—2:00 P. M.

##### Consideration Continued.

Hearing of Appeal from the Decision of the City Planning Commission by Its Resolution No. 4066, Disapproving Application to Rezone Property Located on the Southwest Corner of Alemany Boulevard and Santa Rosa Avenue from First Residential District to Commercial District.

File No. 9338

##### Motion to Defer Consideration.

Supervisor Mancuso moved, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, that due to the inability of William A. O'Brien, attorney for the appellant, to appear before the Board, consideration of the foregoing measure be continued one week.

*No objection and motion carried.*

*Consideration continued one week.*

Disapproving Decision of the City Planning Commission by Its Resolution No. 4066, Dated July 3, 1952, Denying Application to Rezone Property Located on the Southwest Corner of Alemany Boulevard and Santa Rosa Avenue, from First Residential District to Commercial District.

File No. 9338-1, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

*Consideration continued one week.*

#### SPECIAL ORDER—2:00 P. M.

##### Consideration Continued.

Hearing of Appeal from the Decision of the City Planning Commission by Its Resolution No. 4067, Disapproving Application to Rezone Property Located on the South Line of West Portal Avenue Distant Thereon 227 Feet Measured from the Tangent Point of a Curve to the Left from Fifteenth Avenue, from First Residential District to Commercial District.

File No. 9348

##### Privilege of the Floor.

The privilege of the floor was extended to Attorney Bradford Bosley who requested one week's postponement.

##### Objection.

Supervisor Arnold objected to the continuance and expressed the opinion that the matter should be disposed of.

**Motion to Defer Consideration.**

Supervisor Mancuso stated that the request of Attorney Bosley was a reasonable one and accordingly moved, seconded by Supervisor Christopher, that a week's postponement be granted.

**Objection.**

Robert M. Searles, representing the St. Francis Homes' Association, stated that he had spent some two and one-half hours at the meeting of the Board on August 25 when the foregoing matter was first considered and that he believed final action should be taken today.

**Motion Carried.**

The roll was thereupon called on Supervisor Mancuso's motion to defer consideration for one week and it carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—7.

No. Supervisor Arnold—1.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee, McMurray—3.

Disapproving Decision of the City Planning Commission by Its Resolution No. 4067, Dated July 3, 1952, Denying Application to Rezone Property Located on the South Line of West Portal Avenue Distant Thereon 227 Feet Measured from the Tangent Point of a Curve to the Left from Fifteenth Avenue, from First Residential District to Commercial District.

File No. 9348-1, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

*Consideration continued one week.*

**SPECIAL ORDER—2:00 P. M.**

Referred to Real Estate Department.

Hearing of All Persons Interested in or Objecting to the Proposed Vacation of a Portion of Baldwin Court.

File No. 7925

(Pursuant to notice of intention given in Resolution No. 12461 (Series of 1939)).

There appearing no protestants, the foregoing matter was referred to the Real Estate Department for further action.

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS.****Final Passage.**

The following recommendations of Finance Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, were taken up:

Present. Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

Appropriating \$194.89, Purchasing Department, for Vacation Pay as Provided in Charter Section 151.5 for the Calendar Years 1948, 1949 and 1950.

File No. 9351, Ordinance No. 7473 (Series of 1939).

Finally Passed by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee, McMurray—3.

Appropriating \$7,954, Recreation and Park Commission, for the Construction of Paving, Fencing and Utilities, Quarters for Primates and Panthers at San Francisco Zoological Gardens.

File No. 9352, Ordinance No. 7474 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee, McMurray—3.

Appropriating \$797.20, Police Department, for Retroactive Compensation Due Police Officer Entitled to Credit for Time Previously Served for Purpose of Salary Increments.

File No. 9353, Ordinance No. 7475 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee, McMurray—3.

Amending Ordinance No. 6563 (Series of 1939), Ordering Improvement of Campbell Street Between Brussels and Goettingen Streets, by Authorizing an Additional Sum of \$1,729.22 in City Aid to Legalize and Equalize the Assessment.

File No. 6840-1, Ordinance No. 7469 (Series of 1939).

(On July 14, 1952, Board of Supervisors canceled the assessments against Lots 3-11, inclusive, Block 6206, and Lots 1, 1A, 1B, 2 and 4, Block 6205.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee, McMurray—3.

#### Consideration Temporarily Postponed.

Waiving the Statute of Limitations, and Authorizing Payment from Employees' Retirement Fund of Warrants to Certain Employees.

File No. 9368, Resolution No. . (Series of 1939).

(Julitta H. Abel, \$11.87; Elizabeth G. Dean, \$500 and \$25.30; Edward H. Kelly, \$36.22; Alice Sims, \$8.91; Marilyn Wilms, \$208.19; and Harry J. Chinazzo, \$291.28.)

August 25, 1952—Consideration continued to September 2, 1952.

There being no objection, consideration of the foregoing measure was temporarily postponed pending appearance of Supervisor MacPhee.

#### Consideration Temporarily Postponed.

Calling and Providing for a Special Election to Be Held in the City and County of San Francisco on Tuesday, November 4, 1952, for the Purpose of Submitting to the Voters of the City and County of San Francisco a Proposition to Incur a Bonded Debt of the City and County to the Amount of \$6,620,000 for the Acquisition, Construction and Completion by the City and County of San Francisco of the Following Municipal Improvement, To Wit: A Further Rehabilitation

of the Municipal Railway Consisting of Reconstruction of California Streetcars, Grips, Reconstruction of California-Hyde Carhouse, Conversion of Streetcar Lines into Trolley Coach Operations, New Streetcars, Trolley Coaches and Motor Coaches, Automatic Electric Substation, Automotive Shops and Equipment, Fare Collection Equipment, Radio Cars, the Removal of Unused Tracks and Reconstruction of New Tracks, and All Other Works, Property or Structures Necessary or Convenient for the Complete Further Rehabilitation of the Municipal Railway; That the Estimated Cost to the City and County of San Francisco of Said Municipal Improvement Is and Will Be Too Great to Be Paid Out of the Ordinary Annual Income and Revenue of the City and County of San Francisco and Will Require an Expenditure Greater Than the Amount Allowed Therefor by the Annual Tax Levy; All in Order to Do and Perform Any and All of the Matters Hereinabove Referred to for the Acquisition, Construction and Completion of a Further Rehabilitation of Said Municipal Railway; Fixing Rate of Interest of Said Bonds and Providing for the Levy and Collection of Taxes to Pay Both Principal and Interest Thereof, Prescribing Notice to Be Given of Such Election and Consolidating the Special Election With the General Election.

File No. 9303-3, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

August 25, 1952 Consideration continued to September 2, 1952.

There being no objection, consideration of the foregoing measure was *temporarily postponed* pending appearance of Supervisor MacPhee.

#### Consideration Temporarily Postponed.

Providing for the Consolidation of the Special Election Called for Submission of a Proposition to Authorize the Issuance of \$6,620,000 Municipal Railway Rehabilitation Bonds, 1952, With the General Election to Be Held on Tuesday, November 4, 1952.

File No. 9303-2, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

August 25, 1952 Consideration continued to September 2, 1952.

There being no objection, consideration of the foregoing measure was *temporarily postponed* pending appearance of Supervisor MacPhee.

#### Final Passage.

The following recommendations of Streets Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Ferdon, Sullivan.

Changing or Modifying the Grades on Peralta Avenue Between a Line 254.04 Feet Northerly from Mayflower Street and Powhattan Avenue.

File No. 9069, Ordinance No. 7470 (Series of 1939).

Finally Passed by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee, McMurray—3.

Changing or Modifying Grades on Portions of Goettingen Street and Mansell Street.

File No. 9114, Ordinance No. 7471 (Series of 1939).

Finally Passed by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee, McMurray—3.

**Accepting the Roadways and Curbs of Portion of Hamilton Street and Certain Streets in the Parkmerced Subdivision, Including Various Intersections.**

File No. 9305, Ordinance No. 7472 (Series of 1939).

(Hamilton Street between Woolsey and Dwight Streets;  
Chumaseero Drive from Font Boulevard to Stanley Drive,  
including the intersection of Galindo Avenue;  
Font Boulevard, southwest one-half, from Vidal Drive to  
Lake Merced Boulevard;  
Galindo Avenue from Chumaseero Drive to a point 135 feet  
more or less easterly to its termination;  
Higuera Avenue, southerly one-half, from Arballo Drive to  
Vidal Drive, including the southerly one-half of the inter-  
section of Vidal Drive;  
Vidal Drive from Garces Drive to northerly one-half of  
Higuera Avenue;  
Vidal Drive from Acevedo Avenue to Arballo Drive.)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee, McMurray—3.

**Passage for Second Reading.**

The following recommendation of Joint Police and Judiciary Committee, heretofore considered, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon.

**An Ordinance Requiring Any Person Engaged in the Business of Selling Air Travel Passenger Tickets to the Public to File a Bond With the Chief of Police, and Providing Penalty for Violation Thereof.**

File No. 7726-2, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

August 25, 1952—Consideration continued to September 2, 1952.

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee, McMurray—3.

**Consideration Temporarily Postponed.**

The following recommendation of Judiciary Committee, heretofore considered, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis.

**Amending Subdivision C, Section 221, Article 3, Part I of the San Francisco Municipal Code, Relating to the Employees' Retirement System, so as to Allow Attorneys and Physicians in Non-Civil Service Positions, Who Resign and Withdraw Their Contributions from the Retirement System Within Sixty Days Prior to the Date Upon Which They Normally Would Be Required to Retire Because of Age, to Continue to Work for the City and County Under Subsequent Non-Civil Service Appointments, Without Limit as to Age.**

File No. 8805, Ordinance No. 7477 (Series of 1939).

August 25, 1952—Consideration continued to September 2, 1952.

There being no objection, consideration of the foregoing measure was temporarily postponed, pending appearance of Supervisor MacPhee.



**Ordered Submitted.**

The following recommendations of Judiciary Committee were taken up

Present: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon.

**Charter Amendment, Section 36.4, to Provide for Appointment of a Supervisor of Personnel, Fire Department.**

File No. 9280

August 25, 1952—Consideration continued to September 2, 1952.

**Discussion.**

Supervisor Mancuso objected to the measure as presently worded and stated that the selection should be broadened to include ranks below that of Captain. He accordingly moved that language relating to the rank of Captain be deleted and that in lieu thereof language be inserted to provide that the selection may be made from the rank of Lieutenant and higher.

The Chief of the Fire Department spoke against the amendment offered by Supervisor Mancuso.

Amendment lost for want of a second.

The roll was thereupon called and the Charter amendment was ordered submitted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, McMurray—2.

**Ordered Submitted.**

**Charter Amendment, Sections 13 and 17, to Provide for Preparation and Publication of a Municipal Code; to Provide that Ordinances Shall Be Passed After Two Readings and Votes at Separate Meetings of the Board, Which Meetings Shall Be at Least Five, Rather Than Ten, Days Apart; and to Provide That No Resolution Shall Be Adopted on the Date of Introduction and Without Reference to Committee, Except by Unanimous Consent of the Supervisors Present.**

File No. 9292

August 25, 1952—Consideration continued to September 2, 1952.

*Ordered submitted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, McMurray—2.

**Ordered Submitted.**

The following measure from Judiciary Committee, without recommendation, heretofore considered, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon.

**Charter Amendment, Section 39.1, to Provide That the Board of Permit Appeals Shall Have the Power to Hear and Determine Applications for Variances from the Strict Application of the Provisions of Any Law, Ordinance, Resolution, Rule or Regulation Governing the Issuance or Revocation of Permits or Licenses.**

File No. 9301

August 25, 1952—Consideration continued to September 2, 1952.

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Arnold moved, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, that the foregoing measure be ordered submitted.

### Discussion.

Supervisor Arnold stated that the intent of the proposed Charter amendment was merely to clearly define the powers of the Board of Permit Appeals which the electors delegated to them at the time of the adoption of the present Charter in 1932.

### Substitute Motion.

Supervisor Christopher moved, as a substitute, that consideration of the foregoing measure be continued to 3:25 p. m. Motion seconded by Supervisor Arnold, and there being no objection, motion *carried*.

*Consideration temporarily postponed.*

### NEW BUSINESS.

#### Adopted.

The following recommendations of Finance Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

**Authorizing Extension of Grants of Emergency Relief to Dependent Non-Residents for September and October; List Dated September 2, 1952.**

File No. 9225, Resolution No. 12570 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, McMurray—2.

#### Consideration Continued.

**Approving and Accepting Bid of S. E. Onorato, Inc., and W. & B. Realty Company for Lease of St. Mary's Square Subsurface and Additions Thereto for Construction of Off-Street Parking Garage; and Awarding Said Lease to Said Bidder as Highest Responsible Bidder.**

File No. 9051, Resolution No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(Lease is for a term of 33 years at monthly rental of 4 per cent of the gross revenue, said rental to be not less than \$1,225 per month as a minimum rental.)

Supervisor Arnold moved, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, that consideration of the foregoing measure be continued for one week to permit consideration of the measure by the Recreation and Park Commission.

No objection and motion *carried*.

*Consideration continued one week.*

#### Adopted.

**Authorizing Principal City Planner, Department of City Planning, to Attend the National Planning Conference of American Society of Planning Officials, to Be Held in Boston, October 5-8; and to Make Official Visits to City Planning Offices in New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Chicago.**

File No. 9357, Resolution No. 12600 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, McMurray—2.

**Authorizing Lease With the Housing Authority for Certain Space in the Ping Yuen Housing Project, Required for the Northeast Health Center.**

File No. 9398, Resolution No. 12576 (Series of 1939).

(Month to month agreement, at monthly rental of \$80, which includes heat, light and water, beginning July 1, 1952. Space consists of 2,160 square feet of ground floor.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, McMurray—2.

**Authorizing Conveyance of Lot 1B, Block 2892, to Richfield Oil Corporation, Upon Payment to City of \$1,774.**

File No. 9400, Resolution No. 12577 (Series of 1939).

(Property originally purchased from Richfield Oil Corporation for use in connection with proposed widening of Portola Drive with understanding that the property if not used for that purpose was to be returned to seller at the price paid. Plan for widening of Portola Drive has been abandoned. Not in conflict with Master Plan.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, McMurray—2.

**Authorizing Payment of \$860 to Cheong Ping Chow et ux. for Release from All Claims for Damages to Land and Improvements by Reason of Change of Grade in Connection With Construction of Broadway Tunnel.**

File No. 9401, Resolution No. 12578 (Series of 1939).

(Property designated as Lot 37, Block 155; improvements known as 1642 Hyde Street.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, McMurray—2.

**Authorizing Purchase of Water Pipe Line Easement in San Mateo County from the Department of Veterans Affairs of the State of California for \$750; Required for the Sunset Supply Line.**

File No. 9402, Resolution No. 12579 (Series of 1939).

(Westerly 8 feet of Lot 59, Block 6, map entitled "Tract No. 562 Meadow Glen, San Mateo County," excepting the area occupied by the existing house.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, McMurray—2.

**Authorizing Eminent Domain Proceedings for the Acquisition of Sub-surface Easements in Portion of Lots 5 and 6, Block 4625-A, in an Amount Not to Exceed \$275. Unless an Additional Authorization Is Secured; Required for Southeast Collecting Sewers, Hunters Point Tunnel.**

File No. 9403, Resolution No. 12580 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, McMurray—2.

**Declaring the Existence of an Emergency in Immediate and Necessary Repair of the Concrete Anchor of the Moccasin Power House Penstocks.**

File No. 9426, Resolution No. 12582 (Series of 1939).

(Emergency exists by reason of the fact that it is impossible to prepare specifications to cover the type, volume and foreseeable conditions with respect to removing, replacing and performing other work on elements of the damaged concrete anchor while the penstock pipes are conveying water for the operation of the Moccasin Power House; work must be performed in the most expeditious manner; \$150,000 is available for said reconstruction.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, McMurray—2.

#### Passage for Second Reading.

**Amending Ordinance No. 7405 (Series of 1939) Providing for the Improvement of Wilde Avenue Between Ervine and Delta Streets by Increasing Amount of City Aid from \$1,500 to \$1,600.**

File No. 9136-1, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, McMurray—2.

**An Ordinance Fixing Rates of Compensation to Be Paid Officers and Employees Subject to the Provisions of Charter Sections 35.5.1 (Police Department) and 36.2 (Fire Department), Effective July 1, 1952.**

File No. 9376, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, McMurray—2.

**Appropriating \$2,602.02, Municipal Railway, for Insurance for Automotive Vehicles.**

File No. 9393, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, McMurray—2.

**Appropriating \$1,423.81, Hetch Hetchy Project, for Insurance for Automotive Vehicles.**

File No. 9396, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, McMurray—2.

**Appropriating \$4,448.09, Water Department, for Insurance for Automotive Vehicles.**

File No. 9397, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, McMurray—2.

**Authorizing Sale of Surplus Water Department Land, Known as Spring Valley Lane, Located in San Mateo County.**

File No. 9399, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Lot 14 as delineated on "Map of Subdivision of Sweeney Ranch near Redwood City, San Mateo County." Containing 1.93 acres, more or less.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, McMurray—2.

**Amending Various Sections of the Annual Salary Ordinance, to Reflect Rates of Pay Approved by the Wage Stabilization Board for Employees Subject to Provisions of Charter Section 151.3, Effective as of July 1, 1952.**

File No. 9405, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, McMurray—2.

**Appropriating \$1,410, Public Health Department, for Expenditures Under Provisions of Health and Safety Code.**

File No. 9406, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, McMurray—2.

**Appropriating \$984.35, Police Department, for Retroactive Compensation.**

File No. 9408, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(For Inspector George P. Wall entitled to accumulated overtime for fiscal years 1948-49 and 1949-50 for which Inspector Wall was unable to take credited time off prior to his retirement.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, McMurray—2.

**Appropriating \$2,880, Public Administrator, for Position of Senior Legal Stenographer; Abolishing Position of Legal Stenographer.**

File No. 9410-1, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Senior Legal Stenographer . . . . .	\$320-380 per month
Legal Stenographer . . . . .	265-325 per month)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, McMurray—2.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Public Administrator—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 9410-2, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, McMurray—2.

**Amending Ordinance No. 7345 (Series of 1939), Annual Appropriation Ordinance, to Reflect Revenue Appropriation Adjustments Made Necessary by Provisions of Section 78 of the Charter and Expenditure Appropriation Adjustments.**

File No. 9427, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, McMurray—2.

**Tax Rate Ordinance—Fiscal Year 1952-1953.**

File No. 9428, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(Tax rate—\$5.67.)

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, McMurray—2.

**Resumption of Consideration of File No. 9301, Proposed Charter Amendment, Relating to the Powers of the Board of Permit Appeals.**

Supervisor MacPhee having put in an appearance, consideration of the foregoing measure was resumed.

**Communications Read.**

The Clerk read communications received from the American Institute of Architects, Associated Home Builders, Consulting Engineers' Association of California, Structural Engineers' Association of Northern California and the Associated General Contractors.

**Discussion.**

Supervisors Lewis and Mancuso stated they believed the matter should be submitted to the voters.

Supervisor Christopher stated that the Department of Public Works objected to the submission of the amendment as proposed, and that the City Planning Commission as well as the Department of Public Health should express themselves. The Supervisor suggested that the measure be re-referred to committee for the purpose of having the various departments involved reach an agreement on the type of Charter amendment which should be submitted.

The President of the Board, speaking from the floor as a Supervisor, having asked Supervisor McCarty to temporarily assume his position as President, expressed the opinion that the Board should submit the amendment and let the people decide the issue.

**Communication.**

At this point the Clerk read a communication signed by W. J. Varley, representing the Electrical Contractors' Association, urging postponement of Board action until a future date.

### Addition of Ex-Officio Members.

Supervisor Ferdon suggested that both the Controller and the Chief Administrative Officer be added to the membership of the Board of Permit Appeals as ex-officio members. If amendment is made to add the two officials, he would vote for the measure; otherwise he preferred to remand the measure to committee.

### Substitute Motion.

Supervisor MacPhee moved, as a substitute, that the measure be re-referred to committee. Motion seconded by Supervisor Christopher.

The Chief Administrative Officer spoke against the proposed measure, contending that its intended powers are too broad.

Ernest L. West, a member of the Board of Permit Appeals, stated that his body was primarily interested in helping the poor man make small alterations and that as far as new buildings were concerned, the provisions affecting them were being strictly enforced.

### Privilege of the Floor Denied.

Supervisor Dobbs moved the privilege of the floor to W. J. Varley, representing the Electrical Contractors' Association. Supervisor Mancuso objected; however, questions were asked of him from the floor by President Dewey Mead.

### Motion to Re-refer to Committee Lost.

The roll was thereupon called on the motion to re-refer to committee and it *lost* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee,—4.

Noes: Supervisors Arnold, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—6.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

### Amendment.

Supervisor Lewis moved as an amendment to Section 39.1 by deleting the language located in the eighth and ninth lines of the measure and reading as follows: "... practical difficulties or unnecessary hardships . . ." and inserting in lieu thereof the following language: "danger to the public safety and welfare." Motion seconded by Supervisor Arnold and *lost* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Lewis, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—5.

Noes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso—5.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

### Ordered Submitted.

The roll was thereupon called on the measure as presented to the Board and it was *ordered submitted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—6.

Noes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee—4.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

### Final Passage.

Resumption of Consideration of File No. 8805, Recommendation of the Judiciary Committee, Relating to Amendment of Subdivision (c) of Section 221 of Part I of the San Francisco Municipal Code, Affecting the Employees' Retirement System.

Consideration of the foregoing measure was resumed, with Supervisor Mancuso contending that the passage of the foregoing measure

constituted class discrimination, designed to benefit a few, and would wreak irreparable harm upon the merit system.

The roll was thereupon called and the foregoing measure was *finally passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

No: Supervisor Mancuso—1.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

#### Adopted.

**Resumption of Consideration of Measure, Relating to the Consolidation of the Special Election Called for Submission of Bond Issue of \$6,620,000 for Municipal Railway Rehabilitation With the General Election to Be Held on November 4, 1952.**

File No. 9303-2, Resolution No. 12571 (Series of 1939).

Consideration of the foregoing measure was resumed with the calling of the roll and it was *adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Noes: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee—2.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

#### Passage for Second Reading.

**Resumption of Consideration of File No. 9303-3, Providing for a Special Election to Consider a Bond Issue in the Sum of \$6,620,000 for the Rehabilitation of the Municipal Railway.**

Consideration of the foregoing measure was resumed.

#### Discussion—Explanations of Votes.

Supervisor Lewis objected to the proposal to eliminate the "B" line on Geary Street, and dwelt at length on other aspects of the proposed bond issue to which he objected, and stated that in view of the foregoing reasons, he was voting against submission.

Supervisor Mancuso stated that he preferred to have the people decide whether or not the bond issue should be approved, although personally he was opposed to the measure and was a supporter of the plan for the establishment of a Transit Authority.

Supervisor Christopher stated that he did not think the measure a sound one, and although he had been defeated in the race for Mayor, he did not want to deprive the present administration from submitting the bond issue to the people for their approval or disapproval. Personally, he concluded, he was opposed to the measure until a Transit Authority had been formed.

The roll was thereupon called and the foregoing measure was *passed for second reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Noes: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee—2.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

#### Adopted.

**Resumption of Consideration of Measure, Recommendation of the Finance Committee, Dealing With the Waiving of the Statute of Limitations, and Authorizing Payment from Employees' Retirement Fund of Warrants to Certain Employees.**

File No. 9368, Resolution No. 12573 (Series of 1939).

Consideration of the foregoing measure was resumed. The roll was called and it was *adopted* by the following vote:



Ayes Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

#### Adopted.

The following recommendations of the Finance Committee were taken up: (Continued)

Providing for the Consolidation of the Special Election Called for Submission of a Proposition to Authorize the Issuance of \$4,750,000 Firehouse Bonds, With the General Election to Be Held on Tuesday, November 4, 1952.

File No. 9395-2, Resolution No. 12575 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

#### Passage for Second Reading.

Calling and Providing for a Special Election to Be Held in the City and County of San Francisco on Tuesday, November 4, 1952, for the Purpose of Submitting to the Voters of the City and County of San Francisco a Proposition to Incur a Bonded Debt of the City and County to the Amount of \$4,750,000 for the Acquisition, Construction and Completion by City and County of San Francisco of the Following Municipal Improvement, To Wit: The Acquisition of Lands and the Improvement Thereof by the Construction of Firehouses Thereon and the Reconstruction of Existing Firehouses, and All Other Works, Properties or Structures Necessary or Convenient for the Construction and Reconstruction of Firehouses, All Within the City and County of San Francisco, and That the Estimated Cost to the City and County of San Francisco of Said Municipal Improvement Is and Will Be Too Great to Be Paid Out of the Ordinary Annual Income and Revenue of the City and County of San Francisco and Will Require an Expenditure Greater Than the Amount Allowed Therefor by the Annual Tax Levy; All in Order to Do and Perform Any and All of the Matters Hereinabove Referred to for the Acquisition, Construction, Completion and Reconstruction of Firehouses Within the City and County, Together With Their Appurtenances; Fixing Rate of Interest of Said Bonds and Providing for the Levy and Collection of Taxes to Pay Both Principal and Interest Thereof, Prescribing Notice to Be Given of Such Election and Consolidating the Special Election With the General Election.

File No. 9395-3, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

#### Discussion.

Edward P. Walsh, Chief Engineer of the Fire Department, explained the necessity for the submission of the bond issue.

Supervisor Mancuso raised questions concerning the construction of firehouses and if such construction would insure proper distribution of firemen about the city.

Mr. Paul Oppermann, Director of Planning, assured the Supervisor that the question of location had been given most serious consideration by his Commission, and that the proposed construction had been designed to adequately take care of future needs.

The roll was thereupon called and the foregoing measure was passed for second reading by the following vote:

Ayes Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

**Passage for Second Reading.***(Supervisor Christopher dissenting.)***Appropriating \$3,325, Adult Probation Officer, for Position of Probation Officer.**

File No. 9407-1, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

No: Supervisor Christopher—1.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, McMurray—2.

**Amending Annual Salary Ordinance, Adult Probation Officer—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 9407-2, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

No: Supervisor Christopher—1.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, McMurray—2.

**Adopted.***(Supervisor Christopher dissenting as to inclusion of funds for South of Market Project.)***Declaring That Necessity and Public Interest Require the Redevelopment Agency to Avail Itself of Additional Financial Assistance Provided by Title I of the Housing Act of 1949 to Assist and Continue Planning and Surveying of Local Slum Clearance and Urban Redevelopment Projects, Excluding Diamond Heights Approved Project Area B-1, and Approving Application and Filing Thereof for an Additional Advance of Funds from the Housing and Home Finance Agency Under Said Title I.**

File No. 9409, Resolution No. 12581 (Series of 1939).

(Redevelopment projects known as Western Addition, McLaren, Candlestick and South of Market.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

**Final Passage.**

The following measure from Finance Committee, with recommendation "Do Pass" after amendment, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

**Appropriating \$6,790, Disaster Corps, from Emergency Reserve Fund, for Contractual, Rescue and First Aid Equipment, and Services of Other Departments; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9413, Ordinance No. 7476 (Series of 1939).

(Estimated cost of transportation of mobile rescue and first aid supplies and equipment assigned to San Francisco by State, from Sacramento, 91 units . . . \$5,000

Construction of 75 wooden boxes for storing and handling first aid equipment . . . 935

Rescue and first aid, services of other departments . . . 855)

(Proposed Amendment: Delete item for Rescue and First Aid, Services of other departments . . . 855

Reduce total appropriation from \$6,790 to \$5,935.)

**Amendment.**

Supervisor Arnold moved adoption of the foregoing proposed amendment by the Finance Committee. Motion seconded by Supervisor Christopher and *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

The roll was thereupon called and the foregoing measure, as amended, was *finally passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

**Adopted.**

The following recommendations of Streets Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Ferdon, Sullivan.

**Declaring Intention to Order the Vacation of a Portion of Casitas Avenue Easterly from Lansdale Avenue.**

File No. 7059-1, Resolution No. 12567 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

**Declaring Intention to Order the Vacation of Mississippi Street Between Twenty-second and Twenty-third Streets.**

File No. 9201-1, Resolution No. 12568 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

**Authorizing Acceptance of Deed from Lang Construction Company and John W. Fricke and T. M. Fricke to Certain Land Required for the Realignment of Casitas Avenue Easterly from Lansdale Avenue.**

File No. 9356, Resolution No. 12572 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

**Granting Revocable Permit to Tide Water Associated Oil Company to Occupy, With a Portion of Its Service Station Building, the Easterly 8 Feet of the Sidewalk Area on the Easterly Side of Bryant Street Between Army Street and Precita Avenue.**

File No. 9374, Resolution No. 12574 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

**Requesting the State Division of Highways to Hold a Public Hearing  
on the Proposed Location of The Embarcadero Freeway.**

File No. 9435, Resolution No. 12583 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis,  
MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

**Passage for Second Reading.**

**Accepting the Roadway and Curbs of Ordway Street Between San  
Bruno Avenue and Girard Street.**

File No. 9373, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis,  
MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

**Ordering the Improvement of Felton Street Between Gambier and  
Harvard Streets, Including the Crossing of Felton and Harvard  
Streets; and Extending City Aid in the Approximate Amount of \$2,200.**

File No. 9421, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis,  
MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

**Orderer Submitted.**

The following measures from Judiciary Committee, without recommendation, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon.

**Charter Amendment, Section 165.1.3, to Increase by \$25 Per Month the  
Retirement Allowances Being Paid to Miscellaneous Officers and  
Employees Who Retired Prior to July 1, 1947.**

File No. 9144

Supervisor Ferdon moved submission; seconded by Supervisor McCarty.

*Ordered submitted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso,  
MacPhee, Mead, Sullivan—8.

No: Supervisor Dobbs—1.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, McMurray—2.

**Charter Amendment, Section 36, Relating to (1) Status of Marine  
Crew Personnel in the Event That Operation of Fire Boats by the  
Fire Department Is Discontinued; and (2) Organization and Personnel  
of the Bureau of Fire Prevention and Public Safety.**

Files Nos. 9277, 9411

Supervisor MacPhee moved submission of the marine crew Charter amendment; seconded by Supervisor Ferdon.

**Amendment.**

Supervisor McCarty moved the following amendments: On the ninth line of the proposed measure the word "may" appearing after the words "the commission," be changed to read "shall." On the same line after the words "employee of the fire department," add the following: "or any other city department." Motion seconded by Supervisor Lewis.

### Privilege of the Floor.

The privilege of the floor was accorded Robert Callahan, representing the David Seannell Club, which organization had an amendment of its own pending before the Board. Mr. Callahan stated that the Fire Commission had approved the club's amendment with but one suggested change, placing after the words "... other rank in the department," the following language, "provided, however, that in event of reduction in the uniform force of the Fire Department, members of marine crews included therein, seniority shall prevail."

### Suggested Amendment.

Supervisor MacPhee suggested that the phrase "the City and County" be substituted for the words "fire department" found on line 9. The suggestion was agreeable to Supervisor McCarty, the mover of the amendment.

There being no objection, Supervisor McCarty's amendment was *withdrawn*.

### Motion to Re-refer to Committee.

Supervisor MacPhee moved re-reference of the Charter amendment concerning marine crews to committee; motion seconded by Supervisor Christopher and *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee—6.

Noes: Supervisors Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—4.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

### Communication Read.

The Clerk read a communication from the Bureau of Governmental Research in which request was made that consideration be further postponed relative to the submission of a proposed Charter amendment dealing with the organization and personnel of the Bureau of Fire Prevention and Public Safety.

### Motion to Submit.

Supervisor MacPhee moved, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, that the foregoing Charter amendment relative to the Bureau of Fire Prevention and Public Safety be submitted.

*Ordered submitted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor McMurray—1.

## OFF-CALENDAR LEGISLATION.

### Ordered Submitted.

The following recommendation of the Judiciary Committee was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis.

Adding Section 158.2, Relating to the Retirement of Elective Officers.  
File No. 9240

*Ordered submitted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, McMurray—2.

**Ordered Submitted.**

The following measure from Judiciary Committee, without recommendation, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis.

**Adding Section 158.3, Relating to Inclusion of Certain Employees and Attachés of the Superior and Municipal Courts in the Retirement System.**

File No. 9256

Supervisor Dobbs moved submission; motion seconded by Supervisor Ferdon.

*Ordered submitted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, McMurray—2.

**Adopted.**

The following recommendation of his Honor the Mayor was taken up:

**Leaves of Absence—John M. Dean, Deputy City Attorney, September 6-21; Supervisor Chester R. MacPhee, August 29-September 2; Thomas C. Lynch, District Attorney, August 30-September 3; Edward J. Wren, President of the Public Welfare Department, September 2-21, 1952, All With Permission to Leave the State.**

File No. 9220, Resolution No. 12569 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor McCarty moved adoption; seconded by Supervisor Christopher.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, McMurray—2.

**ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF MEASURES AND COMMUNICATIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.****References to Committees.**

**Appropriating \$1,015,000, Public Utilities, from Unappropriated Balance of 1949 Cherry Valley Dam Bond Fund, for Expenditure and Certification of Contracts for the Construction of the Cherry Valley Dam.**

Supervisor Arnold presented:

File No. 9440, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

**Granting Revocable Permission to S. Bellante and P. Alioto to Erect Posts to Support a Canopy Over the Sidewalk Area in Front of Premises Known as The Wharf, Located at 2737 Taylor Street.**

Supervisor Christopher presented:

File No. 9442, Resolution No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Streets Committee.*

**Memorializing Legislature to Amend Laws so as to Permit Pledge of Gas Tax Funds to Finance Municipal Street and Highway Projects.**

Supervisor Christopher presented:

File No. 9443, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to County, State and National Affairs Committee.*

**Announcement of Date and Time Limitation With Respect to Receipt of Ballot Arguments.**

The Chairman of the Judiciary Committee, Supervisor Dobbs, announced that ballot arguments would be received by his committee up to the hour of 4 p. m., September 11.

**References to Committees.****Ballot Argument, Relating to Emergency Appointments Pursuant to Section 149 of the Charter.**

Supervisor Dobbs presented:

File No. 8727-1, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Judiciary Committee.*

**Ballot Argument, Section 156 of the Charter, Relating to Transfer in Positions of Disabled Civil Service Employees.**

Supervisor Dobbs presented:

File No. 9289-1, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Judiciary Committee.*

**Ballot Argument, Declaration of Policy With Respect to the Proposed Purchase or Lease of Angel Island for Recreational Purposes.**

Supervisor Dobbs presented:

File No. 9444-1, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Judiciary Committee.*

**Supervisor Lewis Excused from Board Attendance.**

Supervisor Lewis asked that he be excused from attending the next regular meeting of the Board scheduled for Monday, September 8, 1952, at 2:00 p. m.

*No objection and permission granted.*

**References to Committees.****Disapproving Abandonment and Discontinuance of Municipal Railway Service on the "K" Line on Onondaga Avenue from Mission Street to Ocean Avenue and on Ocean Avenue, from Onondaga Avenue to the Phelan Loop.**

Supervisor McCarty presented:

File No. 9430, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Public Utilities Committee.*

**Appropriating \$252, Public Health, to Enable One Position of Gardener to Work a 44-Hour Week at the Laguna Honda Home.**

Supervisor McCarty presented:

File No. 9441-1, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 1952

Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 1.24—A Companion  
Measure to the Preceding Item.

Supervisor McCarty presented:

File No. 9441-2, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 6:37 p. m., adjourned.

JOHN R. McGRATH, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors September 22, 1952.

I, John R. McGrath, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the date hereon stated and approved as recited.

JOHN R. McGRATH,  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.



Monday, September 8, 1952

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# JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 1952—2:00 P. M.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, September 8, 1952, 2.00 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

## CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present

Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent Supervisors Arnold, Mancuso, McMurray—3.

Supervisor Arnold noted present at 2:30 p. m.

Supervisor Mancuso noted present at 2:17 p. m.

## APPROVAL OF JOURNAL.

The Journal of Proceedings for Monday, August 18, 1952, was considered read and approved.

## Communications.

From the Union Square Garage, Inc., with attachments, letters dated August 29th and September 3rd, calling attention to error made by them in submitting their bid for lease of St. Mary's Square Garage.

*Over from September 8th; to be considered September 15th.*

From Sonoma Valley Chamber of Commerce, extending invitation to attend meeting on subject of North Bay Barrier, to be held at Sonoma Mission Inn, Boyes Hot Springs, on September 22.

*Copy to each member of Board; filed.*

## Statements in Connection With the Passing of Supervisor Patrick J. McMurray.

Supervisor Christopher stated that the passing of Supervisor McMurray constituted a personal loss to him. Both he, Pat and Supervisor Lewis came on the Board together, and for the first time in seven years, Pat will no longer be with us, instead he has been summoned by his Heavenly Father to sit in on a higher Council. The loss of Pat is an irreplaceable one not only to his colleagues but to the entire citizenry of San Francisco. Supervisor Christopher stated both he and his wife intended to visit Pat at the hospital but through the vagaries of circumstances, the visit will be made but under different conditions.

Supervisor Lewis: The loss of Pat is a deep loss to every one of us. Both George and I and Pat came on the Board together. I can remember many times in the Board when the temperature ran high,

Pat, with some sort of homey expression would relieve the tension and everybody would get back to normal. Pat truly represented the common man and represented him to the best of his ability. He will always be remembered for his sweetness, his kindness, his generosity and forgiveness, and today there is not a man who has not a sad spot in his heart and as George said, his memory shall forever be enshrined in the hearts of all San Franciscans.

President Mead: I am at a loss for words. It just so happens that Mrs. Mead and I visited Pat at the hospital. He was your friend, and my friend, the friend of all the people. I would like to remember Pat as I saw him the last time he appeared in the Chambers. Through all his sickness, he never failed to maintain a sense of humor. San Francisco has lost a real friend and a part of San Francisco and we will truly remember him as long as we live.

#### Suspension of Rules.

Supervisor Christopher moved, seconded by Supervisor Lewis, that the rules be suspended for the purpose of considering the following measure out of order.

No objection and motion *carried*.

#### Adopted.

#### In Memoriam—Patrick J. McMurray.

Jointly presented by all members of the Board:

File No. 9221, Resolution No. 12585 (Series of 1939).

#### Motion to Adopt.

Supervisor Christopher moved adoption; motion seconded by Supervisor Lewis.

*Unanimously adopted by rising vote* as follows:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, McMurray—2.

#### SPECIAL ORDER—2:00 P. M.

Hearing of Appeal from the Decision of the City Planning Commission by Its Resolution No. 4066, Disapproving Application to Rezone Property Located on the Southwest Corner of Alemany Boulevard and Santa Rosa Avenue, from First Residential District to Commercial District.

File No. 9338

September 2, 1952—Consideration continued to September 8, 1952.

#### Motion to Postpone Consideration.

Supervisor Sullivan moved, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, that consideration of the foregoing measure be continued for a period of one week.

No objection and motion *carried*.

*Consideration continued one week.*

Disapproving Decision of the City Planning Commission by Its Resolution No. 4066, Dated July 3, 1952, Denying Application to Rezone Property Located on the Southwest Corner of Alemany Boulevard and Santa Rosa Avenue, from First Residential District to Commercial District.

File No. 9338-1, Resolution No. . . . (Series of 1939).

September 2, 1952—Consideration continued to September 8, 1952.  
*Consideration continued one week.*

## SPECIAL ORDER—2:00 P. M.

Hearing of Appeal from the Decision of the City Planning Commission by Its Resolution No. 4067, Disapproving Application to Rezone Property Located on the South Line of West Portal Avenue Distant Thereon 227 Feet Measured from the Tangent Point of a Curve to the Left from Fifteenth Avenue, from First Residential District to Commercial District.

File No. 9348

September 2, 1952—Consideration continued to September 8, 1952.

## Motion to Postpone Consideration.

Supervisor Ferdon moved, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, that consideration of the foregoing measure be continued for a period of one week.

No objection and motion *carried*.

*Consideration continued one week.*

Disapproving Decision of the City Planning Commission by Its Resolution No. 4067, Dated July 3, 1952, Denying Application to Rezone Property Located on the South Line of West Portal Avenue Distant Thereon 227 Feet Measured from the Tangent Point of a Curve to the Left from Fifteenth Avenue, from First Residential District to Commercial District.

File No. 9348-1, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

September 2, 1952—Consideration continued to September 8, 1952.

*Consideration continued one week.*

## UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

## Final Passage.

The following recommendations of Finance Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

Appropriating \$2,891.35, M. H. deYoung Memorial Museum, for Installation of Hardwood Flooring in Period Rooms.

File No. 9363, Ordinance No. 7478 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, McMurray—2.

Appropriating \$31.70, Registrar of Voters, for Overtime.

File No. 9364, Ordinance No. 7479 (Series of 1939).

(Two employees were inadvertently omitted from overtime payroll for period ending June 15, 1952.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, McMurray—2.

Appropriating \$108.76, Superior Court, for Overtime.

File No. 9365, Ordinance No. 7480 (Series of 1939).

(For Courtroom Clerks, on jury duty after working hours during the month of June, 1952.)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, McMurray—2.

**Appropriating \$16,005.66, Purchasing Department, for Payment of Retroactive Compensation Covering Premium Pay and Unworked Holidays.**

File No. 9387, Ordinance No. 7481 (Series of 1939).

(For J-66, Garagemen, in accordance with provisions of Superior Court Action No. 404184, Eugene K. Allen et al. vs. City.)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, McMurray—2.

**Appropriating \$526.27, Police Department, for Retroactive Compensation.**

File No. 9388, Ordinance No. 7482 (Series of 1939).

(For Patrolman Paul H. Dotur entitled to credit for time previously served for purpose of salary increments. Years 1948-49, 1949-50, 1950-51, 1951-52. In accordance with provisions of Section 35.5 of Charter and City Attorney Opinion No. 465.)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, McMurray—2.

**Appropriating \$490, Water Department, for the Purchase of a Check Endorsing Machine.**

File No. 9389, Ordinance No. 7483 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, McMurray—2.

**Authorizing Chief, Fire Department, to Attend Annual Conference of International Association of Fire Chiefs, to Be Held in Boston, August 25-29.**

File No. 9404, Ordinance No. 7484 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, McMurray—2.

#### **Consideration Continued.**

**Approving and Accepting Bid of S. E. Onorato, Inc., and W. & B. Realty Company for Lease of St. Mary's Square Subsurface and Additions Thereto for Construction of Off-Street Parking Garage; and Awarding Said Lease to Said Bidder as Highest Responsible Bidder.**

File No. 9051-2, Resolution No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(Lease for a term of 33 years at monthly rental of 4 per cent of the gross revenue, said rental to be not less than \$1,225 per month as a minimum rental.)

September 2, 1952--Consideration continued to September 8, 1952.  
Supervisor Sullivan moved, seconded by Supervisor MacPhee, that consideration of the foregoing measure be continued for one week.

No objection and motion *carried*.

*Consideration continued one week.*

## NEW BUSINESS.

### Adopted.

The following recommendations of Finance Committee were taken up:

Present Supervisors Christopher, McCarty.

Authorizing Extension of Grants of Emergency Relief to Dependent Non-Residents for September and October; List Dated September 8, 1952.

File No. 9225, Resolution No. 12536 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, McMurray—2.

Authorizing Attendance of Director of Property at the Convention of the American Institute of Real Estate Appraisers to Be Held at Miami, Florida, November 7-14, 1952.

File No. 9429, Resolution No. 12588 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, McMurray—2.

Authorizing the Chief Administrative Officer to Enter into an Agreement With the University of California for the Use and Occupancy of a Hospital Ward and Basement Facilities at Laguna Honda Home for Oncology Research and Surgery.

File No. 9434, Resolution No. 12589 (Series of 1939).

(City to be recompensed at patient day rate fixed by Board for Laguna Honda Hospital cases.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, McMurray—2.

Approving Contract Between the Redevelopment Agency and the Housing and Home Finance Agency of the United States for Advance of \$189,335 to Be Used in Final Planning and Surveying of Diamond Heights Approved Redevelopment Project Area B-1.

File No. 9436-I, Resolution No. 12590 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, McMurray—2.

**Approving Requisition No. 1 and Certificate of Purposes Submitted by the Redevelopment Agency to the Housing and Home Finance Agency to Cover Advance Funds Totalling \$57,525 for the Period September 1-December 31, 1952.**

File No. 9436-2, Resolution No. 12591 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, McMurray—2.

**Passage for Second Reading.**

**Appropriating \$2,813, Public Health, Bureau of Venereal Disease, for Position of Physician Specialist (Part-Time); Abolishing Following Positions: 1 General Clerk; 1 General Clerk-Stenographer; 1 General Clerk-Typist; 1 Orderly and 1 Physician Specialist.**

File No. 9415-1, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(Physician Specialist (part-time) at rate of \$625 per month

General Clerk . . . . . \$240-300 per month

General Clerk-Stenographer . . . . . 240-300 per month

General Clerk-Typist . . . . . 240-300 per month

Orderly . . . . . 205-245 per month

Physician Specialist at rate of \$625 per month.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, McMurray—2.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 54(b), Public Health, Central Office, Venereal Disease Control—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 9415-2, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, McMurray—2.

**Appropriating \$12,055, Public Library, for Following Positions: 1 Office Assistant (Part-Time), 2 General Clerks, 1 Senior Clerk and 2 General Clerk-Typists; Abolishing the Following Positions: 1 Senior Librarian and 4 Librarians.**

File No. 9422-1, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(Office Assistant (part-time) . . . . . \$ 79.50 per month

General Clerks . . . . . 240-300 per month

Senior Clerk . . . . . 300-370 per month

General Clerk-Typists . . . . . 240-300 per month

Senior Librarian . . . . . 315-365 per month

Librarians . . . . . 275-325 per month

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, McMurray—2.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Sections 17, 17.1 and 17.2, Public Library—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 9422-2, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, McMurray—2.



**Consideration Continued.**

Appropriating \$1,015,000, Public Utilities, from Unappropriated Balance of 1949 Cherry Valley Dam Bond Fund, for Expenditure and Certification of Contracts in Connection With the Construction of the Cherry Valley Dam.

File No. 9440, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

Supervisor MacPhee moved, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, that consideration of the foregoing measure be continued for one week.

No objection and motion carried.

Consideration continued one week.

**Passage for Second Reading.**

Appropriating \$252, Public Health, Laguna Honda Home, to Authorize One Position of Gardener to Work a 44-Hour Week.

File No. 9441-1, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, McMurray—2.

Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 1.24, Public Health, Laguna Honda Home—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.

File No. 9441-2, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, McMurray—2.

**Final Passage.**

Appropriating \$900, Public Health, Laguna Honda Home, for Temporary Salaries; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9412, Ordinance No. 7485 (Series of 1939).

Finally Passed by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, McMurray—2.

**Adopted.**

The following recommendation of Streets Committee was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Ferdon, Sullivan.

Granting Revocable Permit to Frank A. and Alice M. Arata to Occupy the Inner Six Feet of Southerly Gore Corner of Bayshore Boulevard and Egbert Avenue and the Inner 3,667 Feet of the Southwesterly Sidewalk Area of Egbert Avenue for a Distance of 80.96 Feet Easterly from Bayshore Boulevard.

File No. 9340, Resolution No. 12587 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, McMurray—2.

**OFF-CALENDAR LEGISLATION.****Passage for Second Reading.**

The following recommendation of the Public Buildings, Lands and City Planning Committee was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Mancuso, Dobbs.

**Amending Ordinance No. 5082 (Series of 1939), Correcting Discrepancies in Legal Description of Western Additional Redevelopment Area and Relocating Portion of the Western Boundary.**

File No. 9320, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

**Motion for Passage to Second Reading.**

Supervisor Mancuso moved passage for second reading; motion seconded by Supervisor Dobbs.

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, McMurray—2.

**Adopted.**

The following recommendation of his Honor the Mayor was taken up:

**Leaves of Absence—W. F. Carroll, Agricultural Commissioner, September 5-7; Victor S. Swanson, Vice-President of the Public Utilities Commission, September 9-30; Edward P. Walsh, Chief of the Fire Department, One Week from September 13; Fred D. Parr, Recreation and Park Commissioner, September 15-19; All With Permission to Leave the State.**

The Clerk presented:

File No. 9220, Resolution No. 12584 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Arnold moved adoption; motion seconded by Supervisor McCarty.

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, McMurray—2.

**ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF MEASURES AND COMMUNICATIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.****Adopted.**

**Authorizing Attendance of Fire Chief at the Annual Conference of the Pacific Coast Inter-Mountain Association of Fire Chiefs, a Division of the International Association of Fire Chiefs, to Be Held in Las Vegas, Nevada, September 14-17, 1952.**

Supervisor Arnold presented:

File No. 9460, Ordinance No. 12592 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Arnold moved adoption; motion seconded by Supervisor McCarty.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, McMurray—2.

**Adopted.**

**Commending the Guardsmen.**

Supervisor Arnold presented:

File No. 9461, Resolution No. 12593 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Arnold moved adoption; motion seconded by Supervisor Ferdon.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, McMurray—2.

**Reference to Committee.**

**Directing That Hearings Be Held on Proposed Relocation of Wholesale Produce District.**

Supervisor Christopher presented:

File No. 9463, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Commercial and Industrial Development Committee.*

**Adopted.**

**Commending and Congratulating the Pacific Gas and Electric Company on the Centennial Celebration of Its Founding.**

Supervisor Christopher presented:

File No. 9462, Resolution No. 12594 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Christopher moved adoption; motion seconded by Supervisor Sullivan.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, McMurray—2.

**Statement on Passing of Supervisor McMurray.**

Supervisor Dobbs: Pat was a kindly gentleman to whom I looked for advice and counsel on many occasions. He taught me a great deal about Board procedure although my tenure in office has been very short. I express deepest sympathy to Pat's family.

**Adopted.**

**In Memoriam—Louis Sloss.**

Supervisor Dobbs presented:

File No. 9221, Resolution No. 12599 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Dobbs moved adoption; motion seconded by Supervisor Ferdon.

*Unanimously adopted by rising vote as follows:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, McMurray—2.

**Statement on Passing of Supervisor McMurray.**

Supervisor Ferdon: I extend personal sympathies to the McMurray family. I can only say that personally he added much to the character of San Francisco. May God bless him and may he truly rest in peace.

**Adopted.****Welcoming Delegates to the 61st Annual Meeting of the National Conference of Commissioners on Uniform State Laws.**

Supervisors Ferdon and Dobbs jointly presented:

File No. 9464, Resolution No. 12595 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Ferdon moved adoption; motion seconded by Supervisor Dobbs.

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, McMurray—2.

**Adopted.****Welcoming Delegates to the 75th Annual Meeting of the American Bar Association.**

Supervisors Ferdon and Dobbs jointly presented:

File No. 9465, Resolution No. 12596 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Ferdon moved adoption; motion seconded by Supervisor Dobbs.

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, McMurray—2.

**Statement on Passing of Supervisor McMurray.**

Supervisor MacPhee: I extend deepest sympathy to Pat's family. I had the opportunity of learning something about Pat during his campaign, and found him to be a sincere, humane and kindly personality. I know all of us will render to his family any assistance which may be asked of us. I happened to talk to Pat last week over the telephone and he told me then he would be out pretty soon.

**Adopted.****Authorizing Controller to Attend the Annual Meeting of the County Supervisors' Association to Be Held at San Diego During Period September 9-12, 1952.**

Supervisor Mancuso presented:

File No. 9466, Resolution No. 12597 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Mancuso moved adoption; motion seconded by Supervisor Sullivan.

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, McMurray—2.

**Reference to Committee.**

**Urging the Electorate to Approve at the November Election State Proposition No. 3, the Private School Tax Exemption Referendum Measure.**

Supervisor Mancuso presented:

File No. 9468, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to County, State and National Affairs Committee.*

**Statement on Passing of Supervisor McMurray.**

Supervisor Mancuso stated that the passing of Pat constituted a distinct loss to the city and county, especially to the common man for whom Pat always fought.

**References to Judiciary Committee.**

**Authorizing Submission of Ballot Argument in Connection With Charter Section 158.2, Pertaining to the Retirement of Elective Officers.**

Supervisor Dobbs presented:

File No. 9240-1, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Judiciary Committee.*

**Authorizing Submission of Ballot Argument in Connection With Charter Section 39.1, Pertaining to the Powers of the Board of Permit Appeals.**

Supervisor Arnold presented:

File No. 9301-1, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Judiciary Committee.*

**Motion to Authorize Designation of Charter Amendment Relating to the Powers of the Board of Permit Appeals.**

Supervisor Arnold moved, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, that the proposed Charter amendment relating to the powers of the Board of Permit Appeals be designated Proposition "A."

**Motion Withdrawn.**

Supervisor Mancuso informed Supervisor Arnold that the numbering of propositions is a matter that is usually decided in Judiciary Committee, and not in the Board.

There being no objection, motion was *withdrawn*.

**Statement on Passing of Supervisor McMurray.**

Supervisor McCarty stated he wanted to add his voice to the many thousands of San Franciscans who are expressing sympathy and condolences to the family of Pat McMurray. Pat, Supervisor McCarty pointed out, was from the old school of San Franciscans, one who has always extended a helping hand and one who was possessed with a forgiving heart. Pat's life must have, indeed, been pleasing to God.

**Announcement of Funeral Services.**

Supervisor Mead announced that funeral services would be held at the parlors of Gantner, Felder and Kenny on Wednesday morning, September 10, and mass said at St. Ignatius at 10:30 a. m.

**Statement on Passing of Supervisor McMurray.**

Supervisor Sullivan called the Board's attention to the grief that must have been attendant to the thousands who knew and loved Pat, and reechoed the sentiments expressed heretofore that the city had indeed lost a tried and true servant.

**Adopted.**

Requesting the Mayor to Proclaim Week of September 15 as "Marine Corps Reserve Week," and Urging Public Participation Therein.

Supervisor Sullivan presented:

File No. 9467, Resolution No. 12598 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Sullivan moved adoption; motion seconded by Supervisor Ferdon.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, McMurray—2.

**ADJOURNMENT.**

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 3:00 p. m., adjourned.

JOHN R. McGRATH, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors September 29, 1952.

I, John R. McGrath, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the date hereon stated and approved as recited.

JOHN R. McGRATH,  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.





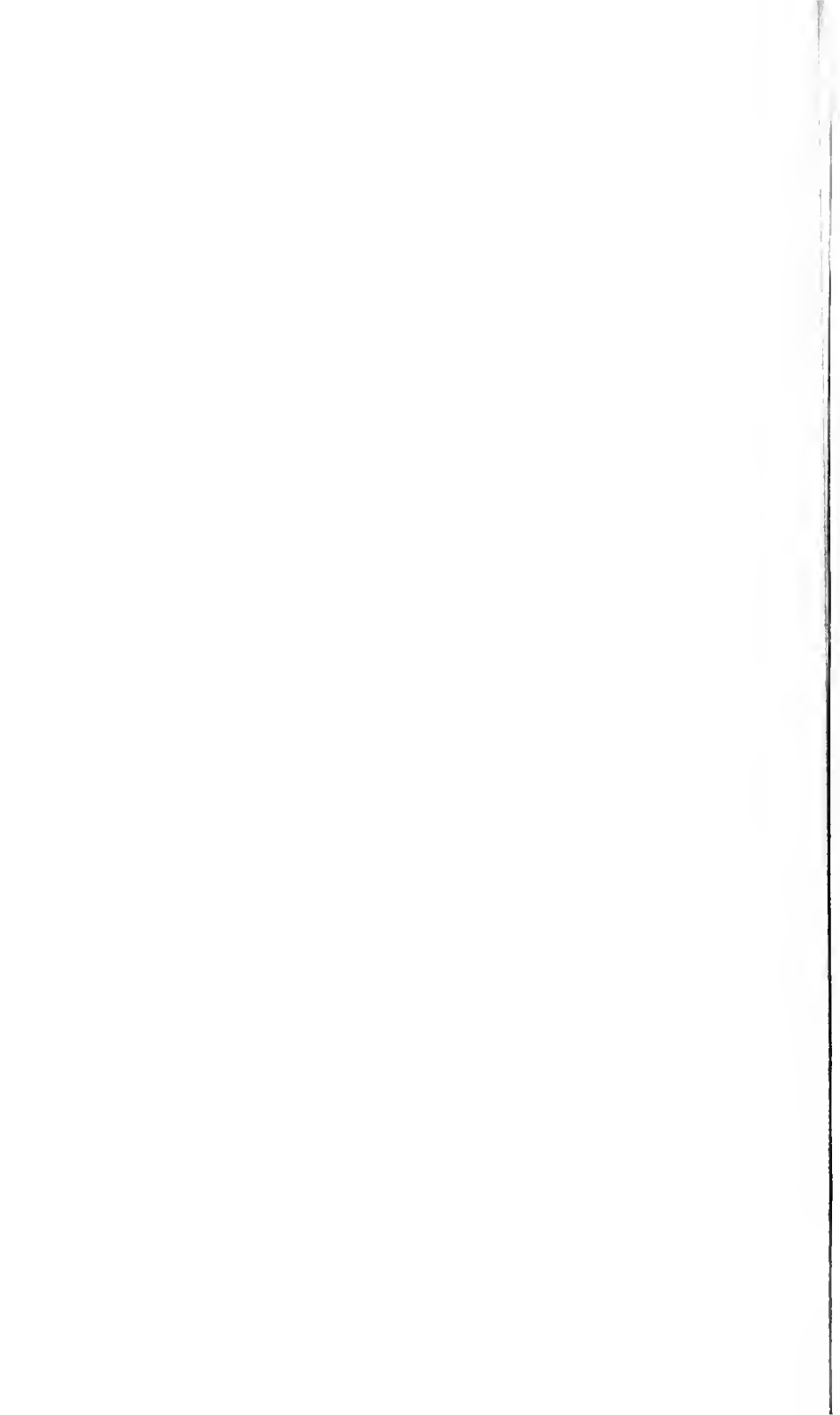


Monday, September 15, 1952

Thursday, September 18, 1952

# Journal of Proceedings Board of Supervisors





# JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 1952—2:00 P. M.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, September 15, 1952, 2:00 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

## CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—11.

Quorum present.

President Dewey Mead presiding.

Supervisor Lewis excused from attendance at 4:30 p. m.

Supervisor MacPhee excused from attendance at 4:30 p. m.

## Introduction of Supervisor Halley.

The Chair introduced the newly appointed Supervisor, James Leo Halley, and on behalf of the members, welcomed him to the Board. The Chair stated that Supervisor Halley would assume the committee assignments of his predecessor, the late Supervisor McMurray.

Supervisor Halley, in response, remarked that it was a pleasure to be a member of the Board once again and that he would give his full cooperation to the other members of the Board.

## APPROVAL OF JOURNAL.

The Journal of Proceedings for Monday, August 25, 1952, was considered read and approved.

## Announcement of Committee Meeting.

Supervisor Lewis announced a meeting of the Joint Committee on County, State and National Affairs and Finance, Thursday, September 18, 1952, 2:00 p. m., Chambers of the Board, to consider the rental survey as submitted by Kellogg and Associates, Inc.

Supervisor Mancuso suggested that when the Board concluded its meeting it recess until Thursday, at the hour of 2:00 p. m., to consider the report.

The Chair, upon being informed that the Kellogg report would not be submitted to the Board of Supervisors until 3:30 p. m., stated that action would be postponed until the report was received.

## Communications.

From his Honor, the Mayor, attaching copies of correspondence between his office and N. Loyall McLaren, relative to the dissolution of the Municipal Government Survey Advisory Committee.

*Considered in connection with calendar item; order filed.*

From Superintendent of Schools, advising that he had requested that an emergency clause be appended to pending legislation dealing with the proposal to abandon Columbia Park Square, required for school purposes.

*Considered in connection with calendar item; ordered filed.*

From the Public Utilities Commission, information bulletin relative to the San Francisco International Airport.

*Copy to each Board member; filed.*

From State Department of Public Works, advising of meeting of California Toll Bridge Authority at Sacramento, Tuesday, September 23, relative to construction of Richmond-San Rafael Bridge.

*Copy to each Board member; filed.*

From the Convention and Visitors' Bureau, extending invitation to attend annual convention of the American Municipal Association to be held in Los Angeles on December 1-3.

*Copy to each Board member; filed.*

From the League of California Cities, notice of dinner meeting on September 25, 7 p. m., Vahl's Club, Alviso.

*Copy to each Board member; filed.*

From San Luis Obispo, Chamber of Commerce, extending invitation to attend the 1952 Shoreline Planning Convention to be held during the period October 17-18.

*Copy to each Board member; filed.*

From Bradford Bosley, attorney at law, withdrawing appeal from decision of the City Planning Commission refusing to rezone property situated at the gore corner of Portola Drive and West Portal Avenue.

*Considered in connection with calendar item; filed.*

#### Temporary Postponement.

#### SPECIAL ORDER—2:00 P. M.

Hearing of Appeal from the Decision of the City Planning Commission by Its Resolution No. 4066, Disapproving Application to Rezone Property Located on the Southwest Corner of Alemany Boulevard and Santa Rosa Avenue from First Residential District to Commercial District.

File No. 9338

September 8, 1952—Consideration continued to September 15, 1952.

#### Motion to Temporarily Postpone.

Supervisor MacPhee, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, moved temporary postponement.

No objection and motion carried.

Disapproving Decision of the City Planning Commission by Its Resolution No. 4066, Dated July 3, 1952, Denying Application to Rezone Property Located on the Southwest Corner of Alemany Boulevard and Santa Rosa Avenue, from First Residential District to Commercial District.

File No. 9338-1, Resolution No. . . . (Series of 1939).

September 8, 1952—Consideration continued to September 15, 1952.

#### Motion to Temporarily Postpone.

Supervisor MacPhee, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, moved temporary postponement.

No objection and motion carried.

Tabled.

**SPECIAL ORDER—2:00 P. M.**

Hearing of Appeal from the Decision of the City Planning Commission by Its Resolution No. 4067, Disapproving Application to Rezone Property Located on the South Line of West Portal Avenue Distant Thereon 227 Feet Measured from the Tangent Point of a Curve to the Left from Fifteenth Avenue, from First Residential District to Commercial District.

File No. 9348

September 8, 1952—Consideration continued to September 15, 1952.

**Communication.**

The Clerk presented a communication from Bradford Bosley, attorney at law, representing appellant, withdrawing appeal.

**Motion to Table**

Supervisor Mancuso, seconded by Supervisory McCarty, moved that the matter be tabled.

No objection and motion carried.

Disapproving Decision of the City Planning Commission by Its Resolution No. 4067, Dated July 3, 1952, Denying Application to Rezone Property Located on the South Line of West Portal Avenue Distant Thereon 227 Feet Measured from the Tangent Point of a Curve to the Left from Fifteenth Avenue, from First Residential District to Commercial District.

File No. 9344-1, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

September 8, 1952—Consideration continued to September 15, 1952.

**Motion to Table.**

Supervisor Mancuso, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the matter be tabled.

No objection and motion carried.

The Board resumed consideration of File No. 9338, rezoning appeal in connection with property located on corner of Alemany Boulevard and Santa Rosa Avenue.

The following spoke on behalf of the applicant:

William A. O'Brien, attorney at law.

Mrs. De Lara, 85 Santa Rosa Avenue.

The following spoke in opposition to the applicant:

Mr. Paul Oppermann, Director of Planning.

Rodney Camplan, attorney at law, representing the Alemany District Council of Improvement Associations.

**Adopted.**

Disapproving Decision of the City Planning Commission by Its Resolution No. 4066, Dated July 3, 1952, Denying Application to Rezone Property Located on the Southwest Corner of Alemany Boulevard and Santa Rosa Avenue, from First Residential District to Commercial District.

File No. 9338-1, Resolution No. 12605 (Series of 1939).

September 8, 1952—Consideration continued to September 15, 1952.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Noes: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee, Mancuso—3.

## Protest Overruled.

## SPECIAL ORDER—2:00 P. M.

## Hearing of Protests to the Proposed Discontinuance and Abandonment of Columbia Square as a Public Park.

File No. 8738

Mr. Henry Hoefer, 444 Thirtieth Street, spoke in opposition to the abandonment of the park, and stated that it was his contention that a school was not necessary in the area.

## Adopted.

Overruling Protests Against the Abandonment and Discontinuance of Use as a Public Park of That Portion of Columbia Square Described in Resolution No. 12482 (Series of 1939) and Disapproved by the Mayor, Which Disapproval Was Overridden by the Board of Supervisors at Its Meeting on August 4, 1952.

The Clerk presented:

File No. 8738-2, Resolution No. 12601 (Series of 1939).

## Motion to Adopt.

Supervisor Dobbs, seconded by Supervisor MacPhee, moved adoption.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

No: Supervisor Lewis—1.

## Passed as an Emergency.

Calling and Providing for a Special Election to Be Held in the City and County of San Francisco on Tuesday, November 4, 1952, for the Purpose of Submitting to the Voters of the City and County of San Francisco the Question of the Discontinuance and Abandonment of the Use as a Public Park of Columbia Square; an Emergency Measure.

The Clerk presented:

File No. 8738-3, Ordinance No. 7486 (Series of 1939).

## Motion to Pass as an Emergency.

*Passed as an Emergency Measure by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—11.

## UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

## Adopted.

The following recommendations of Finance Committee, heretofore considered, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

Approving and Accepting Bid of S. E. Onorato, Inc., and W. & B. Realty Company for Lease of St. Mary's Square Subsurface and Additions Thereto for Construction of Off-Street Parking Garage; and Awarding Said Lease to Said Bidder as Highest Responsible Bidder.

File No. 9051-2, Resolution No. 12625 (Series of 1939).

(Lease for a term of 33 years at monthly rental of 4 per cent of the gross revenue, said rental to be not less than \$1,225 per month as a minimum rental.)

September 8, 1952—Consideration continued to September 15, 1952.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—11.

#### Final Passage.

**Amending Ordinance No. 7405 (Series of 1939) Providing for the Improvement of Wilde Avenue Between Ervine and Delta Streets, by Increasing the Provisions for City Aid from \$1,500 to \$1,600.**

File No. 9136-1, Ordinance No. 7488 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**An Ordinance Fixing Rates of Compensation to Be Paid Officers and Employees Subject to the Provisions of Charter Sections 35.5.1 (Police Department) and 36.2 (Fire Department), Effective July 1, 1952.**

File No. 9376, Ordinance No. 7491 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Appropriating \$2,602.02, Municipal Railway, for Insurance for Automotive Vehicles.**

File No. 9393, Ordinance No. 7492 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee—2.

**Appropriating \$1,423.81, Hetch Hetchy Project, for Insurance for Automotive Vehicles.**

File No. 9396, Ordinance No. 7494 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee—2.

**Appropriating \$4,448.09, Water Department, for Insurance for Automotive Vehicles.**

File No. 9397, Ordinance No. 7495 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee—2.

**Authorizing Sale of Surplus Water Department Land, Known as Spring Valley Lake, Located in San Mateo County.**

File No. 9399, Ordinance No. 7496 (Series of 1939).

(Lot 14 as delineated on "Map of Subdivision of Sweeney Ranch" near Redwood City, San Mateo County. Containing 1.93 acres, more or less.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Amending Various Sections of the Annual Salary Ordinance to Reflect Rates of Pay Approved by the Wage Stabilization Board for Employees Subject to Provisions of Charter Section 151.3, Effective as of July 1, 1952.**

File No. 9405, Ordinance No. 7497 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Appropriating \$1,410, Public Health Department, for Expenditures Under Provisions of Health and Safety Code.**

File No. 9406, Ordinance No. 7498 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Appropriating \$958.35, Police Department, for Retroactive Compensation.**

File No. 9408, Ordinance No. 7499 (Series of 1939).

(For Inspector George P. Wall entitled to accumulated overtime for fiscal years 1948-49 and 1949-50 for which Inspector Wall was unable to take credited time off prior to his retirement.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Appropriating \$2,880, Public Administrator, for Position of Senior Legal Stenographer; Abolishing Position of Legal Stenographer.**

File No. 9410-1, Ordinance No. 7500 (Series of 1939).

(Senior Legal Stenographer	...	...	\$320-380 per month
Legal Stenographer	...	...	265-325 per month)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Public Administrator—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 9410-2, Ordinance No. 7501 (Series of 1939).



*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Amending Ordinance No. 7345 (Series of 1939), Annual Appropriation Ordinance, to Reflect Revenue Appropriation Adjustments Made Necessary by Provisions of Section 78 of the Charter and Expenditure Appropriation Adjustments.**

File No. 9427, Ordinance No. 7503 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

### **Tax Rate Ordinance—Fiscal Year 1952-1953.**

File No. 9428, Ordinance No. 7504 (Series of 1939).

(Tax rate—\$5.67.)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Calling and Providing for a Special Election to Be Held in the City and County of San Francisco on Tuesday, November 4, 1952, for the Purpose of Submitting to the Voters of the City and County of San Francisco a Proposition to Incur a Bonded Debt of the City and County to the Amount of \$6,620,000 for the Acquisition, Construction and Completion by the City and County of San Francisco of the Following Municipal Improvement, To Wit: A Further Rehabilitation of the Municipal Railway Consisting of Reconstruction of California Streetcars, Grips, Reconstruction of California-Hyde Carhouse, Conversion of Streetcar Lines into Trolley Coach Operations, New Streetcars, Trolley Coaches and Motor Coaches, Automatic Electric Substation, Automotive Shops and Equipment, Fare Collection Equipment, Radio Cars, the Removal of Unused Tracks and Reconstruction of New Tracks, and All Other Works, Property or Structures Necessary or Convenient for the Complete Further Rehabilitation of the Municipal Railway; That the Estimated Cost to the City and County of San Francisco of Said Municipal Improvement Is and Will Be Too Great to Be Paid Out of the Ordinary Annual Income and Revenue of the City and County of San Francisco and Will Require an Expenditure Greater Than the Amount Allowed Therefor by the Annual Tax Levy; All in Order to Do and Perform Any and All of the Matters Hereinabove Referred to for the Acquisition, Construction and Completion of a Further Rehabilitation of Said Municipal Railway; Fixing Rate of Interest of Said Bonds and Providing for the Levy and Collection of Taxes to Pay Both Principal and Interest Thereof, Prescribing Notice to Be Given of Such Election and Consolidating the Special Election With the General Election.**

File No. 9303-3, Ordinance No. 7489 (Series of 1939).

### **Explanation of Vote.**

Supervisor Christopher stated that previously he had voted to place the matter on the ballot because he did not want to deprive the people of the opportunity of voting on it but that he would vote against it at this time because there were sufficient votes to pass the measure.

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Noes: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

Calling and Providing for a Special Election to Be Held in the City and County of San Francisco on Tuesday, November 4, 1952, for the Purpose of Submitting to the Voters of the City and County of San Francisco a Proposition to Incur a Bonded Debt of the City and County to the Amount of \$4,750,000 for the Acquisition, Construction and Completion by the City and County of San Francisco of the Following Municipal Improvement, To Wit: the Acquisition of Lands and the Improvement Thereof by the Construction of Firehouses Thereon and the Reconstruction of Existing Firehouses, and All Other Works, Properties or Structures Necessary or Convenient for the Construction and Reconstruction of Firehouses, All Within the City and County of San Francisco, and That the Estimated Cost to the City and County of San Francisco of Said Municipal Improvement Is and Will Be Too Great to Be Paid Out of the Ordinary Annual Income and Revenue of the City and County of San Francisco and Will Require an Expenditure Greater Than the Amount Allowed Therefor by the Annual Tax Levy; All in Order to Do and Perform Any and All of the Matters Hereinabove Referred to for the Acquisition, Construction, Completion and Reconstruction of Firehouses Within the City and County, Together With Their Appurtenances; Fixing Rate of Interest of Said Bonds and Providing for the Levy and Collection of Taxes to Pay Both Principal and Interest Thereof, Prescribing Notice to Be Given of Such Election and Consolidating the Special Election With the General Election.

File No. 9395-3, Ordinance No. 7493 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—11.

Re-reference to Committee.

*(Supervisor Christopher dissenting.)*

Appropriating \$3,325, Adult Probation Officer, for Position of Probation Officer.

File No. 9407-1, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

Motion to Re-refer.

Supervisor Christopher, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, moved re-reference to Finance Committee.

No objection and motion *carried*.

Amending Annual Salary Ordinance, Adult Probation Officer—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.

File No. 9407-2, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

Motion to Re-refer.

Supervisor Christopher, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, moved re-reference to Finance Committee.

No objection and motion *carried*.

Passage for Second Reading.

The following recommendation of Finance Committee, heretofore considered, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Christopher, McCarty.

Appropriating \$1,015,000, Public Utilities, from Unappropriated Balance of 1949 Cherry Valley Dam Bond Fund, for Expenditure and Certification of Contracts in Connection With the Construction of the Cherry Valley Dam.

File No. 9440, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

September, 1952—Consideration continued to September 15, 1952.

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—11.

#### Finally Passed.

The following recommendations of Streets Committee, heretofore considered, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Ferdon, Sullivan.

**Accepting the Roadway and Curbs of Ordway Street Between San Bruno Avenue and Girard Street.**

File No. 9373, Ordinance No. 7490 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Ordering the Improvement of Felton Street Between Gambier and Harvard Streets, Including the Crossing of Felton and Harvard Streets; and Extending City Aid in the Approximate Amount of \$2,200 Necessary to Equalize and Legalize the Assessment.**

File No. 9421, Ordinance No. 7502 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—11.

#### Finally Passed.

The following recommendation of Joint Police and Judiciary Committee, heretofore considered, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon.

**An Ordinance Requiring Any Person Engaged in the Business of Selling Air Travel Passenger Tickets to the Public to File a Bond With the Chief of Police, and Providing the Penalty for Violation Thereof.**

File No. 7726-2, Ordinance No. 7487 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—11.

#### NEW BUSINESS.

##### Adopted.

The following recommendations of Finance Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Christopher, McCarty.

**Authorizing Acquisition, by Eminent Domain Proceedings, of Certain Easements Located in San Mateo County, at a Cost Not to Exceed \$2,730, Required for the Sunset Supply Line.**

File No. 9414, Resolution No. 12613 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Halley—1.

**Authorizing Purchase of Certain Real Property from Various Parties  
for \$2,900; Required for McLaren Park.**

File No. 9416, Resolution No. 12614 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan.

W. J. Smitechger, Lot 7, Block 6067, located on east side of Peru, north of Woolsey. Size: 25 feet by 120 feet. Three-room dwelling; \$1,000.

John P. Bell, Lot 4, Block 6033, located on west side of Oxford, north of Wayland. Size: 25 feet by 120 feet. Vacant land; \$400.

Alice R. Upp, one-half interest in Lot 1, Block 6142, located on south side of Olmstead and west side of Cambridge. Size: 120 feet by 100 feet. Vacant land; \$750.

Margaret Walker, Administratrix of Estate of Arthur F. Upp, deceased, one-half interest in Lot 1, Block 6142. Vacant land; \$750.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Halley, Lewis—2.

**Authorizing Purchase of Certain Real Property from Various Parties  
for \$1,800, Required for McLaren Park.**

File No. 9417, Resolution No. 12615 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan.

Ira T. Johnston and Clara L. Carey, Lot 10, Block 6137, located on southeast corner of Dwight and Harvard. Size: 100 feet by 120 feet. Vacant land; \$1,500.

Gregory Loozin, Lot 8, Block 6065, located on north side of Woolsey, west of Harvard. Size: 25 feet by 100 feet. Vacant land; \$300.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Halley, Lewis—2.

**Authorizing Purchase of Tax-Deeded Property from the State of  
California for the Sum of \$5.00, Required for McLaren Park.**

File No. 9418, Resolution No. 12616 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Vacant lot—located on northeasterly side of Buell, northwesterly of Wayland. Size: 25 feet by 120 feet.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Halley, Lewis—2.

**Authorizing Purchase of Certain Real Property from Charles A. Chaban  
et ux. for \$300, Required for McLaren Park.**

File No. 9419, Resolution No. 12617 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Lot 7, Block 6065, located at Harvard and Woolsey. Size: 25 feet by 95 feet. Vacant land.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Halley, Lewis—2.

# Authorizing Purchase of Certain Real Property from Various Parties for \$6,250, Required for McLaren Park.

File No. 9420, Resolution No. 12618 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan.)

Mervin W. Arps and Mrs. Joy Williams, Lot 9, Block 6063, located on east side of Oxford, south of Wayland. Size: 100 feet by 120 feet. Vacant land.

Carol McBoyle Rhine, Lot 2, Block 6030, located on southwest side of Madison, southeast of Bacon. Size: 100 feet by 120 feet. Vacant land.

Elka Liberman, Executrix of Estate of Joseph J. Liberman, deceased, one-half interest in Lot 2, Block 6030, located on southwest side of Madison, southeast of Bacon. Size: 100 feet by 120 feet. Vacant land.

Ted W. Steiger, Executor of Estate of E. R. Tucker, deceased, Lots 9 and 10, Block 6028, located on northeast corner of Ion and Bacon. Size of Lot 9, 25 feet by 140 feet, and Lot 10, 100 feet by 120 feet. Vacant land.

George A. Steiger et al., Lot 1, Block 6023, located at southwest corner of Bacon and Mansfield. Size: 100 feet by 120 feet. Vacant land.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Halley, Lewis—2.

## Adopted.

The following recommendations of Finance Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher.

# Discharging the Municipal Government Survey Advisory Committee and Commending Its Members.

File No. 9101-1, Resolution No. 12606 (Series of 1939)

## Explanation of Vote.

Supervisor Ferdon stated that he did not believe that the committee should be discontinued; that he was in favor of the committee and would vote for it at all times.

Supervisor Christopher remarked that he was in favor of the committee but that they were reluctant to proceed and have expressed their desire to be dissolved.

NOTE: The following italicized passage has been ordered expunged from the record.

*The Clerk proceeded to call the roll but when Supervisor Halley's name was reached the Supervisor stated that he was not prepared to vote on the matter without further information.*

## Motion to Expunge Record.

Supervisor Christopher, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, moved that that portion of the record referring to the calling of the roll be expunged and rescinded.

No objection and motion carried.

## Discussion.

Supervisor Arnold explained the history of the Committee

**Adoption.**

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Halley, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Noes: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, Mancuso—3.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Authorizing Release of Lien Recorded by the Public Health Department  
for Care and Treatment Furnished F. W. Schweigardt.**

File No. 9222, Resolution No. 12608 (Series of 1939).

(Full payment of \$177.27 made.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Authorizing Release of Lien Recorded by the Public Health Department  
for Care and Treatment Furnished Henrietta Schweigardt.**

File No. 9222, Resolution No. 12609 (Series of 1939).

(Full payment of \$1,377.08 made.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Authorizing Release of Lien Recorded by the Public Welfare Department  
for Aid Extended to Miguel and Antonia Terron.**

File No. 9223, Resolution No. 12610 (Series of 1939).

(Full payment of \$63.13 made.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Approving Supplemental Recommendations, Public Welfare Department,  
Relative to Categorical Aids; Letters Dated September 8, 1952.**

File No. 9224, Resolution No. 12611 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Authorizing Extension of Grants of Emergency Relief to Dependent  
Non-Residents for September and October; List Dated September  
15, 1952.**

File No. 9225, Resolution No. 12612 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Authorizing Purchase of Certain Real Property from the Pacific Coast  
Construction Company for \$1,000, Required for Pinelake Playground.**

File No. 9446, Resolution No. 12619 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with the Master Plan. Lot 37, Block 2499-A, located on the north side of Crestlake Drive, opposite Palos Place—vacant land. Size: 40 feet by 70 feet. Acquisition is subject to a water pipe line easement previously acquired for the Sunset Supply Line.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Authorizing Manager of Utilities and the Director of Bureau of Public Service to Attend the Annual Conference of the California Municipal Utilities Association to Be Held at San Diego During Period September 30-October 3, 1952.**

File No. 9449, Resolution No. 12620 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Authorizing Purchase of Ten-Foot Easement from Southern Pacific Company for \$500, Required for the Southeast Collecting Sewers.**

File No. 9451, Resolution No. 12621 (Series of 1939).

(Lot 4-A, Block 4349, 21.59 feet southerly in Marin Street; approximately 96.34 feet in length. In conformity with the Master Plan.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

#### Passage for Second Reading.

**Appropriating \$4,000, Public Works, for Purchase of Land Necessary to Provide Ingress to Parking Area for Traffic Court at 150 Otis Street.**

File No. 9439, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

(Not in conflict with the Master Plan. Located in Block 3513, east side of Jessie, north of McCoppin. Size: 42 feet 3 inches by 30 feet 3 $\frac{1}{4}$  inches by 52 feet 6 inches by 30 feet.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

#### Consideration Continued.

**Amending Ordinance No. 7414 (Series of 1939) by Deleting from the Holiday Provisions Thereof, Washington's Birthday and Admission Day, Which Were Erroneously Included Therein as Days When Double Time Would Be Paid When Worked.**

File No. 9445, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

#### Motion to Postpone.

Supervisor McCarty, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, moved that consideration be continued for one week.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Passage for Second Reading.**

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 11.1, Police Department, Bureau of Inspectors, by Adding Thereto One Position of Policeman (Assistant Inspector) and One Position of Sergeant; Deleting One Position of Policeman and One Position of Sergeant (Assistant Inspector).**

File No. 9447, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(Reflects reassignment of one Policeman to Assistant Inspector, and one Sergeant (Assistant Inspector) to Sergeant. No appropriation ordinance required.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

**Absent:** Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Temporary Postponement.**

The following recommendations of Judiciary Committee were taken up:

**Present:** Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon.

**Authorizing Ballot Arguments in Connection With Certain Local Measures on the Ballot for November 4, 1952, and Designating Those Arguments Which Will Be Provided from City Funds.**

File No. 9483, Resolution No. . . . (Series of 1939).

**Discussion.**

Supervisor Christopher inquired as to the accuracy of the statement in the ballot argument for the Municipal Railway Rehabilitation Bonds referring to additional operating economies of \$650,000 annually.

Mr. Ross informed the Board that the resolution providing for ballot arguments to be paid for by the City had not been approved as to "funds available" and any action taken by the Board would be to no avail without first securing such approval.

Supervisor Dobbs remarked that the Registrar of Voters had stated that money was available for the purpose.

Mr. Ross explained that no surplus funds were available at the present time and no request had been made for a transfer of funds.

**Motion to Temporarily Postpone.**

Supervisor Dobbs moved temporary postponement and that the Registrar of Voters be sent for.

The Chair directed that the Registrar be requested to appear before the Board.

Supervisor Mancuso suggested that the Controller and Mr. Brooks get together and make arrangements to secure the funds necessary.

Mr. Brooks explained that he would recommend the transfer of sufficient funds to provide for the payment of the ballot arguments.

**Motion to Temporarily Postpone.**

Supervisor McCarty, seconded by Supervisor Halley, moved temporary postponement until the legislation could be certified as to funds available.

No objection and motion *carried*.

**Adopted.**

**Assigning Alphabetical Designations to Local Propositions on the Ballot for November 4, 1952.**

File No. 9484, Resolution No. 12604 (Series of 1939).



### Discussion.

Supervisor McCarty commented on the manner in which the proposals were given numbers and suggested that in the future ballot measures be numbered in accordance with the order in which they are presented to the Board.

Supervisor Dobbs remarked that the Judiciary Committee was of the opinion that the manner of designating numbers should be in relation to the date of action by the Board.

### Request to Be Excused.

Supervisors Lewis and MacPhee requested that they be excused from attendance at 4:30 p. m.

No objection and request *granted*.

### Adoption.

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Arnold—1.

### Adopted as Amended.

The Board resumed consideration of the following:

**Authorizing Ballot Arguments in Connection With Certain Local Measures on the Ballot for November 4, 1952, and Designating Those Arguments Which Will Be Provided from City Funds.**

File No. 9483, Resolution No. 12602 (Series of 1939).

### Motion to Amend.

Supervisor Dobbs announced that the legislation could not be certified by the Controller at the present time.

Supervisor Dobbs, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, moved that the legislation be amended by amending the "Further Resolved" to provide that funds of the City and County shall be used for the payment of ballot arguments provided that funds are available for the purpose.

Supervisor MacPhee stated that he was of the opinion that the money for the Municipal Railway Bond argument should come from Municipal Railway fund, and that he would have to vote against the legislation if the arguments were all included in one resolution.

### Request for Seriatim Consideration.

Supervisor MacPhee requested seriatim consideration.

The Chair ruled that a motion would be required to take the matters up seriatim.

### Motion to Amend Carried.

Motion to amend *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—9.

No: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

Absent: Supervisor Sullivan—1.

### Discussion (Continued).

Supervisor Christopher inquired from the Controller as to the statement in the ballot argument for the Municipal Railway Rehabilitation Bonds relative to annual savings would amount to \$650,000.

Mr. Ross explained that it was possible that there could be a profit, but that the Public Utilities Commission was projecting the savings that might accumulate by the changeover.

Supervisor Mancuso stated that if any amendments were to be made to the ballot argument, the representatives from the Public Utilities Commission should be present.

The Chair directed that Mr. Turner be requested to appear before the Board.

#### Motion to Amend.

Supervisor MacPhee, seconded by Supervisor Lewis, moved that the legislation be amended to provide that funds with which to pay for the ballot argument for Proposition "E" be provided from the Municipal Railway Operating Fund.

#### Discussion.

Supervisor McCarty said that he was opposed to making the Municipal Railway pay for its own ballot argument; that if it is done for one it should apply to all.

Mr. Peddicord explained that bond money was not operating money and that the Board could be complicating the matter by taking the suggested action.

#### Motion to Amend Defeated.

Motion *defeated* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

Noes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

#### Discussion (Continued).

Supervisor Christopher inquired of Mr. Turner as to meaning of "economies of \$650,000 annually."

Mr. Turner replied that the amount was a computation by the staff and came from a statement by Colonel Mills; that the bond issue would make a saving of \$650,000 annually.

Mr. Ross explained that, while he would not debate that fact that there would be a savings, if there were not another fare increase the bond payment would be from the ad valorem tax.

#### Motion to Amend.

Supervisor Christopher, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, moved that any reference to "\$650,000" be deleted.

#### Discussion.

Supervisor Halley stated that he was opposed to the amendment because such savings were only estimated.

Supervisor McCarty remarked that he was opposed to the amendment because there was nothing misleading about the statement.

#### Motion Defeated.

Motion *defeated* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mead—5.

Noes: Supervisors Arnold, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Sullivan—5.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

#### Explanation of Vote.

Supervisor Christopher stated that he believed that the people should be informed as to what was going to happen when they voted on the bond issue but that the argument was not clear; for that reason he would vote against the matter.

**Motion to Amend.**

Supervisor Lewis, seconded by Supervisor Christopher, moved that the legislation be amended as follows: In the second paragraph delete the words "The first phase of modernization" and substitute the words "The modernization of the railway"; in the third paragraph delete the words "The second phase" and substitute the words "The following improvements"; and delete the fourth paragraph.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Noes: Supervisors Halley, Mancuso—2.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

**Adoption.**

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

**Request to Consider Municipal Railway Ballot Argument Individually.**

Supervisor Christopher requested that the ballot arguments for the Municipal Railway be voted upon separately.

No objection and request *granted*.

**Authorizing Ballot Argument in Connection With Municipal Railway Bond Issue, Proposition E, on the Ballot for November 4, 1952.**

File No. 9483-1, Resolution No. 12603 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Noes: Supervisors Christopher, Ferdon—2.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

**Temporarily Postponed.**

The Clerk presented the 1952 San Francisco Housing and Vacancy Survey, as submitted by Kellogg and Associates, Inc.

**Motion to Consider at Recessed Meeting.**

Supervisor Halley, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, moved that when the Board concludes its meeting it recess until the hour of 2:00 p. m., Thursday, September 18th, to consider said Survey.

**Discussion.**

Supervisor Dobbs stated that he was opposed to having the matter come to the Board without committee consideration, and for that reason he would vote against the motion.

The Chair ruled the motion out of order because a resolution continuing rent control was pending in committee.

**Motion to Refer.**

Supervisor Dobbs moved that the Survey be referred to Joint Committee on County, State and National Affairs and Finance.

**Parliamentary Inquiry.**

Supervisor Mancuso requested the Chair to explain its previous ruling.

The Chair remarked that the matter was in committee and could not be called out without notice.

**Motion to Suspend Rules.**

Supervisor Halley moved suspension of the rules to permit the legislation to be called out of committee.

The Chair ruled the motion *out of order*.

**Motion to Temporarily Postpone.**

Supervisor Dobbs, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, moved temporary postponement.

No objection and motion *carried*.

**Statement of Supervisor Dobbs in Relation to the Rescission of the Order of Submission of the Proposed Amendment of Charter Section 36 Relating to Bureaus of Fire Prevention and Fire Investigation.**

"I move to rescind the motion of the Board whereby the Board ordered submitted to the voters at the election of November 4, 1952, a proposition to amend Charter Section 36 relating to the Fire Department.

"I make this motion preliminary to moving for submission to the voters at the election of November 4, 1952, a proposition to amend the Charter by adding Section 38.01.

"It has been called to my attention by the City Attorney's office that it is improper to include in Section 36 the proposed amendment relating to the Bureaus of Fire Prevention and Fire Investigation and to submit the matter to the voters as a proposed amendment of Section 36 for the reason that Section 36 contains salaries for most of the ranks of the Fire Department. These salaries are not now in effect by virtue of the fact that at the election last June the Charter was amended by the addition of Section 36.2 providing a method for fixing the salaries of the various ranks of the Fire Department by ordinance after survey and report by the Civil Service Commission. To reenact Section 36 at this time, containing as it does the salaries earlier paid to these various ranks, would be confusing and would perhaps render illegal the salaries fixed by ordinance pursuant to Section 36.2.

"The City Attorney's office has therefore submitted a proposition for the ballot to add Section 38.01 containing the identical subject matter relating to the Bureaus of Fire Prevention and Fire Investigation which was placed in Section 36 and ordered submitted to the voters. As soon as the motion to rescind the submission of the proposition to amend Section 36 is carried, I will move to submit to the voters at the election of November 4, 1952, the proposed Section 38.01.

"This matter is purely a technical one to correct the error and I am advised by the City Attorney's office it may be done at this time by motion of the Board by a six-vote majority."

The foregoing motion was seconded by Supervisor Lewis.

Motion *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

**Ordered Submitted.**

**Charter Amendment, Section 38.01, Relating to the Organization and Personnel of the Bureau of Fire Prevention and Public Safety.**

Supervisor Dobbs presented:

File No. 9411-1

**Motion to Submit.**

Supervisor Dobbs, seconded by Supervisor Lewis, moved submission.

*Ordered submitted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

#### Motion Carried.

The Board resumed consideration of fixing time to consider 1952 San Francisco Housing and Vacancy Survey as submitted by Kellogg and Associates, Inc.

#### Calling from Committee.

Supervisor Mancuso, seconded by Supervisor Halley, moved that the Board recall from Joint Committee of County, State and National Affairs and Finance, resolution introduced and referred to that committee in connection with rent control.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Noes: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon—2.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

#### Motion to Recess.

Supervisor Halley, seconded by Supervisor Arnold, moved that when the Board concluded its meeting it recess until 2:00 p. m., Thursday, September 18th, to consider Housing and Vacancy Survey submitted by Kellogg and Associates, Inc.

Supervisor Mancuso, seconded by Supervisor Lewis, moved that the motion be amended to provide that the meeting shall be held at 8:00 p. m.

*Amendment defeated by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, Mead—5.

Noes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Halley, McCarty, Sullivan—5.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

*Motion of Supervisor Halley carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Noes: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon—2.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

#### Motion to Rescind.

Supervisor Lewis, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, moved that the Board rescind its action.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—6.

Noes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Halley, McCarty—4.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

#### Motion to Amend.

Supervisor Mancuso, seconded by Supervisor Lewis, renewed his motion to amend.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—6.

Noes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Halley, McCarty—4.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

**Request to Notify Interested Parties.**

Supervisor Mancuso requested that the Clerk invite representatives of Kellogg and Associates, Inc., Bureau of the Census, labor and other interested parties to attend the meeting.

No objection and request *granted*.

**OFF-CALENDAR LEGISLATION.****Adopted.**

The following recommendation of his Honor, the Mayor, was presented by the Clerk:

**Leave of Absence**—Charles Foehn, Member of the Board of Education, for Period September 7-22, With Permission to Leave the State.

File No. 9220, Resolution No. 12607 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved adoption.

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

**Reference to Committee.**

The following emergency measure, appearing on the Board's supplemental calendar, was taken up:

**Appropriating \$2,871.28, Purchasing Department, from the Emergency Reserve Fund, for Scavenger Service for the Fiscal Year 1952-53, for Various Departments; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9474, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Refer.**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, moved reference to Finance Committee.

No objection and motion *carried*.

**ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF MEASURES AND COMMUNICATIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.****Welcome to Supervisor James Leo Halley.**

Under his name on roll call each Supervisor extended his welcome to Supervisor Halley on his reappointment to the Board.

**Adopted.**

**Approving Appointment of Paul T. O'Dowd and James E. Stratten to the Redevelopment Agency of the City and County of San Francisco.**

Supervisor Arnold presented:

File No. 9487, Resolution No. 12622 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor Lewis, moved adoption.

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

Reference to Committee.

Amending Section 310, Article 9, Chapter IV, Part II of the San Francisco Municipal Code in Relation to Permit and Application for Public Garage, Commercial Garage and Automobile Sales Department.

Supervisor Arnold presented:

File No. 9488, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Police Committee.*

Request Granted.

Information Concerning the Status of the Development of McLaren Park.

Supervisor Christopher requested that a communication be directed to the Director of Property seeking information as to when the physical development of McLaren Park would be initiated.

No objection and request *granted*.

Request for Information as to Amount of Shortage Suffered by Municipal Railway Due to the Dishonesty of Certain Municipal Railway Personnel.

Supervisor Christopher requested that a communication be directed to the Public Utilities Commission making inquiry as to the amount of shortage suffered by the Municipal Railway due to the dishonesty of certain Municipal Railway personnel, as recently publicized in the newspapers.

No objection and request *granted*.

Commending Mr. George Whitney Upon His Purchase of Sutro Baths.

Supervisor Christopher requested that a communication be directed to Mr. George Whitney commending him upon his recent purchase of Sutro Baths.

No objection and request *granted*.

Announcement of Committee Meeting.

Supervisor Christopher announced a meeting of the Commercial and Industrial Development Committee for Wednesday, September 24th, at 1:30 p. m.

Adopted.

Congratulating and Commending Bullock and Jones on Its Centennial Celebration in San Francisco.

Supervisor Dobbs presented:

File No. 9489, Resolution No. 12623 (Series of 1939).

Motion to Adopt.

Supervisor Dobbs, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, moved adoption.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee—2.

**Legislation Withdrawn.**

**Requesting Art Commission to Make Municipal Band Available for Participation in Seventh Annual Football Festival Parade of Lights.**

Supervisor Dobbs presented:

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Dobbs, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, moved adoption.

**Discussion.**

Supervisor Mancuso stated that he was opposed to the adoption of the legislation and requested that it be referred to Committee.

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

Supervisor Dobbs explained that no purpose would be served by referred the legislation to committee because by the time the committee took action the parade would have been held, and therefore he requested that the legislation be withdrawn.

No objection and legislation was *withdrawn*.

**Referred to Committee.**

**Height Limitations—Taylor, Green and Jones Streets and Broadway.**

Supervisor Mancuso presented a petition from Hubert Wyckoff et al., urging the enactment of height limitations in the area bounded by Taylor, Green and Jones Streets and Broadway.

*Referred to Public Buildings, Lands and City Planning Committee.*

**Opposing Enactment of a Mandatory and Uniform Sales Tax in California Counties.**

Supervisor McCarty presented:

File No. 9490, Resolution No. . (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor McCarty, seconded by Supervisor Arnold, moved adoption.

**Discussion.**

Supervisor Mancuso stated that he objected to the resolution on the grounds that it has been the policy of the County Supervisors Association and the League of California Cities to enact uniform sales tax legislation.

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

**RECESS.**

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 6:00 p. m., recessed to reconvene at 3:00 p. m., Thursday, September 18th.

JOHN R. McGRATH, Clerk.



**THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 1952—8:00 P. M.**

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Thursday, September 18, 1952, 8:00 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in recessed session

**CALLING THE ROLL.**

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

Quorum present.

President Dewey Mead presiding.

Supervisor MacPhee noted present at 9:00 p. m.

**Supervisor MacPhee Excused.**

The Chair informed the Board that Supervisor MacPhee had requested to be excused until around 9:30 p. m.

No objection and request *granted*.

**Called from Committee.**

Supervisor McCarty requested that File No. 9072, opposing the erection of a high level bridge between Richmond and San Rafael, be called out of committee and appear on the Board's Calendar for the meeting of Monday, September 22d.

**Discussion.**

Supervisor Mancuso stated that he was opposed to the request because the rules provide that it must be a regular meeting, and not a recessed meeting, and then placed on the calendar for the next regular meeting.

The Chair ruled that the meeting was a duly constituted meeting despite the fact that it was a recessed meeting and ordered the legislation placed on the calendar for the meeting of September 22d.

**Adopted.**

The following from Joint County, State and National Affairs and Finance Committee was taken up:

**Declaring That a Substantial Shortage of Housing Accommodations Exists Which Requires the Continuance of Federal Rent Control in the City and County of San Francisco up to and Including April 30, 1953.**

File No. 9316, Resolution No. 12624 (Series of 1939).

(Called out of Committee by motion of Board on September 15, 1952.)

**Motion to Resolve Board into a Committee of the Whole.**

Supervisor Halley, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, moved that the Board resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole.

**Discussion.**

Supervisor Ferdon stated that he was opposed to a Committee of the Whole because he believed that the matter should be considered in Committee, and would vote accordingly.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Noes: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon—2.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

#### Consideration of Survey.

The Chair announced that the Board would first hear from the proponents of the legislation.

Supervisor Mancuso stated that he believed that the Board should hear from Supervisor Arnold who was Chairman of the Joint Committee that considered the survey.

Supervisor Arnold explained the historical background of the survey, and stated that it was the duty of the Board to determine whether or not the survey proves that a housing shortage exists.

#### Motion to Limit Speakers.

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, moved that a time limit be set on the debate, that the proponents be allowed one hour, the opponents be allowed one hour and each side be limited to 15 minutes rebuttal.

#### Explanation of Vote.

Supervisor Lewis stated that he would not vote for the motion because he was of the opinion that everybody who desired to speak on the survey should be heard.

The Chair ruled that it was the privilege of any Supervisor to move to extend the time of any speaker.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

No: Supervisor Lewis—1.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

#### Proponents.

Mr. George Johns, Secretary, San Francisco Labor Council, A.F.L., stated that the survey as submitted by Kellogg and Associates, Inc., shows only a 2.6 per cent vacancy with only 1.6 per cent available for rentals and only 1 per cent under \$100 per month.

Mr. Johns pointed to Oakland and said that rents had increased approximately 40 per cent since the start of the Korean conflict.

Mr. John Hogue, President, Building Trades Council, requested that the controls be continued because it was absolutely necessary to the working people of San Francisco.

Mr. Frank White, Secretary, San Francisco C.I.O. Council, explained that he was speaking on behalf of the tenants of San Francisco. He pointed out that the survey as submitted by the Bureau of Census shows that only a 1.6 per cent vacancy existed, while it was recognized that a housing shortage does not exist only if the vacancies are between 5 and 10 per cent.

Mr. White remarked that the survey of Kellogg and Associates, Inc., included single rooms in their survey but that single rooms could not accommodate families and should be ruled out of the survey.

Mr. William Kilpatrick, Secretary, Cooks Local, A.F.L., stated that the statement of the landlords that rent control was working a hardship on them was untrue because the Office of Rent Stabilization showed that approximately 15,000 rent increases were allowed out of 17,000 filed during the month of July.

Mr. Kilpatrick further remarked that rent control provided an easy minimum control which did not cover all rental units in San Francisco; housing units constructed after 1947 being exempt.

Mrs. Elizabeth Cassidy, 833 Valencia Street, attorney at law, representing San Francisco Chapter, National Lawyers Guild, explained that her organization had gone on record as recommending the continuation of rent control.

Mr. Frank Curley, Senior State Officer, Disabled American Veterans, said that the National Chapter of Disabled American Veterans had gone on record as opposing discontinuation of rent control.

Mr. Ivan Flamm, 713 Forty-second Avenue, representing the Civil Service Association of San Francisco, explained that his organization was opposed to decontrol of rents on accommodations that ranged between \$35 and \$75 per month, because experience had proven that rentals increase from 50 to 100 per cent on the lower rental groups.

Mr. Leo E. Demeder, representing the National Council Veterans, of Foreign Wars, spoke on behalf of the members of his organization and urged the Board to continue rent control.

Mr. George R. Fouke, 3025 Twenty-first Street, C.I.O. Steel Workers Local 1684, presented a petition filed by members of his organization urging that rent controls be retained.

Mrs. Anne Louise Cooper, 48 Moscow Street, Local 1684, C.I.O., also urged continuation of rent controls.

Mr. George Walsh, County Chairman, Independent Progressive Party, stated that his organization was in favor of continuation of rent control because it was to the best interest of the majority of residents of San Francisco, and that the National Rent Director had predicted that rents would be increased approximately 12 per cent if rents were decontrolled.

Mr. James J. Sullivan, Chairman, Rental Advisory Board of San Francisco, explained that the Rental Advisory Board went on record as favoring the continuation of rental control because the survey as submitted by the Bureau of Census showed that a housing shortage did exist and that the vacancy ratio in San Francisco was 1.6 per cent.

Mr. Jose Spear, I.L.W.U., Local 6, stated that his local was opposed to the discontinuance of rent control.

Mr. Peter Molous, representing the Waiters' Union, explained that rent control should be retained because the people in the low income brackets could not afford to pay a rent increase.

### Opponents.

Mr. Richard F. Harding, Manager, San Francisco Real Estate Board, remarked that the survey as submitted by Kellogg and Associates, Inc., proved that no shortage exists in San Francisco, and that on an overall basis the survey showed that there is a 4.7 per cent vacancy.

Mr. Harding presented statistical information showing the percentage increases in population, housing accommodations available for occupancy, and vacancies in 1952 as compared to 1940; and also the increases in taxes as compared to the increases in rents.

Mr. Douglas Dorn, President, Apartment House Association of San Francisco, explained that the rent law provides that rental control might be continued after September 30th, if a substantial rental shortage exists, and that based upon the Kellogg Survey which shows a vacancy of 4.7 per cent no shortage existed.

Mr. Charles A. Christin, representing the Owners and Lessees Apartment House Association of San Francisco, remarked that San Francisco was the only major city on the Pacific Coast that had not decontrolled rents. That Los Angeles had decontrolled with a 4.2 per cent vacancy, Oakland with a 2.24 per cent vacancy and Seattle

with a 4.6 per cent vacancy as compared with the 4.7 per cent vacancy existing in San Francisco.

Mr. Earl Nearing, 2201 Pacific Avenue, Vice-President, Apartment House Association of San Francisco, said that in cities where rents had been decontrolled no hardships had resulted from such action, and that rent increases had been very nominal.

Mr. Joseph A. Brown, President, Apartment House Industry of San Francisco, remarked that rent control was a deterring factor to housing construction in any area where rent control had prevailed, and that with decontrol home construction had increased and vacancies were created for those persons desiring rental units.

Mrs. Lena Pfeiffer, 675 Sanchez Street, landlady, explained the hardships encountered by the small landlords and urged decontrol of rents.

Mrs. Alice Hegan, 970 Ellis Street, spoke in opposition to rent control because of the impossibility to remodelize with fixed rents.

#### Motion to Recess.

Supervisor Halley, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved a five-minute recess.

*Motion withdrawn.*

#### Rebuttal.

Mr. George Johns stated that a survey of increases in rents in Oakland showed that rents were increased 35.2 per cent.

Mr. Tim Flynn, Regional Director, C.I.O., remarked that opponents had stated that where controls were lifted there has been an increase of vacancies, but they did not say that such vacancies were created by the fact that people of the lower income brackets were driven out of housing accommodations and had to double up with other families.

Mr. Jack Goldberger, President, S. F. Labor Council, A.F.L., explained that the opponents admitted that there were vacancies in San Francisco and that those accommodations were withheld from the market until such time as rental controls were lifted.

Mr. Elmer P. Delaney, representing the Tenants Council, said that the opponents stated that there were 12,321 vacancies which was disputed by the Bureau of the Census which stated that there was only a 1.6 per cent vacancy.

Mr. Joseph Brown explained that the Kellogg Survey showed that children will be permitted in 58 per cent of the rental units. That the 1.6 per cent in the Bureau of the Census survey meant nothing unless it was applied to the whole. That when freedom of competition came into the picture vacancies were created.

#### Motion to Rise and Report.

Supervisor Halley, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, moved that the Committee of the Whole rise and report.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—11.

#### Motion to Recess.

Supervisor Halley, seconded by Supervisor Christopher, moved that the Board recess for 10 minutes.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Halley, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Noes: Supervisors Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso—4.

### Reconvening of Board.

The Board reconvened at 11:10 p. m.

### Motion to Adopt.

Supervisor Mancuso, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, moved adoption.

### Legislation Presented.

**Directing City Attorney to Submit Legislation Directing Continuation of Local Rent Controls for a Period of Ninety Days from September 30, 1952.**

Supervisor Christopher asked that the foregoing proposed resolution be filed with the Clerk for possible presentation to the Board at a later time, depending on the vote cast for the pending resolution.

### Point of Order.

Supervisor Halley rose to a point of order that it was not proper to submit new legislation when a calendar matter was being considered.

Chair ruled it was permissible if all members of the Board agree.

Supervisor Christopher explained that the legislation was being filed with the Clerk and not for consideration by the Board.

Chair ruled the point of order not well taken.

### Discussion.

Supervisor Christopher remarked that the proposed resolution would be considered by the Board only if the matter on the Board's calendar were not adopted, and that the proposal would assure the tenants that no increase in rents would be permitted for a period of 90 days.

Supervisor Ferdon stated that he appreciated the attitude with which the proposal was presented but was of the belief that the Board should vote either one way or the other; that he did not believe a waiting period should be approved.

Supervisor Ferdon continued that he was not in favor of controls, but at the present time he was not satisfied by either survey that the controls could be lifted.

Supervisor Arnold remarked that he thought that there was a great deal of merit in the matter proposed by Supervisor Christopher.

### Motion to Amend.

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor MacPhee, moved that the matter on the calendar be amended to provide for freezing of rents at present level for a period of 90 days from and after September 30, 1952.

### Discussion.

Supervisor McCarty stated that the Board did not have the power to extend rent control for three months; that the Federal government gave the Board the power to extend rent control or discontinue rental control only after the Board determined whether there was or was not a housing shortage.

Supervisor Mancuso remarked that the Board could not extend rent controls for a period of 90 days, and if such a resolution were adopted the action of the Board would be invalid.

Supervisor Mancuso continued that he did not like controls of any kind, but that in order to discontinue rent controls there should be a housing shortage of from 4 to 7 per cent and both surveys, considered together, showed only a 1.6 per cent vacancy.

**Amendment Withdrawn.**

Supervisor Arnold requested permission to withdraw his amendment.

No objection and request *granted*.

**Discussion.**

Supervisor Halley said that he was opposed to controls but the surveys showed that rent controls must be continued.

Supervisor MacPhee stated that in other cities where rents were decontrolled there was an average rental increase of approximately 7 per cent and an immediate increase in housing vacancies. That if the Board were willing to consider an average 7 per cent increase and people were looking for additional housing then the best interest of all would be served by decontrol.

Supervisor McCarty stated that in his opinion the survey showed that a housing shortage existed and for that reason he would have to vote to continue rent control.

Supervisor Lewis explained that he could not vote to remove rent controls in San Francisco because the survey showed that there was a housing shortage and for that reason he would vote against the decontrol of rents.

Supervisor Dobbs remarked that while he was opposed to control, he was of the opinion that rent control should be continued in San Francisco in the light of survey data, and therefore he would vote in favor of the resolution.

**Adoption.**

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

No: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

**ADJOURNMENT.**

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 11:45 p. m., adjourned.

JOHN R. McGRATH, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors October 14, 1952.

I, John R. McGrath, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, hereby certify that the foregoing are true and correct copies of the Journals of Proceedings of said Board of the dates hereon stated and approved as recited.

JOHN R. McGRATH,  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.







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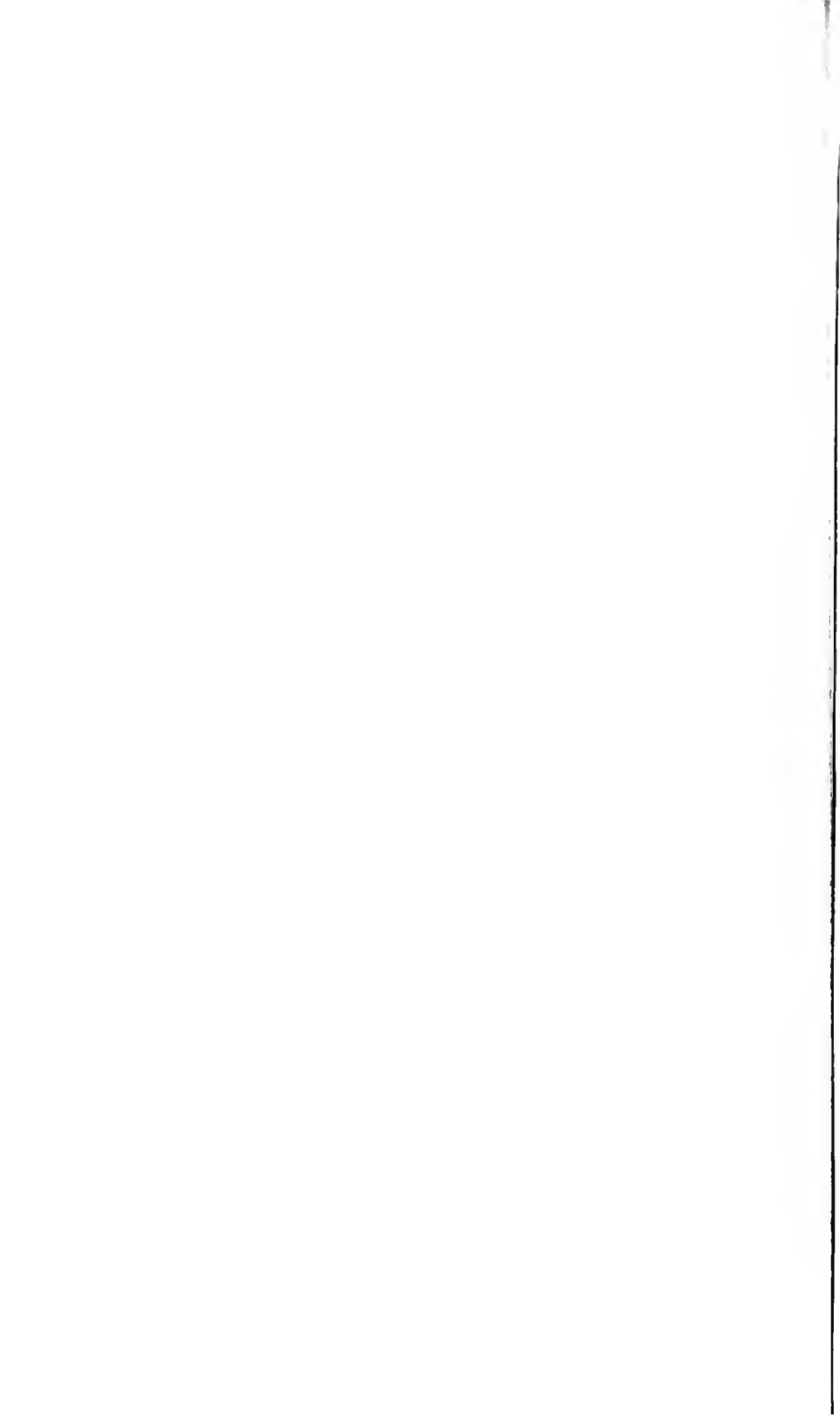
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MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 1952—2:00 P. M.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, September 22, 1952, 2:00 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

## CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

Quorum present.

President Dewey Mead presiding.

Supervisor MacPhee excused from attendance. (See below.)

Supervisor Lewis excused from attendance at 4:25 p. m.

## Communications.

From Southern California 1906 Club, extending invitation to observe first San Francisco Day on Sunday, September 28, at the Los Angeles Breakfast Club.

*Copy to each member of Board; filed.*

From San Francisco Disaster Council and Corps, news bulletin.

*Copy to each member of Board; filed.*

From the Daughters of Charity of St. Vincent DePaul, extending invitation to attend Solemn Mass, coram Pontifice, commemorating the Centenary of the Foundation of the Order, at St. Mary's Cathedral, Sunday morning, September 28, at 10:30 a. m.

*Copy to each member of Board; filed.*

From the Bay Area Maritime Committee, meeting notice—Commercial Club, 12 Noon, 465 California Street, Tuesday, September 23d, on the subject of a bay area model.

*Copy to each member of Board; filed.*

From City and County of San Francisco Homecoming Welcome to California's Olympic Games Participants Committee, expressing appreciation to Board for making welcome possible.

*Filed.*

## Introduction of Guests.

The Chair announced to the Board that twelve members of the 7th Annual Class of Interns in Municipal Affairs, sponsored by the Coro Foundation, were present in the audience, and extended a most cordial welcome.

**Taken Up Out of Order.****Adopted as Amended.**

Supervisor Halley, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, moved that the following matter be taken up out of order.

No objection and motion *carried*.

Called out of the County, State and National Affairs Committee by Supervisor McCarty.

**Opposing Proposed Construction of High Level Steel Bridge Between Richmond and San Rafael.**

File No. 9072, Resolution No. 12636 (Series of 1939).

August 4, 1952—Re-referred to Committee.

**Privilege of the Floor.**

Supervisor Mancuso, seconded by Supervisor Halley, moved the privilege of the floor for Gust J. Allyn, Mayor of the City of Richmond.

No objection and motion *carried*.

Mayor Allyn requested the Board not to take any action that would hamper the City of Richmond in its efforts to obtain immediate construction of the Richmond-San Rafael Bridge.

Supervisor McCarty, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, moved the privilege of the floor for Senator McCarthy of Marin County.

No objection and motion *carried*.

Senator McCarthy informed the Board that the Richmond-San Rafael Bridge would not impair any new southern crossing over San Francisco Bay and requested the Board to defeat the proposed resolution and to hold a hearing to hear all matters in connection with the construction of the bridge.

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor McCarty, seconded by Supervisor Lewis, moved adoption.

**Motion to Authorize Representation at Toll Bridge Meeting.**

Supervisor Halley said that he thought that the legislation should be tabled.

Supervisor Halley, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, moved that representatives from this Board and the City Attorney's Office be authorized to attend the meeting of the California Toll Bridge Authority, to be held in Sacramento, September 23d, to represent the interest of San Francisco in the matter.

**Discussion.**

Supervisor Christopher explained that he felt that the city should be represented at the meeting but that he was of the opinion that the adjacent counties would feel that San Francisco was presumptuous in trying to dictate what they should do when such a matter affects San Francisco only indirectly.

**Point of Order.**

Supervisor Mancuso rose to a point of order; that the Board cannot consider the motion of Supervisor Halley until such time as the main question has been decided.

**Motion Withdrawn.**

Supervisor Halley requested permission to withdraw his motion.  
No objection and request *granted*.

**Motion to Table.**

Supervisor Mancuso, seconded by Supervisor Halley, moved that the legislation be tabled.

*Motion withdrawn.*

**Discussion.**

Supervisor McCarty remarked that the construction of the bridge was of vital interest to San Francisco because it might affect the harbor; that it was the duty of the Board to take action on matters affecting the interests of San Francisco.

He explained that a meeting had been held at the Palace Hotel at which representatives from the adjoining counties were present and the matter of constructing the bridge was thoroughly discussed.

Supervisor McCarty said that it had been explained to him that if the tolls were insufficient to pay for the bonds the monies from the San Francisco-Oakland Bay Bridge could be earmarked to pay the bonded indebtedness of the Richmond-San Rafael Bridge.

Supervisor Lewis explained that he had presented the resolution because he had been informed by the Legislative Representative that the construction of the Richmond-San Rafael Bridge would endanger the southern crossing; but he did not believe that the legislation should be tabled because it might be developed at the hearing that the bridge would affect the second bay crossing.

Supervisor Lewis then suggested that the Controller and Mr. Brooks be authorized to attend the Sacramento meeting; that the legislation be referred back to committee to await a report from the persons representing San Francisco at the meeting of the California Toll Bridge Authority.

Supervisor Ferdon remarked that he believed that the Board should take action on the matter; that the Board had recently authorized a Declaration of Policy in connection with the construction of a scale model of San Francisco Bay and that the construction of the bridge should be delayed until such scale model is completed.

Supervisor Mancuso said that the only position that could be taken by the Board in the matter was one of no action because whatever type of bridge was constructed between Richmond and San Rafael was of no concern to San Francisco.

**Motion to Table.**

Supervisor Mancuso moved that the legislation be tabled.

*Motion lost for want of a second.*

**Motion to Amend.**

Supervisor McCarty, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, moved that the legislation be amended to provide that the Board of Supervisors go on record as urging the California State Toll Bridge Authority to delay its decision with respect to the proposed Richmond-San Rafael high-level bridge until further studies can be made as to the type of crossing which is most desirable for said location, the effect which such a crossing will have on all counties in the adjacent area, and especially the effect which the construction of such a crossing will have on the proposed financing of the contemplated southern crossing of San Francisco Bay, and that the Chief Administrative Officer, the Controller and the State Legislative Representative be requested to make the intentions of the Board made known to the California State Toll Bridge Authority by appearance at the meeting of said Authority to be held in Sacramento on September 23, 1952.

**Point of Order.**

Supervisor Lewis rose to a point of order; that the substitute motion before the Board was the motion to table.

Chair ruled point of order not well taken as the motion to table was not seconded.

**Motion to Re-refer.**

Supervisor Lewis moved, as a substitute, that the legislation be re-referred to Committee.

*Motion lost for want of a second.*

Supervisor Dobbs remarked that it was his opinion that the Board should take immediate action on the legislation or the Board would be remiss in its duty to the people of San Francisco; and if action were not taken the California Toll Bridge Authority would move in the direction of the representatives of Marin and Contra Costa Counties.

Supervisor Halley explained that he was satisfied that Supervisor McCarty's amendment was good legislation and that he would vote for it.

*Motion to amend carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Noes: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis—2.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

**Adoption.**

*Adopted, as amended, by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Noes: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis—2.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

**APPROVAL OF JOURNAL.**

The Journal of Proceedings for Tuesday, September 2, 1952, was read and approved.

**Request to Be Excused from Attendance.**

The Clerk announced that Supervisor MacPhee had requested permission to be excused from attendance.

*No objection and request granted.*

Supervisor Dobbs requested that he be excused from attending the meeting of Monday, September 29, 1952.

*No objection and request granted.*

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS.****Final Passage.**

The following recommendations of Finance Committee, heretofore considered, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Christopher, McCarty.

**Appropriating \$2,813, Public Health, Bureau of Venereal Disease, for Position of Physician Specialist (Part-Time); Abolishing Following Positions: 1 General Clerk; 1 General Clerk-Stenographer; 1 General Clerk-Typist; 1 Orderly and 1 Physician Specialist.**

File No. 9415-1, Ordinance No. 7509 (Series of 1939).

Physician Specialist (part-time) at rate of \$625 per month	
General Clerk	\$240-300 per month
General Clerk-Stenographer	240-300 per month
General Clerk-Typist	240-300 per month
Orderly	205-245 per month
Physician, Specialist at rate of \$625 per month	

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 54(b), Public Health, Central Office, Venereal Disease Control—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 9415-2, Ordinance No. 7510 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

**Appropriating \$12,055, Public Library, for Following Positions: 1 Office Assistant (Part-Time), 2 General Clerks, 1 Senior Clerk and 2 General Clerk Typists; Abolishing the Following Positions: 1 Senior Librarian and 4 Librarians.**

File No. 9422-1, Ordinance No. 7511 (Series of 1939).

Office Assistant (part-time)	\$ 79.50 per month
General Clerks	240-300 per month
Senior Clerk	300-370 per month
General Clerk-Typists	240-300 per month
Senior Librarian	315-365 per month
Librarians	275-325 per month

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Sections 17, 17.1 and 17.2, Public Library—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 9422-2, Ordinance No. 7512 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

**Appropriating \$252, Public Health, Laguna Honda Home, to Authorize One Position of Gardener to Work a 44-Hour Week.**

File No. 9441-1, Ordinance No. 7513 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 1.24, Public Health, Laguna Honda Home—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.

File No. 9441-2, Ordinance No. 7514 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

#### Consideration Continued.

The following recommendation of Finance Committee, heretofore considered, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher.

Amending Ordinance No. 7414 (Series of 1939) (Salary Standardization Ordinance, Charter Section 151.3), by Deleting from the Holiday Provisions Thereof, Washington's Birthday and Admission Day, Which Were Erroneously Included Therein as Days When Double Time Would Be Paid When Worked.

File No. 9445, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

September 15, 1952— Consideration continued to September 22, 1952.

#### Motion to Continue Consideration.

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that consideration be continued for one week.

No objection and motion *carried*.

#### Final Passage.

The following recommendation of Public Buildings, Lands and City Planning Committee, heretofore considered, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Mancuso, Dobbs.

Amending Section 1 of Ordinance No. 5082 (Series of 1939), Correcting Discrepancies in Legal and Area Description of Western Addition Redevelopment Area, and Relocating a Portion of Its Western Boundary.

File No. 9320, Ordinance No. 7506 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

### NEW BUSINESS.

#### Adopted.

The following recommendations of Finance Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

Authorizing Extension of Grants of Emergency Relief to Dependent Non-Residents for September and October; List Dated September 22, 1952.

File No. 9225, Resolution No. 12637 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.



**Authorizing Correction of Clerical Errors in 1952-1953 Assessment Roll.**

File No. 9227, Resolution No. 12638 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

**Authorizing Refund of Duplicate and Erroneous Payments of Taxes for the Fiscal Years 1951-52 and 1952-53.**

File No. 9230, Resolution No. 12639 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

**Authorizing Director of the Disaster Council, Subject to the Approval of the Commander of the Disaster Council and Corps, to Select Officers and Employees of the City and County to Attend Classes or Meetings in California in Connection With Civilian Defense, and Providing That Payment of Expenses Incurred Shall Be Paid from Funds Set Aside or Available for Such Purpose.**

File No. 9453, Resolution No. 12643 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

**Authorizing Attendance of Superintendent of Recreation at Conference of the National Recreation Association to Be Held in Seattle, September 29-October 4, 1952.**

File No. 9454, Resolution No. 12644 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

**Authorizing Attendance of Chief of Police and Chief of Inspectors at Conference of the International Association of Chiefs of Police to Be Held in Los Angeles, September 22-26, 1952.**

File No. 9455, Resolution No. 12645 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

**Fixing Date of Monday, September 29, 1952, for Hearing of Objections to Correction of Clerical Errors in 1952-53 Assessment Roll Which Will Increase Amount of Taxes Payable.**

File No. 9473-1, Resolution No. 12647 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

**Authorizing Attendance of Director of Bureau of Personnel and Safety, Public Utilities Commission, at the National Safety Council's Congress and Exposition to Be Held in Chicago, October 20-24, 1952.**

File No. 9475, Resolution No. 12648 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1

**Authorizing Attendance of Assistant City Architect at Convention of the American Institute of Architects to Be Held in Yosemite National Park, October 9-11, 1952.**

File No. 9476, Resolution No. 12649 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

**Adopted as Amended.**

**Opposing Enactment of Proposed Mandatory and Uniform Sales Tax in California Counties.**

File No. 9490, Resolution No. 12650 (Series of 1939).

#### **Discussion.**

Supervisor Mancuso stated that he did not believe that the Board should act upon the matter until it is determined whether or not legislation was to be introduced before the State Legislature. He explained that the matter came about due to the fact that the County Supervisors' Association went on record as favoring enactment of a uniform sales tax.

Supervisor McCarty remarked that legislation was attempted to be passed at former sessions of the Legislature; and that the County Supervisors' Association went on record as favoring the enactment of uniform sales tax legislation which would be mandatory.

Supervisor McCarty continued that a uniform sales tax would permit the State to determine the amount of sales tax to be collected and also for the State to collect the tax, and the cost of collection by the State would be higher than the cost of collection by the City.

#### **Motion to Amend.**

Supervisor Ferdon, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the legislation be amended to provide that a copy of the resolution be forwarded to the County Supervisors' Association of California.

#### **Discussion (Continued).**

Supervisor Mancuso explained that it had been the program of the County Supervisors' Association to support a sales tax on the county level. That when the matter was before the Legislature at the last session, the legislation was amended to exclude the City and County of San Francisco, and that the same amendment could be made to any future legislation.

Supervisor Mancuso further remarked that he did not believe that it was good legislation for the Board to take such hasty action.

#### **Motion to Re-refer.**

Supervisor Mancuso moved that the legislation be re-referred to Committee.

*Motion lost for want of a second.*

**Motion to Amend Carried.**

Motion to amend *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

**Adoption.**

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

No: Supervisor Mancuso—1.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

**Adopted.****Authorizing Extension of Time Within Which to Complete Audit of Controller's Books.**

File No. 9328-1, Resolution No. 12640 (Series of 1939).

(Time extended from October 1 to November 10, 1952.)

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

(Supervisor Christopher dissenting.)

**Authorizing Attendance of Two Members of the Assessor's Office at the Eighteenth International Conference of Assessment Administration of the National Association of Assessing Officers, to Be Held in Detroit, September 21-25, 1952.**

File No. 9469, Resolution No. 12646 (Series of 1939).

(Supervisor Christopher approves attendance of one representative, not two representatives.)

**Motion to Amend.**

Supervisor Christopher, seconded by Supervisor Dobbs, moved that the number of representatives be reduced from two to one.

Mr. Eugene Sullivan, Deputy Assessor, explained that the convention was so large that it would require more than one representative to attend all of the discussion panel meetings.

Supervisor Dobbs remarked that he was satisfied with the explanation and would vote to send two representatives to the convention.

Motion to amend *defeated* by the following vote:

Aye: Supervisor Christopher—1.

Noes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

**Adoption.**

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

No: Supervisor Christopher—1.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

### Consideration Continued.

Appropriating \$25,000, Public Works, from the Unappropriated Balance of the Special Road Improvement Fund, for Right of Way Purchase, Construction and Contingencies in Connection With the Improvement of Jessie Street, East of Tenth Street.

File No. 8585, Ordinance No. . . (Series of 1939).

### Communication.

The Clerk presented a communication from Norman A. Eisner, attorney for Herbst Bros., objecting to the inclusion of an 8 foot by 8 foot triangular piece of property and requesting privilege of the floor.

### Privilege of the Floor.

Supervisor Ferdon, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, moved the privilege of the floor for Mr. Eisner.

No objection and motion *carried*.

Mr. Eisner stated that he was not objecting to the money for the acquisition of property for the extension of Jessie Street but only as to the money that would be used to acquire the southeast corner of the Herbst Brothers property, size 8 feet by 8 feet, triangular shape, which abuts a private right of way used exclusively by the Furniture Mart.

Supervisor Sullivan remarked that he would like to hear from the Department of Public Works on the matter.

Supervisor Christopher requested that all interested parties be requested to appear before the Board.

### Motion to Temporarily Postpone.

Supervisor Ferdon moved temporary postponement.

Motion *lost* for want of a second.

Supervisor Arnold explained that the committee was unanimous in the thought that the 30-foot strip fronting on Tenth Street should be purchased for Jessie Street and that it was the thinking of the committee that if the triangular piece of property could be purchased by private negotiation it should be done. That since it looked as if the property could not be acquired by private negotiation the Board would have to authorize at a later date eminent domain proceedings to acquire it.

Supervisor Arnold continued that it was his belief that the Board should enact the appropriation ordinance and then when legislation is submitted for eminent domain proceedings the matter of the 8-foot by 8-foot parcel could be thoroughly considered.

### Motion to Continue Consideration.

Supervisor Dobbs, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, moved that consideration of the legislation be continued for one week; that the Director of Public Works furnish the members of the Board with a map of the area and that all persons directly concerned be invited to appear at next week's meeting.

Motion *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee—2.

**Passage for Second Reading.**

**Amending Section 4 of the Annual Appropriation Ordinance to Provide for Deposit of Moneys Received in Connection With Contracts Under Which a Portion of Said Moneys Is to Be Paid to the Contractors and the Remainder Inures to the City and County.**

File No. 9448, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee—2.

**Appropriating \$1,920, Public Health, Central Office, for Position of General Clerk-Stenographer; Abolishing Position of General Clerk.**

File No. 9456-1, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(General Clerk-Stenographer	\$240-300
General Clerk	240-300)

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee—2.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 55(a), Public Health, Central Office—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 9456-2, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee—2.

**Appropriating \$3,977, Sheriff, for Position of Junior Chef; Abolishing Position of Cook.**

File No. 9457-1, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Junior Chef	\$16.96 per day
Cook	15.63 per day)

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee—2.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 9.4—Sheriff—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 9457-2, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee—2.

**Authorizing Sale at Public Auction of Surplus City-Owned Land Located on Lombard Street West of Octavia Street.**

File No. 9478-1, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Not in conflict with the Master Plan. Lot 31, Block 506.  
Size: 75 feet by 106.25 feet. Property had been acquired in connection with the widening of Lombard Street.)

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee—2.

Appropriating \$16,500, Public Health, to Provide for Operation of the Oncology Ward at Laguna Honda Home, Subject to Reimbursement by the State.

File No. 9481, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee—2.

Appropriating \$13,351.79, Purchasing Department, for Automobile Insurance.

File No. 9482, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee—2.

#### Temporary Postponement.

*(Supervisor Christopher dissenting.)*

Appropriating \$3,325, Adult Probation, for New Position of Probation Officer at Range of \$350-410 Per Month.

File No. 9407-1, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

#### Discussion.

Supervisor Christopher explained that the reason for the request was based on the fact that the Sheriff did not have time to transport prisoners from the prison to the county jail and so the Adult Probation Officer had to do it. He stated that the Sheriff had made the statement that 16 trips had been made by 15 Probation Officers.

Supervisor Christopher continued that in view of the facts of the case he would have to vote against the legislation.

#### Privilege of the Floor.

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved the privilege of the floor for Mr. John Kavanaugh, Chief Adult Probation Officer.

#### Motion to Temporarily Postpone.

Supervisor Mancuso, seconded by Supervisor Christopher, moved that consideration of the legislation be temporarily postponed and the Sheriff be requested to appear before the Board.

*No objection and motion carried.*

Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 28, Adult Probation—  
A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.

File No. 9407-2, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

#### Motion to Temporarily Postpone.

Supervisor Mancuso, seconded by Supervisor Christopher, moved temporary postponement.

*No objection and motion carried.*

#### Final Passage.

Appropriating \$2,871.28, Purchasing Department, from the Emergency Reserve Fund, for Scavenger Service for the Various Departments; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9474, Ordinance No. 7599 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

**Absent:** Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee—2.

**Adopted.**

The following recommendations of Street Committee were taken up:

**Present:** Supervisors Ferdon, Halley, Sullivan.

**Ordering the Vacation of Portions of Thomas Avenue and Conkling Street.**

File No. 8231-2, Resolution No. 12631 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

**Absent:** Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee—2.

**Granting Revocable Permit to The Emporium-Capwell Company and F. W. Woolworth Company to Construct a Pedestrian Tunnel Under Market Street Between Fourth and Fifth Streets.**

File No. 8301, Resolution No. 12632 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

**Absent:** Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee—2.

**Declaring Intention to Order the Vacation of Portions of Various Streets Located in the Sunset Community Center.**

File No. 8572-1, Resolution No. 12633 (Series of 1939).

(Portions of Thirty-eighth, Thirty-ninth and Fortieth Avenues, Ortega, Pacheco and Quintara Streets. In conformity with Master Plan.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

**Absent:** Supervisors Arnold, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Declaring Intention to Order the Vacation of Lena Place.**

File No. 8990, Resolution No. 12634 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

**Absent:** Supervisors Arnold, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Declaring Intention to Order the Vacation of the Northwesterly 75 Feet of Converse Street.**

File No. 9062, Resolution No. 12635 (Series of 1939).

(Not in conflict with Master Plan.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

**Absent:** Supervisors Arnold, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Approving Map of Lawton Heights Subdivision and Declaring Certain Streets to Be Open, Public Streets.**

File No. 9431, Resolution No. 12641 (Series of 1939).

(Warren Drive and Lockesley Avenue. In conformity with Master Plan.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Granting Revocable Permit to S. Bellante and P. Alioto to Erect and Maintain Posts to Support a Marquee Over the Sidewalk Area in Front of Premises Known as The Wharf, Located at 2737 Taylor Street.**

File No. 9442, Resolution No. 12642 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Passage for Second Reading.**

**Authorizing Acquisition of Sewer Tunnel Easement and Acceptance of \$3,000 from the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company in Exchange for a Sewer Tunnel Easement Located in Parkmerced.**

File No. 9432, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Both parcels of land are of equal value and the \$3,000 represents the cost to the city of constructing the sewer tunnel in Arballo Drive in Parcel 1 instead of Parcel 2 as originally contemplated.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Granting Revocable Permit to the Southern Pacific Company to Construct, Operate and Maintain a Spur Track in and Across Portions of Bryant and Juniper Streets, and a Second Spur Track in Portion of Juniper Street; and Rescinding Ordinance No. 7085 (Series of 1939).**

File No. 9433, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Accepting the Roadway and Curbs of Waterloo Street Between Bayshore Boulevard and Loomis Street, Including the Intersection of Waterloo and Marengo Streets.**

File No. 9450, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Ordering the Improvement of the Crossing of Cambridge and Felton Streets and Extending City Aid in Approximate Amount of \$500.**

File No. 9452, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Lewis, MacPhee—3.



**Granting Revocable Permit to the Southern Pacific Company to Construct, Maintain and Operate a Spur Track in and Across Thomas Avenue Between Hawes and Griffith Streets.**

File No. 9477, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

#### **Temporary Postponement.**

The following from Public Utilities Committee was taken up:

**Disapproving Abandonment and Discontinuance of Municipal Railway Service on That Portion of the "K" Line on Onondaga Avenue from Mission Street to Ocean Avenue, and on Ocean Avenue from Onondaga Avenue to the Phelan Loop.**

File No. 9430, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

#### **Motion to Temporarily Postpone.**

Supervisor McCarty, seconded by Supervisor Dobbs, moved temporary postponement.

No objection and motion carried.

#### **Finally Passed.**

The Board resumed consideration of the following matters heretofore temporarily postponed:

**Appropriating \$3,325, Adult Probation, for New Position of Probation Officer at Range of \$350-410 Per Month.**

File No. 9407-1, Ordinance No. 7507 (Series of 1939).

#### **Discussion.**

Supervisor Mancuso inquired from Sheriff Gallagher as to whether or not he had requested the additional employment or if it were a request of the Probation Department.

Sheriff Gallagher replied that it was the request of the Probation Department. He further explained the events leading up to the request for employment and concluded with the statement that if the Adult Probation Department did not do the work the Sheriff's Department would have to request approximately five additional employments to do the job.

Supervisor Christopher inquired from Mr. Kavanaugh as to the reason for an additional employment when so few trips had been taken.

Mr. Kavanaugh explained that it was mandatory for the Adult Probation Officer to make investigation on all cases handled by the Superior Court, and that since the first of the year approximately 100 persons were before the Superior Court which meant 25 persons per probation officer. He further remarked that an additional probation officer would expedite the work of the court.

Supervisor Christopher stated that he was satisfied with the explanation and that he would vote for the legislation.

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 28, Adult Probation—  
A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 9407-2, Ordinance No. 7508 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

**Refused Adoption.**

The Board resumed consideration of the following heretofore temporarily postponed.

**Disapproving Abandonment and Discontinuance of Municipal Railway Service on That Portion of the "K" Line on Onondaga Avenue from Mission Street to Ocean Avenue, and on Ocean Avenue from Onondaga Avenue to the Phelan Loop.**

File No. 9430, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

**Discussion.**

Supervisor Dobbs inquired from Colonel Mills as to the reasons for this abandonment.

Colonel Mills informed the Board that the abandonment would reduce expenses and still provide good services for the area affected.

**Privilege of the Floor.**

The privilege of the floor was granted to the following residents of the area, who recommended the discontinuance of the service.

Mrs. Lillian Thormahlen, 162 Onondaga Avenue.

Mr. Albert G. Stayart, 106 Onondaga Avenue.

**Refused Adoption.**

*Refused adoption* by the following vote:

Noes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

**Request to Be Excused.**

Supervisor Lewis requested to be excused from attendance.

No objection and request *granted*.

**Uniform Accounting System for Municipal Railway.**

Supervisor Christopher questioned Colonel Mills in connection with the profit of the Municipal Railway for July and August.

Supervisor Christopher remarked that he was wondering if the Controller could not install a definite accounting system in the Municipal Railway so that there would be a clear picture each month.

Colonel Mills replied that he agreed that there should be one set of books and that it has been his recommendation that there should be one set of books because he depended upon the figures made from records.

Colonel Mills further stated that he would like to see one system of accounts but had been informed that it was impossible to have only one system of accounts.

**Passage for Second Reading.**

The following recommendation of Police Committee was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Halley, Arnold.

Amending Section 310, Article 9, Chapter IV (Fire Code), Part II of the San Francisco Municipal Code, by Prescribing Fire Protection Measures and Proximity Limitations in Connection With Construction of a Public Garage, Commercial Garage or Automobile Sales Department Adjacent to a School or Church.

File No. 9438, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee—2.

**Referred to Committee.**

The following appearing on the Emergency Calendar of the Board was taken up:

Appropriating \$300, Fire Department, Overtime Allowance, Non-Uniformed Force; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9435, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Refer.**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved reference to Finance Committee.

No objection and motion *carried*.

## OFF-CALENDAR LEGISLATION.

**Adopted.**

The following recommendation of his Honor, the Mayor, was presented by the Clerk:

Leaves of Absence—Sam K. Harrison, Member, Board of Trustees of the War Memorial, September 19-23; Dan S. Hewitt, Member, Board of Trustees of the War Memorial, October 8-November 8; Henry C. Maginn, Member, Police Commission, Eight-Day Period Commencing September 24; Elmer E. Robinson, Mayor, October 10-20; and Harry J. Stewart, Member, Retirement Board, October 6-12, All With Permission to Leave the State.

File No. 9220, Resolution No. 12626 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor Dobbs, moved adoption.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee—2.

## ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF MEASURES AND COMMUNICATIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

**Request Granted.**

### Uniform Accounting System for the Municipal Railway.

Supervisor Christopher requested that the Controller be requested to submit his report on the subject of installing an appropriate set of books for the Municipal Railway so that an accurate statement could be issued each month showing the actual profit or loss of the Municipal Railway.

No objection and request *granted*.

**Adopted.**

**Congratulating the First African Methodist Episcopal Zion Church in San Francisco Upon Its One Hundredth Anniversary.**

Supervisor Halley presented:

File No. 9507, Resolution No. 12629 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Halley, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved adoption.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

**Absent:** Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee—2.

**Motion Carried.**

Supervisor Mancuso, seconded by Supervisor Christopher, moved that the Clerk of the Board be authorized and directed to issue a requisition for a purchase order for the renting, transporting, erecting and removing of bleachers to accommodate five hundred persons, to be placed in front of Sts. Peter and Paul Church, 666 Filbert Street, in connection with the civic celebration of Columbus Day, October 12, 1952, the cost of which shall not exceed the sum of \$350.00; provided funds are available for said purpose.

File No. 9508

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

**Absent:** Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee—2.

**Adopted.**

**Appointing Supervisor James Leo Halley a Member of the Board of Directors of Joint Highway District No. 9.**

Supervisor McCarty presented:

File No. 9506, Resolution No. 12628 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor McCarty, seconded by Supervisor Arnold, moved adoption.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

**Absent:** Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee—2.

**Requesting Mayor to Proclaim October 12-18, 1952, as "Letter Writing Week."**

Supervisor Mead presented:

File No. 9509, Resolution No. 12630 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Mead, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, moved adoption.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

**Absent:** Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee—2.

**Requesting Mayor to Appoint Citizens' Committee for Observance of Armistice Day.**

Supervisor Sullivan presented:

File No. 9228, Resolution No. 12627 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Sullivan, seconded by Supervisor Dobbs, moved adoption.

*Adopted* by the following vote:

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

**Absent:** Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee—2.

**ADJOURNMENT.**

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 4:40 p. m., adjourned.

JOHN R. McGRATH, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors October 14, 1952.

I, John R. McGrath, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the date hereon stated and approved as recited.

JOHN R. McGRATH,  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.









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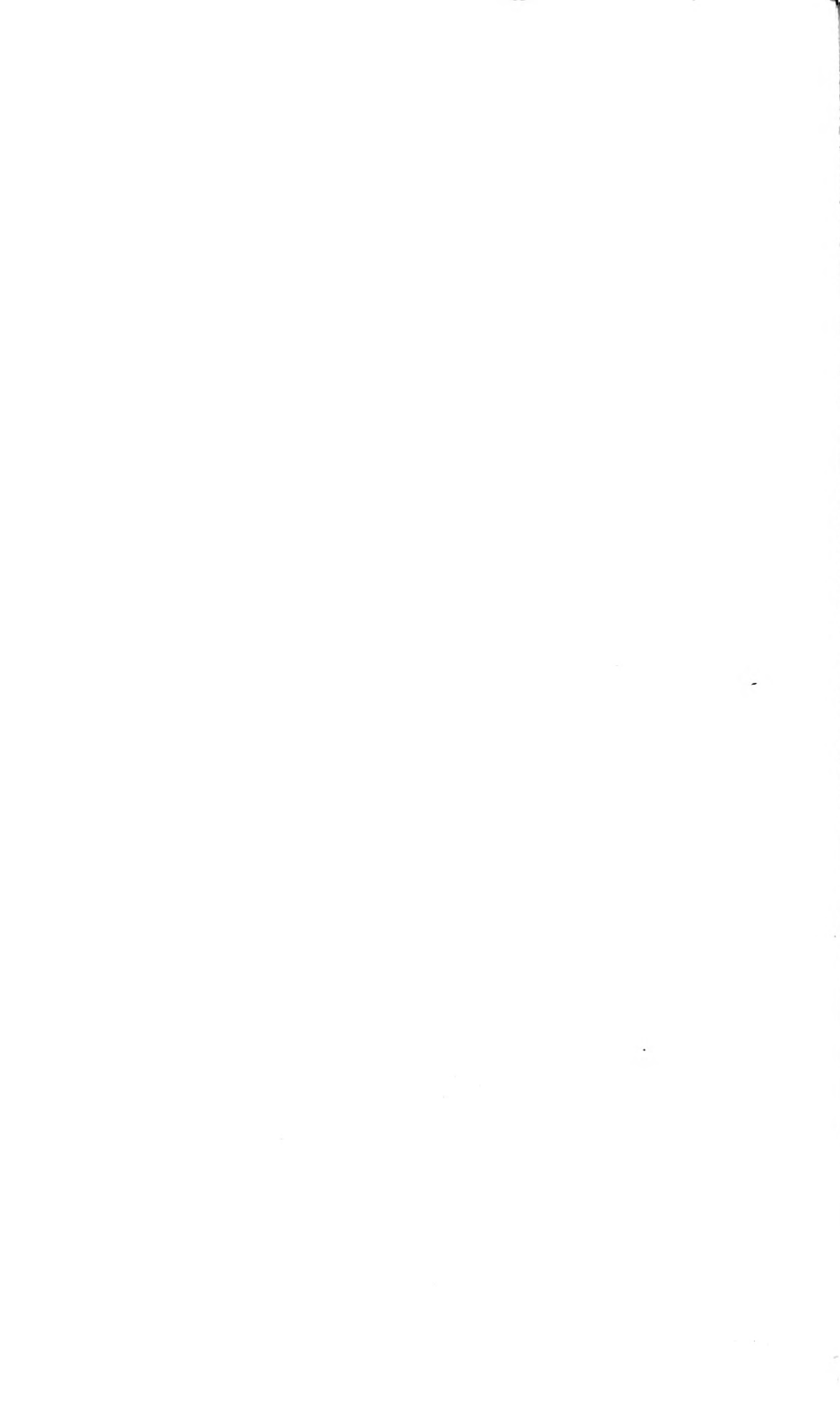
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MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, 1952—2:00 P. M.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, September 29, 1952, 2:00 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

## CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis—3.

Quorum present.

President Dewey Mead presiding.

Supervisor Christopher noted present at 2:10 p. m.

Supervisor Lewis noted present at 2:20 p. m.

Supervisor Dobbs excused from attendance.

## Communications.

From San Francisco Building and Construction Trades Council and from the Bay Counties District Council of Painters No. 8, opposing measure proposing a ban on billboard advertising adjacent to freeways.

*Consideration continued for four weeks.*

Bulletin containing information relative to the coming convention of the Shoreline Planning Association to be held on October 17-18, in San Luis Obispo.

*Copy to each member of Board; filed.*

From Disaster Council and Corps, newsletter.

*Copy to each member of Board; filed.*

From American Municipal Association, data concerning the annual meeting of the American Municipal Association to be held in Los Angeles, December 1-3.

*Copy to each member of Board, filed.*

From State Department of Fish and Game, addressed to all county clerks, attaching opinion rendered by the Attorney General relating to expenditures by the counties of moneys collected under the laws of the State, relating to the protection, propagation and conservation of fish and game.

*Filed.*

From Portola District Merchants' Association, addressed to Supervisor Sullivan, asking that a Board representative be in attendance at meeting scheduled by the improvement clubs on October 8th, dealing with the subject of underpass at Thornton Avenue and Burrows Street.

*Copy to each member of Board; filed*

**Taken Up Out of Order.**

Supervisor Halley, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, moved that the following be taken up out of order.

No objection and motion *carried*.

**Consideration Continued.**

The following recommendation of the Joint Streets and Public Buildings, Lands and City Planning Committee was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Ferdon, Dobbs, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan.

*(Supervisors McMurray and Sullivan dissenting.)*

**An Ordinance Regulating Advertising Structures or Signs Adjacent to Freeways, and Providing for the Incorporation of the Provisions Thereof into the Municipal Code.**

File No. 8252-3, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Postpone.**

Supervisor Halley, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, moved that consideration of the legislation be continued for four weeks, for further study by him due to his short tenure on the Board.

Supervisor Mancuso suggested that it be set as a Special Order for 3:00 p. m.

Supervisor Halley stated that he would accept the suggestion, and incorporated it in his motion.

Motion *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis—3.

**SPECIAL ORDER—2:00 P. M.**

**Hearing of Objections to Correction of Clerical Errors in 1952-1953 Assessment Roll Which Will Increase Amount of Taxes Payable.**

File No. 9473

**Adopted.**

There being no protests, Supervisor Halley, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved adoption of the following legislation.

**Authorizing Correction of Clerical Errors in 1952-1953 Assessment Roll.**

File No. 9473-2, Resolution No. 12660 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis—3.

**SPECIAL ORDER—2:00 P. M.**

**Hearing of All Persons Interested in or Objecting to the Proposed Vacation of a Portion of Casitas Avenue Easterly from Lansdale Avenue.**

File No. 7059

(Pursuant to notice of intention given in Resolution No. 12567 (Series of 1939).)

There being no protests the *Clerk* was directed to so inform the *Real Estate Department*.

## SPECIAL ORDER—2:00 P. M.

Hearing of All Persons Interested in or Objecting to the Proposed Vacation of Mississippi Street Between Twenty-second and Twenty-third Streets.

File No. 9201

(Pursuant to notice of intention given in Resolution No. 12568 (Series of 1939).)

There being no protests the Clerk was directed to so inform the Real Estate Department.

## UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

## Final Passage.

The following recommendation of Finance Committee, heretofore considered, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Christopher, McCarty.

Appropriating \$1,015,000, Public Utilities, from Unappropriated Balance of 1949 Cherry Valley Dam Bond Fund, for Expenditure and Certification of Contracts in Connection With the Construction of the Cherry Valley Dam.

File No. 9440, Ordinance No. 7516 (Series of 1939).

Finally Passed by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

## Final Passage.

The following recommendations of Finance Committee, heretofore considered, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher.

Appropriating \$4,000, Public Works, for Purchase of Land Necessary to Provide Ingress to Parking Area for Traffic Court at 150 Otis Street.

File No. 9439, Ordinance No. 7515 (Series of 1939).

(Not in conflict with the Master Plan. Located in Block 3513, east side of Jessie, north of McCoppin. Size: 42 feet 3 inches by 30 feet 3 $\frac{1}{4}$  inches by 52 feet 6 inches by 30 feet.)

Finally Passed by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 11.1, Police Department, Bureau of Inspectors, by Adding Thereto One Position of Policeman (Assistant Inspector) and One Position of Sergeant; Deleting One Position of Policeman and One Position of Sergeant (Assistant Inspector).

File No. 9447, Ordinance No. 7517 (Series of 1939).

(Reflects reassignment of one Policeman to Assistant Inspector, and one Sergeant (Assistant Inspector) to Sergeant. No appropriation ordinance required.)

Finally Passed by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**Tabled.**

**Amending Ordinance No. 7414 (Series of 1939) (Salary Standardization Ordinance, Charter Section 151.3), by Deleting from the Holiday Provisions Thereof, Washington's Birthday and Admission Day, Which Were Erroneously Included Therein as Days When Double Time Would Be Paid When Worked.**

File No. 9445, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

September 22, 1952—Consideration continued to September 29, 1952.

**Communication.**

The Clerk presented a communication from the Civil Service Commission requesting that the proposed legislation be withdrawn.

**Motion to Table.**

Supervisor Mancuso, seconded by Supervisor Halley, moved that the legislation be tabled.

Motion *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**Consideration Continued.**

The following recommendation of Finance Committee, heretofore considered, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

**Appropriating \$25,000, Public Works, from the Unappropriated Balance of the Special Road Improvement Fund, for Right of Way Purchase, Construction and Contingencies in Connection With the Improvement of Jessie Street, East of Tenth Street.**

File No. 8585, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

September 22, 1952—Consideration continued to September 29, 1952.

**Communications.**

The Clerk presented a communication from Norman A. Eisner, attorney for Herbst Bros., requesting the consideration of the legislation be continued to October 13th.

The Clerk presented a communication from Marshall E. Leahy, attorney for the Furniture Exchange and Merchandise Mart, requesting permission to speak before the full Board in support of the legislation.

**Motion to Continue Consideration.**

Supervisor Mancuso, seconded by Supervisor Christopher, moved that consideration of the legislation be continued for two weeks.

Motion *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**NEW BUSINESS.****Adopted.**

The following recommendations of Finance Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

**Authorizing Release of Lien Recorded by the Department of Public Health for Care and Treatment Furnished Rosina Brown.**

File No. 9222, Resolution No. 12655 (Series of 1939).

(Full sum of \$504.35 paid.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Dobbs—1.

**Approving Supplemental Recommendations, Public Welfare Department, Relative to Categorical Aids; Letter Dated September 23, 1952.**

File No. 9224, Resolution No. 12656 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs—2.

**Authorizing Extension of Grants of Emergency Relief to Dependent Non-Residents for September and October; List Dated September 29, 1952.**

File No. 9225, Resolution No. 12657 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs—2.

**Authorizing Extension of Grants of Emergency Relief to Dependent Non-Residents for October and November; List Dated September 29, 1952.**

File No. 9225, Resolution No. 12658 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs—2.

**Authorizing Purchase of Certain Land Adjoining Skyline Boulevard and Extending to the Old Canada Road, from Clement J. Nash et ux. for \$1,000. Required for the Crystal Springs Watershed.**

File No. 9472, Resolution No. 12659 (Series of 1939).

(Located near Byrnes Quarry and contains approximately 1.5 acres.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs—2.

**Authorizing Purchase of Certain Real Property from Chin Thoon Hen et al. for \$32,500. Required for School Project No. 25.**

File No. 9479, Resolution No. 12661 (Series of 1939).

(Lot 14, Block 211, located on north side of Clay Street east of Parkhurst Alley. Size: 25 feet by 137 feet 6 inches. Three-story brick building of 24 rooms. In conformity with the Master Plan.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs—2.

Authorizing Purchase of Certain Real Property from Katherine May Slade Moore for \$650, Required for School Project No. 50.

File No. 9480, Resolution No. 12662 (Series of 1939).

(Lot 5, Block 6126, located on west side of Somerset Street, north of Olmstead Street. Size: 37 feet 5 inches by 120 feet. Vacant land. In conformity with Master Plan.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs—2.

Authorizing Attendance of Assistant Actuary, Retirement System, at Meeting of the Actuarial Club of the Pacific States to Be Held in Del Monte, October 20-22, 1952.

File No. 9491, Resolution No. 12663 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs—2.

Authorizing Attendance of Three Representatives of the Public Library at the Conference of the California Library Association to Be Held in Pasadena, October 22-25, 1952.

File No. 9492, Resolution No. 12664 (Series of 1939).

(City Librarian, Commissioner and a member of the staff Association.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs—2.

Authorizing Purchase of Water Pipe Easement Located in San Mateo County from Norman J. Pope et ux. for \$1,608, Required for the Sunset Supply Line.

File No. 9497, Resolution No. 12665 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs—2.

Passage for Second Reading.

Appropriating \$645, Public Works, Bureau of Building Repair, for Purchase of Shop Equipment.

File No. 9455, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Dobbs—1.

Authorizing Agreement With Baker's Beach Apartments, Inc., Relative to Disposal of Sewage from the Baker's Beach Housing Project Located in the Presidio, into the San Francisco Sewer System.

File No. 9471, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Agreement to provide that the Company will pay annually in advance, \$50 for each 1,000,000 gallons of sewage discharged into the City's sewer system, amount estimated to



to be paid over the next year to be paid in installments before January 1, 1934. Term of 1 year, to be paid in 1 year from date of approval. If several 1-year periods there shall be no interest on the same.

Resolved, That the Board of Finance do the following:

Agree, Superintendent, Christopher, Ferd. H. Halley, Lewis McPherson, Martin, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan.  
 Absent: Superintendent.

Appropriating \$1,000, Water Department, for Expense of Coating the St. Louis Bay Crossing Pipe Line No. 1 on Trunk at Ravenswood.

File No. 100, Ordinance No. 100, Series 1933.

Resolved, That the Board of Finance do the following:

Agree, Superintendent, Christopher, Ferd. H. Halley, Lewis McPherson, Martin, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan.  
 Absent: Superintendent.

Appropriating \$80,500, Parking Authority, from the 1947 Old-Street Parking Bond Fund for Constructing the Mission-Bardett Street Parking Plaza.

File No. 100, Ordinance No. 100, Series 1933.

Notes on the Master Plan.

Cost of the project, including the cost of the project, \$10,000.

Structure—cost—estimated complete cost of year

1933, \$10,000.

Mechanical and electrical—cost—estimated complete

cost of year 1933, \$10,000.

Electrical—cost—estimated complete cost of year

1933, \$10,000.

Telephone—cost—estimated complete cost of year

1933, \$10,000.

\$80,500.

Resolved, That the Board of Finance do the following:

Agree, Superintendent, Christopher, Ferd. H. Halley, Lewis McPherson, Martin, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan.  
 Absent: Superintendent.

#### Reference to Committee

The following resolutions of the Board of Finance, passed on September 11, 1933:

Appropriating \$1,000, Public Library, from the Emergency Reserve Fund for Maintenance of Grounds, an Emergency Measure.

File No. 100, Ordinance No. 100, Series 1933.

#### Motion to Refer

Superintendent, Christopher, Ferd. H. Halley, moved reference to Finance Committee.

No objection and motion carried.

#### OFF-CALENDAR LEGISLATION

##### Adopted

The following recommendation of His Honor the Mayor was presented by the Clerk:

**Leaves of Absence**—Chester R. MacPhee, Member, Board of Supervisors, October 6-8; Harold Jones, Purchaser of Supplies, September 29-October 10, and Walter Leonetti, Member, Fire Commission, September 25-October 20, All With Permission to Leave the State.

File No. 9220, Resolution No. 12652 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, moved adoption.

**Adoption.**

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, McCarty—2.

**ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF MEASURES AND COMMUNICATIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.**

**Adopted.**

**Authorizing Attendance at Annual Convention of Redwood Empire Association.**

Supervisor Arnold presented:

File No. 9528, Resolution No. 12666 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, moved adoption.

**Discussion.**

Supervisor Mead inquired about the inclusion of the Sheriff in the legislation.

Supervisor Arnold replied that the Sheriff was Vice President of the Association and also Chairman of the Nominating Committee.

**Relinquishment of Chair.**

Supervisor Mead relinquished the Chair to Supervisor Christopher.

**Discussion.**

Supervisor Mead remarked that the Sheriff was elected as Vice President of the Redwood Empire Association while a member of the Board, and that he, Supervisor Mead, was of the opinion that the Board should not pay the expenses of the Sheriff.

The Chair explained that it was necessary to include the Sheriff in the legislation so that he would have authority to attend the Convention; that the Sheriff would pay his own expenses, and the Board would pay the expenses only of the representatives of the Board.

**Adoption.**

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Dobbs—1.

Supervisor Mead again presiding.

**Adopted.****In Memoriam—Mrs. Genevieve Giles Shelley.**

Jointly presented by all members of the Board.

File No. 9221, Resolution No. 12653 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Christopher, seconded by Supervisor Arnold, moved adoption

**Adoption.**

*Adopted by a rising vote as follows:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Dobbs—1.

**In Memoriam—Robert E. Walters.**

Jointly presented by all members of the Board.

File No. 9221, Resolution No. 12654 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Christopher, seconded by Supervisor Arnold, moved adoption.

**Adoption.**

*Adopted by a rising vote as follows:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Dobbs—1.

**Urging Public to Contribute to the Walters Hero Fund.**

Supervisor Christopher presented:

File No. 9529, Resolution No. 12667 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Christopher, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, moved adoption.

**Adoption.**

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Dobbs—1.

**Reference to Committee.****Reduction of School Tickets from 60 Cents to 50 Cents.**

Supervisor Christopher read excerpts from the Journal of Proceedings of April 28, 1952, in connection with the proposed increase in fares for the Municipal Railway, and more particularly called the attention of the Board to the statement made by Mr. Turner, Manager of Utilities, that he would recommend to the Public Utilities Commission that the school tickets be reduced from 60 cents to 50 cents.

Supervisor Christopher requested that the proper committee consider the matter and invite Mr. Turner to explain.

*Referred to Public Utilities Committee.*

**Announcement of Committee Meeting.**

The Chair requested the Public Utilities Committee to hold an early meeting on the matter.

Supervisor McCarty announced that there would be a meeting of the Public Utilities Committee on Thursday, October 9th, at 1:30 p. m.

**Discussion.**

Supervisor Ferdon stated that he believed that the President should direct a communication to the Public Utilities Commission inviting them to attend the meeting of the Public Utilities Committee.

The Chair replied that he would personally appear before the Commission and invite them to attend.

**Legislation Prohibiting Parking on Powell Street Between Sutter and California Streets.**

Supervisor Lewis stated that previously he had introduced legislation to prohibit parking on Powell Street between Sutter and California Streets but that the Police Commission had recommended against the enactment of such legislation.

Supervisor Lewis remarked that he would like to have the legislation placed on the Board's Calendar for the meeting of October 5th.

Supervisor Halley informed Supervisor Lewis that the Clerk of the Police Committee was on vacation and immediately upon his return the Committee would have a meeting.

Supervisor Lewis withdrew his request to call the legislation from Committee and requested that he be notified of the Police Committee meeting.

**Reference to Committee.****Requesting Mayor to Appoint Citizens' Committee to Establish a San Francisco Community Theater.**

Supervisor Lewis presented:

File No. 9530, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Education, Parks and Recreation Committee.*

**Adopted.****Congratulating Rabbi Elliott M. Burstein.**

Supervisor Lewis presented:

File No. 9531, Resolution No. 12668 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Lewis, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, moved adoption.

**Adoption.**

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Dobbs—1.

**Motion Carried.****Endorsing Proposition "O" on November 4th Ballot.**

Supervisor McCarty, seconded by Supervisor Halley, moved that the Board of Supervisors endorse Proposition "O" on the November 4th ballot relative to personnel of the Bureau of Fire Prevention and Public Safety and the Bureau of Fire Investigation.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

**Adopted.**

**Order of Vacation of Portion of Baldwin Court.**

Recommendation of Streets Committee.

File No. 7925, Resolution No. 12651 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

### **ADJOURNMENT.**

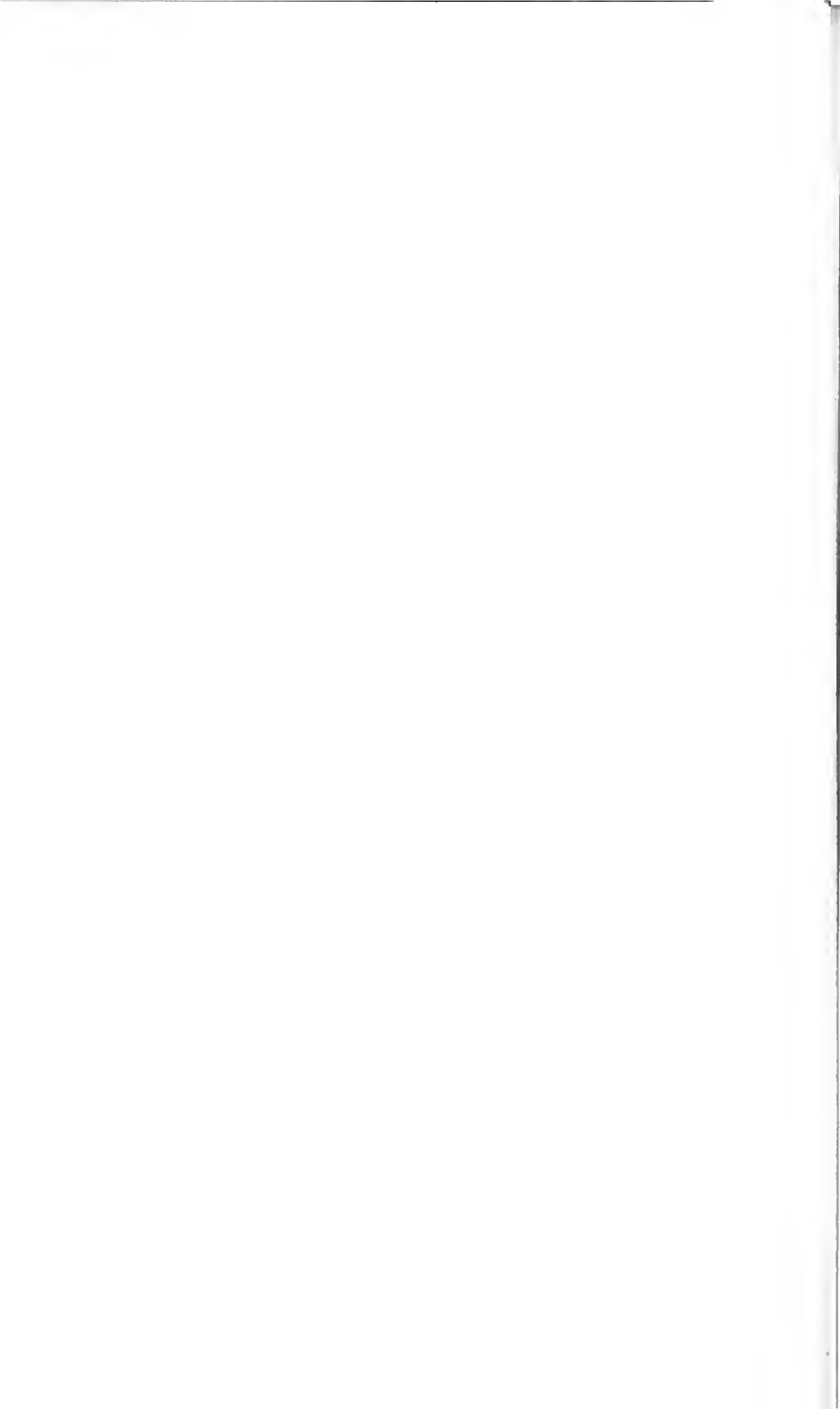
There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 2:50 p. m., adjourned.

JOHN R. McGRATH, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors October 14, 1952.

I, John R. McGrath, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the date hereon stated and approved as recited.

JOHN R. McGRATH,  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.









Monday, October 6, 1952

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# JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MONDAY, OCTOBER 6, 1952—2:00 P. M.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, October 6, 1952,  
2 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

## CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

Quorum present.

President Dewey Mead presiding.

Supervisor Arnold noted present at 2:16 p. m.

Supervisor Lewis noted present at 2:12 p. m.

Supervisor MacPhee on authorized leave.

## APPROVAL OF JOURNAL.

The Journal of Proceedings for Monday, September, 8, 1952, was considered read and approved.

## Communications.

From the Controller, replying to suggestion of Supervisor Christopher that a single set of books be kept for Municipal Railway accounts.

*Copy to Supervisor Christopher, filed.*

From the Manager of Utilities, attaching correspondence in connection with alleged irregularities in the collection of Municipal Railway fares by certain employees.

*Copy to Supervisor Christopher, filed.*

From the State Department of Public Works, copy of statement by the California Toll Bridge Authority, respecting construction of the proposed Richmond-San Rafael Toll Bridge.

*Filed.*

From Honorable Timothy I. O'Reilly, Mayor, City of San Luis Obispo, addressed to the members of the Shoreline Planning Association, extending welcome to the annual conference to be held soon in that city.

*Copy to each member of the Board, filed.*

From the County Supervisors' Association of California, notice of meeting, Board of Directors, October 17, 10 a. m., Palace Hotel, San Francisco.

*Copy to each member of Board; filed.*

From the Mayor, report on the affairs of the City and County.  
*Filed.*

From Senator John F. McCarthy of Marin County, addressed to Supervisor Mead, requesting privilege of the floor in connection with proposed legislation concerning state maintenance and operation of the Golden Gate Bridge.

*Privilege extended; Clerk to inform the Senator.*

From James E. Rickets, General Manager of the Golden Gate Bridge and Highway District, addressed to Supervisor Mead, asking privilege of answering statements which may be made by Senator John F. McCarthy of Marin County, concerning the subject of maintenance and operation of the Golden Gate Bridge.

*Privilege extended; Clerk to inform Mr. Rickets.*

From Supervisor Christopher, copy of letter addressed to the San Francisco Convention and Tourist Bureau, suggesting use of piers for convention purposes.

*Referred to Commercial and Industrial Development Committee.*

**Invitations Extended to Senator John F. McCarthy of Marin County and James E. Rickets, General Manager of the Golden Gate Bridge, to Appear Before Board.**

The Clerk read a communication from Senator John F. McCarthy of Marin County, addressed to Supervisor Mead, asking for the privilege of the floor in connection with proposed legislation concerning state maintenance and operation of the Golden Gate Bridge.

#### **Motion.**

Supervisor Christopher moved, seconded by Supervisor Dobbs, that the foregoing request be granted and that it be made a special order of business for Tuesday, October 14, 1952, 2 p. m.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

#### **Communication.**

The Clerk read a communication from James E. Rickets, General Manager of the Golden Gate Bridge, addressed to Supervisor Mead, in which request is made for the privilege of the floor for the purpose of responding to any statements which may be made by Senator John F. McCarthy of Marin County regarding maintenance and operation of the Golden Gate Bridge.

#### **Motion.**

Supervisor Christopher moved, seconded by Supervisor Dobbs, that the foregoing request be granted and that it be made a special order of business for Tuesday, October 14, 1952, at 2 p. m.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

#### **UNFINISHED BUSINESS.**

##### **Final Passage.**

The following recommendations of Finance Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

**Amending Section 4 of the 1952-53 Annual Appropriation Ordinance, to Provide for Deposit of Moneys Received in Connection With Contract Under Which a Portion of Said Moneys Is to Be Paid to the Contractors and the Remainder Inures to the City and County.**

File No. 9448, Ordinance No. 7520 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Appropriating \$1,920, Public Health, Central Office, for Position of General Clerk-Stenographer; Abolishing Position of General Clerk.**

File No. 9456-1, Ordinance No. 7523 (Series of 1939).

(General Clerk-Stenographer . . . . .)	\$240-300
General Clerk . . . . .	240-300)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 55(a), Public Health, Central Office—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 9456-2, Ordinance No. 7524 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Appropriating \$3,977, Sheriff, for Position of Junior Chef; Abolishing Position of Cook.**

File No. 9457-1, Ordinance No. 7525 (Series of 1939).

(Junior Chef . . . . .)	\$16.96 per day
Cook . . . . .	15.63 per day)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 9.4, Sheriff—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 9457-2, Ordinance No. 7526 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Authorizing Sale at Public Auction of Surplus City-Owned Land Located on Lombard Street West of Octavia Street.**

File No. 9478-1, Ordinance No. 7528 (Series of 1939).

(Not in conflict with the Master Plan. Lot 31, Block 506.  
Size: 75 feet by 106.25 feet. Property had been acquired in  
connection with the widening of Lombard Street.)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Appropriating \$16,500, Public Health, to Provide for Operation of the Oncology Ward at Laguna Honda Home, Subject to Reimbursement by the State.**

File No. 9481, Ordinance No. 7529 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Appropriating \$13,351.79, Purchasing Department, for Automobile Insurance.**

File No. 9482, Ordinance No. 7530 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

#### **Final Passage.**

The following recommendations of Streets Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Ferdon, Halley, Sullivan.

**Authorizing Acquisition of Sewer Tunnel Easement and Acceptance of \$3,000 from the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company in Exchange for a Sewer Tunnel Easement Located at Parkmerced.**

File No. 9432, Ordinance No. 7518 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Both parcels of land are of equal value and the \$3,000 represents the cost to the city of constructing the sewer tunnel in Arballo Drive in Parcel 1 instead of Parcel 2 as originally contemplated.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Granting Revocable Permit to the Southern Pacific Company to Construct, Operate and Maintain a Spur Track in and Across Portions of Bryant and Juniper Streets, and a Second Spur Track in a Portion of Juniper Street; and Rescinding Ordinance No. 7085 (Series of 1939).**

File No. 9433, Ordinance No. 7519 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

**Accepting the Roadway and Curbs of Waterloo Street Between Bayshore Boulevard and Loomis Street, Including the Intersection of Waterloo and Marengo Streets.**

File No. 9450, Ordinance No. 7521 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

Ordering the Improvement of the Crossing of Cambridge and Felton Streets and Extending City Aid in Approximate Amount of \$500.

File No. 9452, Ordinance No. 7522 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

Granting Revocable Permit to the Southern Pacific Company to Construct, Maintain and Operate a Spur Track in and Across Thomas Avenue Between Hawes and Griffith Streets.

File No. 9477, Ordinance No. 7527 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

#### Final Passage.

The following recommendation of Police Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Halley, Arnold.

Amending Section 310, Article 9, Chapter IV (Fire Code), Part II of the San Francisco Municipal Code, by Prescribing Fire Protection Measures and Proximity Limitations in Connection With Construction of a Public Garage, Commercial Garage or Automobile Sales Department Adjacent to a School or Church.

File No. 9493, Ordinance No. 7531 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

#### NEW BUSINESS.

##### Adopted.

The following recommendations of Finance Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

Authorizing Release of Liens Recorded by the Public Welfare Department for Aid Extended to Janie C. Lester, Deceased, and to Her Son, Corey C. Lester.

File No. 9223, Resolution No. 12671 (Series of 1939).

(Full amount of \$141.07 paid.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

Authorizing Release of Lien Recorded by the Public Welfare Department for Aid Extended to Benny Messina, Deceased.

File No. 9223, Resolution No. 12672 (Series of 1939).

(Full amount of \$749.11 paid.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

**Authorizing Extension of Grants of Emergency Relief to Dependent Non-Residents for October and November; List Dated October 6, 1952.**

File No. 9225, Resolution No. 12673 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

**Authorizing Cancellation of Erroneous and Illegal Personal Property Assessments for the Years 1949, 1950 and 1951.**

File No. 9226, Resolution No. 12674 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

**Authorizing Cancellation of Erroneous and Duplicate Personal Property Assessments for the Years 1948 Through 1951.**

File No. 9226, Resolution No. 12675 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

**Authorizing Refund of Duplicate and Erroneous Payments of Taxes for the Fiscal Years 1951-52 and 1952-53.**

File No. 9230, Resolution No. 12676 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

**Authorizing Refund of \$100 Bid Deposit Check to Gerald C. La Fontaine.**

File No. 9500, Resolution No. 12678 (Series of 1939).

(Bid was made in connection with identification tags for the Board of Education; City received information from Dr. Walter Rapaport that Mr. La Fontaine would be hospitalized for some time, and therefore he is unable to discharge his contractual obligations.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

**Waving the Statute of Limitations With Respect to the Payment of Warrants by the Retirement System.**

File No. 9503, Resolution No. 12679 (Series of 1939).

(John O. Chapin	\$352.77	George R. Gardner...	\$ 11.85
Frank J. Verducci	.69	Alfred Nelson .....	21.10
Adele Cutting	427.19	Verlie Peterson .....	12.43
Derward T. Burbank	363.50	Gus A. Raney .....	8.45
Lillian M. Chilgren	447.53	Sylvia Stickman .....	23.65
Sylvia Daily	7.81	Harry Silverman .....	6.18
Harry M. Elder	23.53	Margaret Sullivan .....	72.58
Fred C. Francke	17.46	Jane K. Widman .....	132.49)



*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

Authorizing Attendance of Supervising Director, Recreation and Park Department, at Ninth Annual Conference of the Northern California Youth Council to Be Held in Asilomar, October 3-5, 1952.

File No. 9510, Resolution No. 12680 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

Waiving Statute of Limitations and Authorizing Payment of Warrant in Sum of \$141.17 to Harry J. Bensen, Administrator of the Estate of Mary E. Wiley, Deceased.

File No. 9515, Resolution No. 12681 (Series of 1939).

(Warrant drawn in favor of Ralph W. Wiley, former Chief of Department of Electricity, for services rendered. It was not paid and was subsequently cancelled by the Controller.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

Accepting Award of \$380 from the State Agricultural Society for San Francisco's Exhibit at the 1952 State Fair.

File No. 9538, Resolution No. 12684 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

#### Passage for Second Reading.

Appropriating \$20,000, Public Works, from Unappropriated Balance of Special Road Improvement Fund, for Purchase of Property Required for the Widening of Mansell Street, East of McLaren Park.

File No. 9486, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

Appropriating \$1,488.36, Police, for Retroactive Compensation Due Employees Entitled to Credit for Previous Time Served for Purposes of Salary Increment.

File No. 9501, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

Appropriating \$592.15, Airport, for Public Liability and Property Damage Insurance Coverage of Automotive Fleet.

File No. 9511, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Fleet consists of 19 trucks and ten passenger cars.)

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

Appropriating \$4,251.95, Electricity, for Retroactive Compensation Due Certain Craftsmen for Overtime Accrued from July 1, 1947, Through June 30, 1950; Pursuant to Court Order.

File No. 9512, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

Appropriating \$1,225, Public Library, as City's Share of Cost of Preparing Plans and Specifications, Construction and Inspection, for Re-roofing of the Library Annex at 45 Hyde Street.

File No. 9513, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

#### Final Passage.

Appropriating \$5,130, Public Library, from the Emergency Reserve Fund, for the Maintenance of Grounds; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9514, Ordinance No. 7532 (Series of 1939).

*Full, Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, MacPhee—2.

#### Adopted as Amended.

The following measure from Finance Committee, with recommendation "Do Pass" after amendment, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

Approving Wage Scales for Private Employment on Public Contracts.

File No. 9516, Resolution No. 12682 (Series of 1939).

(Amendments are as follows:

On page 12, rearrange the paragraphs as follows:

First paragraph shall remain as is:

Second paragraph shall become the fifth paragraph:

Third paragraph shall become the fourth paragraph:

Fourth paragraph shall become the second paragraph:

Fifth paragraph shall become the third paragraph:

Sixth and seventh paragraphs shall remain as they are.

In the first and second lines of the fourth paragraph, as rearranged, delete the word "pay" and insert in lieu thereof the word "wages."

At the end of the third paragraph, as rearranged, add the following sentence: "Pay for welfare plans to be as specified

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### Motion to Amend

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 An ordinance to amend the City Code, Chapter 4-10, Section 4-10-010, to read as follows:

### Motion to Postpone

The following ordinance was introduced and read:  
 An ordinance to amend the City Code, Chapter 4-10, Section 4-10-010, to read as follows:

### Amendments Adopted

The following ordinance was introduced and read:  
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### Motion to Defeat Consideration

The following ordinance was introduced and read:  
 An ordinance to amend the City Code, Chapter 4-10, Section 4-10-010, to read as follows:  
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### Motion Adopted as Amended

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Adopted by the Council:

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### OFF-CALENDAR LEGISLATION

#### Adopted

The following recommendations of the Mayor were presented by the Clerk:

**Leaves of Absence**—Fred D. Parr, Recreation and Park Commissioner, October 4-14; Phil C. Katz, Public Administrator, 30 Days from October 12; Francis P. Walsh, Civil Service Commissioner, October 18-25; Michael J. Buckley, Recreation and Park Commissioner, October 20, 1952 to February 20, 1953, All With Permission to Leave the State.

File No. 9220, Resolution No. 12669 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Arnold moved adoption; seconded by Supervisor McCarty.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

**Absent:** Supervisor MacPhee—1.

**ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF MEASURES AND COMMUNICATIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.**

**References to Commercial and Industrial Development Committee.**

Supervisor Christopher introduced a copy of a letter which he had written to Walter G. Swanson of the San Francisco Convention and Tourist Bureau, suggesting the use of the city's piers for convention and exhibit purposes, and requested that a letter be written to the Bureau urging their cooperation with the Board's committee assigned to handle the subject.

*Referred to the Commercial and Industrial Development Committee.*

**Request for Consideration of Portion of Skid Row as Site for Off-Street Parking Facility.**

Supervisor Christopher called the Board's attention to the possible desirability of utilizing Howard Street, between Third and Fourth Streets, as a site for a parking facility, which would have a two-fold purpose: (1) to provide much-needed off-street parking, and (2) eradicate the blight which has existed in that area for many years, and thereupon requested that the Parking Authority give consideration to such a suggestion.

The President supplemented Supervisor Christopher's request by asking that the Parking Authority be invited to attend called meetings of the Commercial and Industrial Development Committee in the matter.

*Referred to the Commercial and Industrial Development Committee.*

**Motion to Call Measure from Committee.**

Supervisor Ferdon moved, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, that File No. 9463, a proposed resolution entitled "Urging the electorate to approve at the November election State Proposition No. 3, the private school tax exemption referendum measure," be called from the County, State and National Affairs Committee for immediate consideration by the Board.

**Statement and Motion by Supervisor Lewis.**

Supervisor Lewis: At the present time, I am not speaking for or against the proposition. It is unfortunate that every once in a while this type of resolution comes up, and I want it very clearly understood that I am not speaking for or against the proposition. But I seriously question the right of this Board of Supervisors under the provisions of the Charter, to make any recommendations to the people of San Francisco on how they should vote on a state matter that is going

to appear on the ballot. It is a very dangerous precedent. If you are going to tell the people how to vote, you should tell them how to vote for President and for state and local offices. Again, I repeat, it is a very dangerous precedent and I move that a written opinion be obtained from our City Attorney stating whether or not this Board of Supervisors has the legal authority to advise the people of San Francisco how they should vote on state matters. Motion seconded by Supervisor Halley.

#### Motion Ruled Out of Order.

The President ruled the motion out of order on the grounds that it was contrary to the motion now pending before the Board.

#### Substitute Motion.

Supervisor Lewis moved, as a substitute motion, that a written opinion be obtained from the City Attorney with respect to the legal right of the Board to tell the people how to vote on state propositions. Motion second by Supervisor Halley.

#### Statements by Supervisors.

Supervisor Mancuso termed the substitute motion a ridiculous gesture and expressed the hope that the Chair would not consider it as properly coming before the Board.

Supervisor Christopher pleaded with Supervisor Lewis to withdraw his substitute motion.

#### Substitute Motion Lost.

The roll was thereupon called on the substitute motion and it lost by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Halley, Lewis—2.

Noes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

#### Suspension of Rules.

Supervisor Ferdon moved the suspension of the rules for the purpose of calling File No. 9468, a proposed resolution entitled "Urging the electorate to approve at the November election State Proposition No. 3, the private school tax exemption referendum measure," from the County, State and National Affairs Committee.

Motion seconded by Supervisor McCarty.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

#### Motion to Consider Measure.

Supervisor Ferdon moved, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, that the Board now consider File No. 9468, the title of which has been designated hereinabove.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Noes: Supervisors Halley, Lewis—2.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

#### Motion to Adopt.

Supervisor Ferdon moved adoption of the foregoing measure. Motion seconded by Supervisor Mancuso.

### Statement by Supervisor Lewis.

Supervisor Lewis: This is the first time in the history of the Board that it proposes to tell the people how they should vote on measures on the state ballot. (Here Supervisor Mancuso interjected, pointing out to Supervisor Lewis instances in the past where he, Supervisor Lewis, voted for measures along identical lines with the measure now pending before the Board.) I am going to vote against the measure but I want it distinctly understood I am doing so because in the past I have taken a fairly consistent position. I may have erred once or twice. I have taken a fairly consistent position against this Board involving itself in legislative matters which advise the people on state, national and international affairs. I remind Supervisor Mancuso that I opposed the resolution on the Italian people, not on principle, but because I felt it was no business of this Board. Then the White Russian measure came up, and I took the same position on it, and finally some member of the Board introduced a resolution involving the Jewish people and I took the same position, because I felt it was wrong for us to inject ourselves into international affairs. I am voting "No" for two reasons, one, definitely not on the merits of the measure, and secondly, I feel it is not within the legal authority of this Board to pass such a measure, and since I have been denied the right of obtaining an opinion from the City Attorney, I want to be put on record as being opposed to the idea of telling the people how they should vote on such a matter, but I am not expressing an opinion for or against Proposition No. 3.

### Discussion.

Supervisor McCarty reminded Supervisor Lewis of the efforts of Supervisor Mancuso to have a committee hearing held on the pending measure. Further, editorials have been appearing daily in the press, particularly in the Chronicle, explaining the purpose and intent of State Proposition No. 3; that its passage was merely a matter of simple justice, and its failure to pass would entail an addition expenditure by the State of millions of dollars.

Supervisor Mancuso explained that the defeat of State Proposition No. 3 would add an additional state tax burden, and a local tax burden of some ten millions of dollars.

### Measure Adopted.

The roll was thereupon called on the pending measure designated below as follows:

**Urging the Electorate to Approve at the November 4th Election, State Proposition No. 3, the Private School Tax Exemption Referendum Measure.**

File No. 9463, Resolution No. 12677 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Noes: Supervisors Halley, Lewis—2.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

### Adopted.

**In Memoriam—Henry A. Auerbach.**

Jointly presented by Supervisors Halley and Mancuso:

File No. 9221, Resolution No. 12670 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Halley moved adoption; seconded by Supervisor Mancuso.

*Unanimously adopted by rising vote as follows:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

**Adopted.****Commending Special Officer Lawrence Jones.**

Supervisor Mancuso presented:

File No. 9557, Resolution No. 12685 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Mancuso moved adoption; seconded by Supervisor Sullivan.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

**Adopted.****Congratulating and Commending the San Francisco Senior Center.**

Supervisor Mancuso presented:

File No. 9558, Resolution No. 12686 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Mancuso moved adoption; seconded by Supervisor Christopher.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

**References to County, State and National Affairs Committee.****Expressing Opposition to State Proposition No. 10 on the November 4th Ballot, Denying Use of Tax Funds to All Organizations Which Take a Stand for or Against Proposed Legislation.**

Supervisor Mancuso presented:

File No. 9559, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to County, State and National Affairs Committee.*

**Opposing State Proposition No. 11 on the November 4th Ballot, Relative to Creation of a New State Pension Plan.**

Supervisor Mancuso presented:

File No. 9560, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to County, State and National Affairs Committee.*

**Reference to Rules Committee.****Amending the Rules of Order to Provide that Majority of Committee Members May Call a Committee Meeting.**

Supervisor Mancuso presented:

File No. 9561, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Rules Committee.*

MONDAY, OCTOBER 6, 1952

**Request of President of the Board.**

Supervisor Mead, President of the Board, requested that he be reminded to call a meeting of the Rules Committee in the near future.

*The Clerk was so instructed.*

**ADJOURNMENT.**

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 3:40 p. m., adjourned.

JOHN R. McGRATH, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors October 20, 1952.

I, John R. McGrath, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the date hereon stated and approved as recited.

JOHN R. McGRATH,  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.



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TUESDAY, OCTOBER 14, 1952—2:00 P. M.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Tuesday, October 14, 1942,  
2:00 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

## CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee, Sullivan—3.

Quorum present.

President Dewey Mead presiding.

Supervisor MacPhee noted present at 3:03 p. m.

Supervisors Christopher and Sullivan on authorized leaves. (See below for authority for Supervisor Christopher's absence.)

## Motion to Excuse Supervisor Christopher.

Supervisor Christopher left word, asking that he be excused from attendance at today's meeting.

There being no objection, permission *granted*.

## Supervisor Ferdon to Be Excused at 4:00 P. M.

Supervisor Ferdon asked permission to excuse himself at 4:00 p. m.

No objection and permission *granted*.

## Communications.

From Rabbi Burstein of Congregation Beth Israel, expressing thanks for Board's action in commending him on his silver anniversary of service.

*Ordered filed.*

From County Supervisors' Association, acknowledging receipt of Board's resolution opposing enactment of mandatory and uniform sales tax in California counties, and advising that the association has not been involved in any tax movement nor will it support any legislation which would not make a special independent situation for the City and County of San Francisco.

*Copy to each member, ordered filed.*

From the San Francisco Convention and Tourist Bureau, attaching thereto a copy of a letter addressed to General Robert N. Wylie, manager, Port of San Francisco, dealing with the request of Supervisor Christopher that piers be made available for convention and exhibit purposes.

*Copy to Supervisor Christopher; ordered filed.*

From the County of Los Angeles, attaching copy of adopted resolution, challenging ten counties in the United States to a "Get-out the Vote" Campaign

*Motion adopted accepting challenge.*

From the Recreation and Park Department, replying to request of Supervisor Christopher that efforts be made to utilize Columbia Square as a temporary parking lot.

*Copy to Supervisor Christopher: ordered filed.*

From Herbst Bros., opposing proposed appropriation of \$25,000 for the improvement of Jessie Street, east of Tenth Street; also letter from Brotherhood of Teamsters, report on trucks making delivery to the Furniture Mart.

*Consideration continued one week.*

### **Challenge from County of Los Angeles Accepted.**

The Clerk read a communication from the County of Los Angeles issuing a challenge to ten counties in the United States, one of them being the City and County of San Francisco, in a "Get-Out the Vote" Campaign.

### **Motion.**

Supervisor Lewis moved, seconded by Supervisor Halley, that the City and County accept the challenge, expressing the opinion that San Francisco would emerge the victor, and the Clerk was directed to so inform the sister county.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, MacPhee, Sullivan—4.

### **Reference to Chief Administrative Officer.**

The Clerk read a communication from the Mayor, to which was attached a letter from Special Services Officer in charge of the Camp Cooke Welfare Carnival, in which request is made that every possible publicity be given the event.

The Clerk was directed to refer the above correspondence to the Chief Administrative Officer for such action as he may see fit to take.

### **School Ticket Legislation Continued One Week.**

The Clerk read a communication from the Public Utilities Commission, to which was attached a certified copy of its Resolution No. 12852, recommending a revised rate for school tickets.

Deputy City Attorney Walker Peddicord suggested that a date be set for hearing on the matter. Accordingly, the President set Monday, October 20, 1952, as the date for such hearing.

### **SPECIAL ORDER—2:00 P. M.**

Hearing of State Senator John F. McCarthy and Representative of the Golden Gate Bridge and Highway District Relative to Resolution Drafted by the Former in Connection With Proposed Legislation Concerning State Maintenance and Operation of the Golden Gate Bridge.

### **Privilege of the Floor.**

The privilege of the floor was accorded Senator John F. McCarthy of Marin County, who proceeded to explain his stand that the Golden Gate Bridge should be operated and maintained by the California Toll Bridge Authority and the bridge itself placed within the State Highway System.

The Senator cited facts and figures which purported to show that state ownership and operation would materially effect economies which would, in turn, result in decreased tolls. He criticized reduction in freight toll rates, made some time ago, contending that such a reduction was made for special interests.

#### **Suggested Reference to Committee.**

Supervisor Lewis, at this point, interrupted the proceedings, asserting that the matter had not been in committee and should rightfully go there for a complete hearing before any action is taken by the Board.

#### **Point of Order.**

Supervisor Mancuso rose to a point of order, informing Supervisor Lewis that the privilege of the floor which had been extended to Senator McCarthy was a result of action taken by the Board at its last regular meeting, and therefore it was proper for the Senator to make his statement at the present time.

The President ruled the point of order well taken.

#### **Motion to Refer to Committee.**

Supervisor Lewis moved, seconded by Supervisor Arnold, that the pending matter be referred to a proper committee.

#### **Discussion.**

Supervisor McCarty spoke against the motion to re-refer, contending that both sides of the issue had been invited by the Board to speak.

#### **Communication.**

At this point, the President of the Board read copies of letters sent to both Senator John F. McCarthy and James E. Rickets, General Manager of the Golden Gate Bridge and Highway District, inviting them to attend the meeting of the Board on Tuesday, October 14, for the purpose of hearing statements pro and con regarding proposed state ownership and operation of the Golden Gate Bridge.

There being no objection, Supervisor Lewis *withdrew* his motion.

#### **Motion to Sit as a Committee of the Whole.**

The President suggested, in order to permit everyone to speak on the matter, that the Board resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole.

Accordingly, Supervisor Ferdon moved, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, that the Board resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole.

Motion *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee, Sullivan—3.

No objection was raised with respect to the President acting as Chairman of the Committee of the Whole.

#### **Discussion.**

To a question propounded to him, Deputy City Attorney Walker Peddicord stated that if the state took over the operation and maintenance of the Golden Gate Bridge, steps could then be taken by the state to offset any liability which might have heretofore accrued to any particular county.

### Privilege of the Floor.

Upon conclusion of the statement by Senator John F. McCarthy, the privilege of the floor was extended to the following:

William D. Hadeler, Chairman of the Bridge's Finance Committee, cautioned the Board against acting too hastily, advising that the Bridge District had employed experts to determine what additional work might be required and that this might cost in the neighborhood of three million dollars.

James Adam, the Bridge's Publicity Director, called the Board's attention to the fact that many previous attempts to have the state assume control of the bridge had been defeated. He stated that the bridge district had some \$14,000,000 in reserve, earmarked as insurance for the payment of principal and interest and that a reduction at this time might jeopardize these funds.

### Motion to Rise and Report—Lost.

Supervisor Lewis moved, seconded by Supervisor Arnold, that the Committee now rise and report.

Motion lost by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

Noes: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—6.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Sullivan—2.

### Privilege of the Floor.

The privilege of the floor was extended to Mr. Phil Davies, a member of the Board of Directors of the Bridge District, who expressed the opinion that the District could be managed efficiently and economically under its present administration, without having to resort to state control.

J. L. Hogg, President of the San Francisco Building and Construction Trades Council, extolled the services being rendered by the Bridge's Board of Directors.

Supervisor MacPhee expressed the opinion that he felt the Bridge Directors are using sound judgment in their dealings but that he still adhered to the position heretofore taken that the bridge should be operated and maintained by the state.

### Motion to Rise and Report.

Supervisor Lewis moved, seconded by Supervisor Arnold, that the Committee now rise and report.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Sullivan—2.

### Legislation Introduced.

The following measure, sponsored by Senator John F. McCarthy, was introduced by Supervisor Mead:

**Endorsing Proposed Legislation Placing the Operation and Maintenance of the Golden Gate Bridge With the California Toll Bridge Authority and the Golden Gate Bridge Within the State Highway System.**

File No. 9593, Resolution No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Referred to the County, State and National Affairs Committee.*

### Reference of Documents.

The following documents were presented by Senator John F. McCarthy, copies of which had been supplied each Supervisor and designated as follows: (1) Material relating to the operation and financing of the Golden Gate Bridge; (2) Schedule 1—Depreciation Reserve Accounts, showing additions, expenditures and balances as of June 30, 1952; (3) Exhibit A—Rules and Policies governing the proceedings of the Board of Directors of the Bridge District.

The President *referred the foregoing documents to the County, State and National Affairs Committee.*

### UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The following recommendations of Finance Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

#### Consideration Continued.

Appropriating \$25,000, Public Works, from the Unappropriated Balance of the Special Road Improvement Fund, for Right of Way Purchase, Construction and Contingencies in Connection With the Improvement of Jessie Street, East of Tenth Street.

File No. 8585-1, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

September 29, 1952—Consideration continued to October 14, 1952.

#### Motion to Defer Consideration.

Supervisor Halley moved continuance for one week to permit further study. Motion seconded by Supervisor McCarty, and there being no objection, motion *carried.*

#### Final Passage.

Appropriating \$645, Public Works, Bureau of Building Repair, for Purchase of Shop Equipment.

File No. 9455, Ordinance No. 7533 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Sullivan—3

Authorizing Agreement With Baker's Beach Apartments, Inc., Relative to Disposal of Sewage from the Baker's Beach Housing Project Located in the Presidio, into the San Francisco Sewer System.

File No. 9471, Ordinance No. 7534 (Series of 1939).

(Agreement to provide that the Company will pay annually in advance, \$50 for each 1,000,000 gallons of sewage discharged into the City's sewer system, amount estimated to be delivered the first year to be 30,000,000 gallons. Connections to be made on or before December 31, 1952. Term is for a period of five years from date of connection, with right of renewal for five-year periods thereafter, unless 60-day notice is given prior to expiration.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Sullivan—3.

Appropriating \$10,000, Water Department, for Expense of Coating the 60-Inch Bay Crossing Pipe Line No. 1 on Trestle at Ravenswood.

File No. 9494, Ordinance No. 7535 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Sullivan—3.

Appropriating \$66,500, Parking Authority, from the 1947 Off-Street Parking Bond Fund, for Constructing the Mission-Bartlett Street Parking Plaza.

File No. 9498, Ordinance No. 7536 (Series of 1939).

(Not in conflict with the Master Plan.

Grading, backfilling, paving and drainage, etc. ....	\$32,300
Structural work—reinforced concrete wall at rear of lot .....	15,000
Mechanical and architectural work—operator's shelter, including sanitary facilities, etc. .	1,900
Electrical work—parking area and operator's shelter lighting .....	7,400
10 per cent possible extras; field engineering and inspection .....	9,900
	<hr/> \$66,500)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Sullivan—3.

## NEW BUSINESS.

### Adopted.

The following measures from Finance Committee were taken up:

Approving Supplemental Recommendations, Public Welfare Department, Relative to Categorical Aids: Letters Dated October 7, 1952.

File No. 9224, Resolution No. 12698 (Series of 1939).

### Motion to Adopt.

Supervisor Arnold moved adoption; seconded by Supervisor McCarty.

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Sullivan—3.

Authorizing Extension of Grants of Emergency Relief to Dependent Non-Residents for October and November; List Dated October 14, 1952.

File No. 9225, Resolution No. 12699 (Series of 1939).

### Motion to Adopt.

Supervisor Arnold moved adoption; seconded by Supervisor McCarty.



*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Sullivan—3.

#### **Re-reference to Committee.**

The following measures from County, State and National Affairs Committee were taken up:

Present. Supervisor Mancuso.

(In each of the following three instances, Supervisor Mancuso moved, seconded by Supervisor MacPhee, that the measure be re-referred to committee. No objection and motion carried.)

Opposing State Proposition No. 10 on the November 4th Ballot, Denying Use of Tax Funds to All Organizations Which Take a Stand for or Against Proposed Legislation.

File No. 9559, Resolution No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Re-referred to Committee.*

Opposing State Proposition No. 11 on the November 4th Ballot, Relative to Creation of a New State Pension Plan.

File No. 9560, Resolution No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Re-referred to Committee.*

Endorsing State Proposition No. 1 on the November 4th Ballot, Providing for Issuance of \$150,000,000 in Bonds by the State to Continue the Veterans' Home and Farm Purchase Program.

File No. 9580, Resolution No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Re-referred to Committee.*

#### **Adopted.**

The following recommendations of Police Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Halley, Arnold, Ferdon.

Adding Avery Street, Northbound, to List of One-Way Streets, All Times.

File No. 9093, Resolution No. 12688 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Sullivan—3.

**Designating Certain "Stop" Intersections, and Rescinding Designation of Certain Other "Stop" Intersections.**

File No. 9094, Resolution No. 12689 (Series of 1939).

(Designate:

Westerly tip of the center island located on Sloat Boulevard, Thirty-ninth Avenue and Sloat Skyline Connection;

Easterly tip of the center island located on Sloat Boulevard, Thirty-ninth Avenue and Sloat Skyline Connection.

Rescind:

Sloat Boulevard at Sloat Skyline Connection, southwest corner;  
Kensington Way and Portola Drive, northeast and southwest corners.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Sullivan—3.

Designating the Northeast and Southwest Corners of Frederick and Stanyan Streets and the Northwest and Southeast Corners of Clearfield Drive and Ocean Avenue as "Stop" Intersections.

File No. 9117, Resolution No. 12690 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Sullivan—3.

Adding Portions of Fitzgerald Avenue to List of Streets on Which Parking Is Restricted to Sixty Minutes, 7 A. M. to 6 P. M., Sundays and Holidays Excepted.

File No. 9129, Resolution No. 12691 (Series of 1939).

(Fitzgerald Avenue, north side, between Third and Jennings Streets;

Fitzgerald Avenue, south side, for a distance of 75 feet west of Jennings Street.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Sullivan—3.

Adding Portions of Army Street to List of Streets on Which Parking Is Restricted to Two Hours, 7 A. M. to 6 P. M., Sundays and Holidays Excepted.

File No. 9150, Resolution No. 12692 (Series of 1939).

(Army Street, south side, between Valencia and Mission Streets;

Army Street, north side, between Valencia and Shotwell Streets.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Sullivan—3.

Adding Portions of Certain Streets to Parking Meter Zone No. 20.

File No. 9176, Resolution No. 12693 (Series of 1939).

(Ivy Street, north side, from Polk Street to Van Ness Avenue;  
Elm Street, south side, from Polk Street to Van Ness Avenue;  
Willow Street; south side, from Larkin Street to Van Ness Avenue;

Olive Street, south side, from Larkin Street to Van Ness Avenue;

Myrtle Street, south side, from Larkin Street to Van Ness Avenue;

Cedar Street, south side, from Larkin Street to Van Ness Avenue;

Hemlock Street, south side, from Larkin Street to Van Ness Avenue;  
 Fern Street, south side, from Larkin Street to Van Ness Avenue;  
 Austin Street, south side, from Larkin Street to Van Ness Avenue;  
 Austin Street, north side, from Van Ness Avenue to Franklin Street;  
 Fern Street, north side, from Van Ness Avenue to Franklin Street;  
 Hemlock Street, north side, from Van Ness Avenue, to Franklin Street;  
 Myrtle Street, north side, from Van Ness Avenue, to Franklin Street;  
 Olive Street, north side, from Van Ness Avenue to Franklin Street;  
 Willow Street, north side, from Van Ness Avenue to Franklin Street;  
 Larch Street, north side, from Van Ness Avenue to Franklin Street;  
 Elm Street, north side, from Van Ness Avenue to Franklin Street;  
 Hickory Street, north side, from Van Ness Avenue to Franklin Street.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Sullivan—3.

**Adding Union Street Between Franklin Street and Van Ness Avenue to Parking Meter Zone No. 19.**

File No. 9177, Resolution No. 12694 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Sullivan—3.

**Designating Northwest and Southeast Corners of North Point and Powell Streets as "Stop" Intersections.**

File No. 9181, Resolution No. 12695 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Sullivan—3.

**Adding Landers Street, Southbound, Between Fifteenth and Sixteenth Streets, to List of One-Way Streets, All Times.**

File No. 9182, Resolution No. 12696 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Sullivan—3.

**Adding Portions of Bayview Street, Revere and Newcomb Avenues to Parking Meter Zone No. 24.**

File No. 9264, Resolution No. 12700 (Series of 1939).

(Bayview Street, south side, for a distance of 97 feet, west of Third Street;

Revere Avenue, north side, for a distance of 124 feet west of Third Street;  
Newcomb Avenue, south side, between Third and Mendell Streets.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Sullivan—3.

**Designating Certain Intersections of Franklin Street as "Stop" Intersections.**

File No. 9350, Resolution No. 12701 (Series of 1939).

(Franklin and Eddy Streets, northeast and southwest corners;  
Franklin and Ellis Streets, northeast and southwest corners;  
Franklin and O'Farrell Streets, northeast and southwest corners.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Sullivan—3.

**Authorizing Temporary Closing of Grove Street Between Polk and Larkin Streets for an Undetermined Number of Days Between August 25 and September 7, 1953, and Granting the American Hospital Association Permission to Erect and Maintain a Canvas Cover Over Said Street and Occupy Same for the Showing of Exhibits.**

File No. 9437, Resolution No. 12702 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Sullivan—3.

**Adding the Intersection of Main Drive, Stanyan Street and the Panhandle to List of Street Intersections from Which Left-Hand Turns Are Prohibited at All Times.**

File No. 9470, Resolution No. 12703 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Sullivan—3.

**Designating Central Market Street Area as a Public Parking Project Area.**

File No. 9543, Resolution No. 12708 (Series of 1939).

(Area parallels and includes Market Street from First Street to Seventh Street, and Extends Southerly to Harrison Street and northerly to a line about 1,200 feet from Market Street and parallel to it.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Sullivan—3.

Adopted.

The following recommendations of Streets Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Ferdon, Halley, Sullivan.

**Authorizing Chief Administrative Officer to Proceed With the Preparation of Plans and Specifications for the Removal of Street-car Tracks and the Reconstruction of the Roadways of Certain Streets.**

File No. 9502, Resolution No. 12704 (Series of 1939).

(Folsom Street, from Sixteenth Street to Precita Avenue;  
Precita Avenue, from Folsom Street to Army Street;  
Twenty-sixth Street, from Mission Street to Bryant Street;  
Clement Street, from Second Avenue to Thirty-second Avenue;  
Eighth Avenue, from Clement Street to Fulton Street;  
Army Street, from Tennessee Street to Kansas Street;  
Union Street, from Baker Street to Van Ness Avenue; and  
from Powell Street to Larkin Street;  
Baker Street, from Union Street to Greenwich Street;  
Steiner Street, from Union Street to Greenwich Street;  
Greenwich Street, from Lyon Street to Steiner Street;  
Vallejo Street, from Van Ness Avenue to Larkin Street;  
Larkin Street, from Vallejo Street to Union Street;  
Powell Street, from Broadway to North Point Street.  
Balboa Street, from Arguello Boulevard to Thirty-first Avenue;  
Turk Street, from Divisadero Street to Arguello Boulevard;  
Bryant Street, from Second Street to Thirteenth Street;  
Eleventh Street, from Market Street to Division Street;  
San Jose Avenue, Ocean Avenue to County Line;  
Nineteenth Avenue, from Rossmoor Drive to Junipero Serra Boulevard;  
Worcester Avenue, from Junipero Serra Boulevard to Randolph Street;  
Randolph Street, from Worcester Avenue to Orizaba Avenue;  
Orizaba Avenue, from Randolph Street to Broad Street.  
Broad Street, from Orizaba Avenue to Plymouth Avenue.)

**Suggestion Offered by Supervisor Ferdon.**

Supervisor Ferdon suggested to the Chief Administrative Officer, who was present, that in the future when plans are prepared calling for the removal of car tracks and the reconstruction of roadways, that notices be posted in the affected areas so that interested residents may be apprized of such contemplated action and accorded the opportunity of submitting protests, if found necessary.

The roll was thereupon called and the foregoing measure was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Sullivan—3.

**Designating Certain Streets as Streets of Major Importance.**

File No. 9504, Resolution No. 12705 (Series of 1939)

(Geary Street, from Scott Street to Van Ness Avenue;  
A diagonal street from Geary Street to Post Street, in the block bounded by Geary, Gough, Post and Franklin Streets, to be denoted as P-G Street until officially named  
A diagonal street, from Geary Street to O'Farrell Street, in block bounded by Geary, Gough, O'Farrell and Franklin Streets, to be denoted as O-G Street until officially named.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Sullivan—3.

Approving Map Showing Proposed Change or Modification of Official Grades on Ingerson Avenue Between Hawes and Gilroy Streets; Gilroy Street, Between Ingerson and Ignacio Avenues, and on Ignacio Avenue Between Gilroy Street and 360 Feet Southeasterly, and Declaring Intention to Change or Modify Official Grades in Accordance Therewith.

File No. 9537-1, Resolution No. 12707 (Series of 1933).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Sullivan—3.

Approving Map of Lakeshore Country Club Acres, and Declaring Certain Streets to Be Open, Public Streets.

File No. 9579, Resolution No. 12687 (Series of 1939).

(Parcels of land designated as Lakeshore, Country Club and Huntington Drives; Ocean Avenue; Berkshire, Coventry, Brookhaven and Bonnie Brae Lanes; not previously dedicated. In conformity with Master Plan.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Sullivan—3.

#### Passage for Second Reading.

Establishing Grades on Boutwell Street Between Islais Creek Channel and Helena Streets.

File No. 9496, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Sullivan—3.

Accepting the Roadways and Curbs of Harkness Avenue Between Alder and Rutland Streets, Including the Intersections of Harkness Avenue at Alder, Rutland and Bishop Streets; Harkness Avenue Between Rutland and Sparta Streets; and Goettingen Street Between Mansell Street and 310 Feet Southerly Therefrom.

File No. 9499, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Sullivan—3.

Accepting the Roadways and Curbs of Ordway Street Between Brussels and Goettingen Streets, and Dartmouth Street Between Olmstead and Mansell Streets.

File No. 9505, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Sullivan—3.

Ordering the Improvement of Crescent Avenue Between Prentiss Street and 42.6 Feet East of Nevada Street; Nevada Street, from Crescent Avenue North to Existing Pavement; the Intersection of Crescent Avenue and Nevada Street; Extending City Aid in Approximate Amount of \$1,500; and Providing for Work in Front of City Property in Amount of \$2,400.

File No. 9525, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Sullivan—3.

Ordering the Improvement of Portions of Cambridge Street Between Silliman and Felton Streets, and Felton Street Between Oxford and Cambridge Streets; and Extending City Aid in Approximate Amount of \$3,400.

File No. 9526, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Sullivan—3.

Ordering the Improvement of Portions of Moreland Street Between Diamond and Farnum Streets, and the Intersection of Moreland and Farnum Streets; and Extending City Aid in Approximate Amount of \$2,200.

File No. 9540, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, Sullivan—3.

#### Passage for Second Reading.

The following recommendation of Judiciary Committee was taken up:

Present. Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon.

Authorizing Sheriff to Require County Jail Prisoners to Perform Labor on Public Works or Ways, and Authorizing Deductions from Terms of Sentence.

File No. 9239, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

#### Motion to Re-refer to Committee—Lost.

Supervisor McCarty questioned the soundness of certain language in the measure and moved that it be re-referred to committee for clarification. Motion seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, and lost by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Ferdon, Halley, McCarty, Mead—4.

Noes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso—5.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Sullivan—2.

The roll was thereupon called and the foregoing measure was passed for second reading by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso—7.

Noes: Supervisors McCarty, Mead—2.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Sullivan—2.

**Adopted as Amended.**

The following recommendation of Public Utilities Committee was taken up:

Present: Supervisors McCarty, Christopher, Sullivan.

**Authorizing City Attorney to Represent the Interests of the City and County in the Matter of the Application Made by the Western Union Telegraph Company to the State Public Utilities Commission for Increased Telegraph Rates and Other Services.**

File No. 9523, Resolution No. 12706 (Series of 1939).

**Amendment.**

Supervisor McCarty moved that the foregoing measure be amended to provide that the City Attorney keep the Board advised currently in connection with the proceedings and that he make such recommendations to the Board as he may consider necessary in the public interest. Motion seconded by Supervisor Dobbs and *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Sullivan—4.

The roll was thereupon called and the foregoing measure, as amended, was *adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Sullivan—4.

**Adopted.**

The following measure, presented by the Clerk, was taken up:

**Fixing Date of Monday, October 20, 1952, 2:00 P. M., for Hearing the Appeal from the Decision of the City Planning Commission. Approving Application to Rezone Property Located on the Southeast Corner of Franklin and Lombard Streets from Second Residential District to Commercial District.**

File No. 9548-1, Resolution No. 12709 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—7.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Sullivan—4.

**References to Finance Committee.**

The following measures, appearing on the Emergency Calendar, were taken up:

(In each of the following instances, Supervisor Dobbs moved reference to Finance Committee. Motion seconded by Supervisor McCarty, and there being no objection, motion *carried*.)

**Appropriating \$7,400, Finance and Records, Registrar of Voters, from the Emergency Reserve Fund, for Overtime and Temporary Salaries; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9572, Ordinance No. . . (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

**Appropriating \$1,400, Public Health, Laguna Honda Home, from the Emergency Reserve Fund, for Permanent Employees' Sick Leave; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9573, Ordinance No. . . (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*



**Appropriating \$6,000, Sheriff's Office, from the Emergency Reserve Fund, for Jail Stores Revolving Fund Increase from \$12,000 to \$18,000; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9578, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

**Appropriating \$2,500, Youth Guidance Center, Juvenile Hall, for the Payment of Temporary Salaries; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9582, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

### OFF-CALENDAR LEGISLATION.

The following recommendation of his Honor the Mayor was presented by the Clerk:

**Adopted.**

**Leaves of Absence—**Dr. Herbert C. Clish, Superintendent of Schools, October 15-19; Bert W. Levit, Member of Board of Education, October 11-15; Oscar Lewis, Art Commissioner, Ten Days from October 6; Dr. Ellis D. Sox, Director of Public Health, October 11-13; Thomas C. Howe, Jr., Director of the California Palace of the Legion of Honor, Six Weeks from October 23; Dr. Watt A. Long, Associate Superintendent in Charge of Instruction, October 12-13; Supervisor John J. Sullivan, October 11-17, 1952, All With Permission to Leave the State.

File No. 9220, Resolution No. 12697 Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor McCarty moved adoption; seconded by Supervisor Arnold.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Ferdon, Sullivan—3.

### ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF MEASURES AND COMMUNICATIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

**Adopted.**

**Requesting Mayor to Proclaim October 27, 1952, as "Navy Day."**

Supervisor Dobbs presented on behalf of Supervisor Ferdon:

File No. 9590, Resolution No. 12710 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Dobbs moved adoption; seconded by Supervisor McCarty.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Ferdon, Sullivan—3.

### Statement by Supervisor Lewis in Connection With Proposed Bay Area Rapid Transit Legislation.

Supervisor Lewis informed the Board that it will shortly be asked to endorse proposed legislation calling for an expenditure of between

\$750,000 and \$1,500,000 for preliminary plans for a rapid transit system for the nine bay counties. The present rapid transit commission is experiencing difficulties in the development of a rapid transit system and it is planned to ask the Legislature to change the law so that it may become an autonomous body.

Supervisor Lewis hastened to explain that Los Angeles has already taken the lead in the proceedings and is asking the state for \$250,000 beyond the amount already granted by the Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors.

**Intention to Present Legislation Prohibiting the Board of Supervisors from Telling the Electorate How They Should Vote on Ballot Measures.**

Supervisor Lewis told the Board that he intended to submit legislation shortly, prohibiting the Board of Supervisors from telling the electorate how they should vote on local, state, national and international affairs, and will ask the City Attorney for an opinion on the same.

**Reference to Committee.**

**Waiving the Statute of Limitations to Permit Certain J-66, Garagemen of the Municipal Railway, to Institute Legal Proceedings to Recover Back Pay Alleged to Be Due Them for the Period July 1, 1947, Through June 30, 1950.**

Supervisor Lewis presented:

File No. 9589, Resolution No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

**Request for City Attorney's Opinion.**

Supervisor MacPhee presented a communication from Herbst Brothers, protesting proposed expenditure of \$25,000 for the improvement of Jessie Street, east of Tenth Street, and requested that the City Attorney render a written opinion on the legality of the points raised in the letter.

*The Clerk was directed to comply.*

**Supervisor MacPhee Excused from Attendance.**

Supervisor MacPhee requested permission to absent himself from the regular Board meeting scheduled for Monday, October 20, 1952.

*No objection and permission granted.*

**Reference to Committee.**

**Amending the Police Code by Adding Thereto a New Section to Be Known as Section 1169, Subdivisions (a) to (f), Inclusive, Defining a "Charter Bus" and Prescribing Rules and Regulations in Connection Therewith.**

Supervisor Mancuso presented:

File No. 9594, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Police Committee.*

**Reference to Committee.**

**Urging Adequate Tariff Protection for the Wine Industry.**

Supervisor Mancuso presented:

File No. 9591, Resolution No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Referred to County, State and National Affairs Committee.*

**Adopted.**

Requesting His Honor, the Mayor, to Designate November 9-16, 1952, as "Jackie Week."

Supervisor Mead presented:

File No. 9592, Resolution No. 12711 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor MacPhee moved adoption; seconded by Supervisor Arnold.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead 8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Fardon, Sullivan 3.

**ADJOURNMENT.**

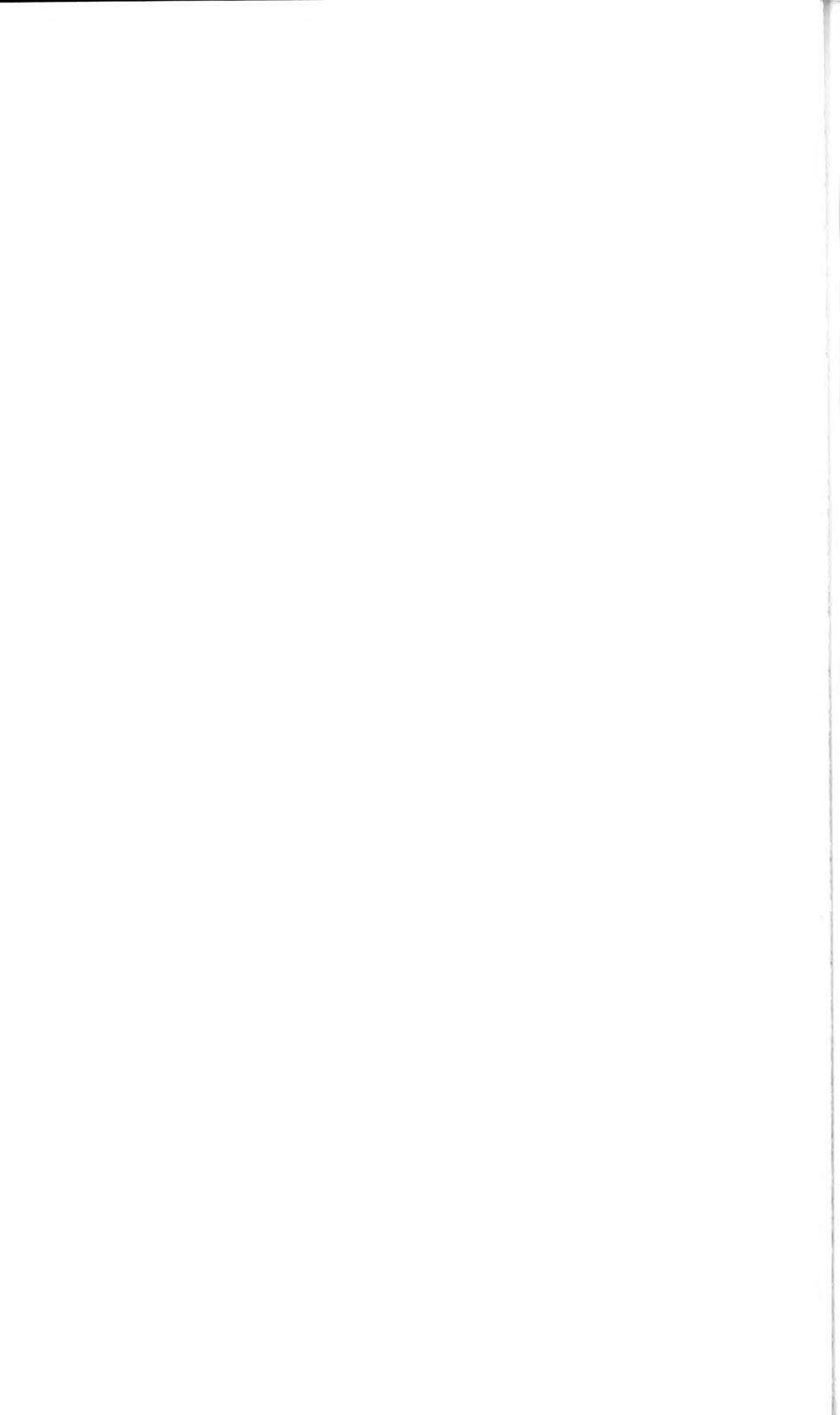
There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 4.20 p. m., adjourned.

JOHN R. McGRATH, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors October 27, 1952.

I, John R. McGrath, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the date hereon stated and approved as recited.

JOHN R. McGRATH,  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.



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# JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MONDAY, OCTOBER 20, 1952—2:00 P. M.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, October 20, 1952,  
2:00 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

## CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Halley, MacPhee—3.

Quorum present.

President Dewey Mead presiding.

Supervisor Arnold noted present at 2:45 p. m.

Supervisor Halley noted present at 2:25 p. m.

Supervisor MacPhee on authorized leave. (Granted on October 14, 1952.)

## APPROVAL OF JOURNALS.

The Journals of Proceedings for September 15-18, September 22, September 29 and October 6, 1952, were considered read and approved.

## Communications.

From the Recreation and Park Commission, supplying information requested by Supervisor Christopher as to when the program of land acquisition for McLaren Park will be completed, and when the development of the site and its utilization for park and recreational purposes will be fully consummated.

*Copy to Supervisor Christopher; ordered filed.*

Telegram from Anna M. Halpin, urging that the Mayor be given sufficient funds to cover his contemplated European trip in proper style.

*Considered in connection with calendar item, ordered filed.*

## SPECIAL ORDER—2:00 P. M.

### Consideration Temporarily Postponed.

Hearing of Appeal from the Decision of the City Planning Commission by Its Resolution No. 4093 Dated September 18, 1952, Approving Application to Rezone Property Located on the Southeast Corner of Franklin and Lombard Streets from Second Residential District to Commercial District.

File No. 9548

There being no objection, consideration of the foregoing matter was temporarily postponed pending appearance of Supervisors Arnold and Halley.

Disapproving Decision of the City Planning Commission by Its Resolution No. 4093, Approving Application to Rezone Property Located on the Southeast Corner of Franklin and Lombard Streets from Second Residential District to Commercial District.

File No. 9548-2, Resolution No. . . . (Series of 1939).  
*Consideration temporarily postponed.*

#### SPECIAL ORDER—2:00 P. M.

Reference to Real Estate Department.

Hearing of Persons Interested in or Objecting to the Proposed Vacation of Portions of Thirty-eighth, Thirty-ninth and Fortieth Avenues, and Ortega, Pacheco and Quintara Streets.

File No. 8572

(Pursuant to notice of intention given in Resolution No. 12633 (Series of 1939).)

There appearing no protestants, the foregoing measure was *referred to the Real Estate Department.*

#### SPECIAL ORDER—2:00 P. M.

Reference to Real Estate Department.

Hearing of Persons Interested in or Objecting to the Proposed Vacation of Lena Place.

File No. 8990

(Pursuant to notice of intention given in Resolution No. 12634 (Series of 1939).)

There appearing no protestants, the foregoing measure was *referred to the Real Estate Department.*

#### SPECIAL ORDER—2:00 P. M.

Reference to Real Estate Department.

Hearing of Persons Interested in or Objecting to the Proposed Vacation of the Northwesterly 75 Feet of Converse Street.

File No. 9062

(Pursuant to notice of intention given in Resolution No. 12635 (Series of 1939).)

There appearing no protestants, the foregoing measure was *referred to the Real Estate Department.*

#### UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Final Passage.

The following recommendations of Finance Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

Appropriating \$20,000, Public Works, from Unappropriated Balance of Special Road Improvement Fund, for Purchase of Property Required for the Widening of Mansell Street, East of McLaren Park.

File No. 9436, Ordinance No. 7538 (Series of 1939).  
(In conformity with Master Plan.)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Halley, MacPhee, McCarty—4.



**Appropriating \$1,488.36, Police, for Retroactive Compensation Due Employees Entitled to Credit for Previous Time Served for Purposes of Salary Increment.**

File No. 9501, Ordinance No. 7539 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Halley, MacPhee—3.

**Appropriating \$592.15, Airport, for Public Liability and Property Damage Insurance Coverage of Automotive Fleet.**

File No. 9511, Ordinance No. 7540 (Series of 1939).

(Fleet consists of 19 trucks and ten passenger cars.)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Halley, MacPhee—3.

**Appropriating \$4,251.95, Electricity, for Retroactive Compensation Due Certain Craftsmen for Overtime Accrued from July 1, 1947, Through June 30, 1950; Pursuant to Court Order.**

File No. 9512, Ordinance No. 7541 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Halley, MacPhee—3.

**Appropriating \$1,225, Public Library, as City's Share of Cost of Preparing Plans and Specifications, Construction and Inspection, for Re-roofing of the Library Annex at 45 Hyde Street.**

File No. 9513, Ordinance No. 7542 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Halley, MacPhee—3.

#### Consideration Continued.

**Appropriating \$25,000, Public Works, from the Unappropriated Balance of the Special Road Improvement Fund, for Right of Way Purchase, Construction and Contingencies in Connection With the Improvement of Jessie Street, East of Tenth Street.**

File No. 8585, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

October 14, 1952—Consideration continued to October 20, 1952.

#### Privilege of the Floor.

There being no objection, the privilege of the floor was extended to Marshall Leahy, attorney, representing the Furniture Mart. Mr. Leahy spoke in favor of the proposal to improve Jessie Street, contending that any attempt to thwart efforts to appropriate the necessary funds would tend to injure the Furniture Mart, an established San Francisco industry.

Supervisor McCarty apprized the Board of the fact that he and Supervisor Christopher had visited the site in question and had determined to their satisfaction that no right hand turn could be made into Jessie Street from the Mart's private right of way without possible injury to the Herbst Bros. property and that accordingly he would vote for the appropriation.

The privilege of the floor was next extended to Norman Eisner, attorney, representing Herbst Bros., who contended that the necessary turns into Jessie Street could be negotiated safely. However, he hastened to point out that he believed that further consideration of the pending measure should be postponed pending receipt of an opinion from the City Attorney as to the legality of certain points raised in a letter from Herbst Bros., which had been requested by Supervisor MacPhee in the meeting of the Board held on October 14, 1952.

Supervisor Christopher agreed with the views expressed by Supervisor McCarty to the effect that vehicular traffic could not consistently and safely negotiate the corner into Jessie Street.

#### **Motion to Defer Consideration.**

Supervisor Dobbs moved that consideration of the foregoing measure be continued for a period of one week. Motion seconded by Supervisor Ferdon.

#### **Motion Withdrawn.**

The foregoing measure was withdrawn to permit Supervisor McCarty to ask certain questions of Mr. Eisner.

#### **Motion to Defer Consideration Renewed.**

Supervisor Dobbs moved that the foregoing measure remain on the Board calendar for a period of one week, awaiting receipt of opinion from the City Attorney. Motion seconded by Supervisor McCarty.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Sullivan—9.

No: Supervisor Mead—1.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

*Consideration continued one week.*

**Resumption of Consideration of Zoning Appeal Relating to Property Located on Southeast Corner of Franklin and Lombard Streets, Which Had Been Rezoned from Second Residential District to Commercial District.**

#### **Privilege of the Floor.**

The privilege of the floor was extended to J. J. Seid, the appellant, who requested that the foregoing measure be continued until a full Board is in session. Supervisor Mancuso accordingly moved that consideration of the entire subject be continued until November 10, 1952, 2:00 p. m. Motion seconded by Supervisor Ferdon and carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Halley, MacPhee—2.

*Consideration continued to November 10, 1952, 2:00 p. m.*

#### **Adopted.**

The following measures, placed on the calendar by direction of the Board, were taken up:

**Making a Finding Based Upon Data Submitted by the Public Utilities Commission, as Required by Ordinance No. 7384 (Series of 1939), in Connection With the Rates, Fares and Charges of the Municipal Railway With Respect to School Tickets.**

File No. 9603-1, Resolution No. 12722 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Halley, MacPhee—2.

**Amending Resolution No. 12216 (Series of 1939) Entitled "Approving Schedule of Rates, Fares and Charges to Be Charged by the Municipal Railway" by Amending "Local Fares" to Provide a Five-Cent Charge Per Ride for School Tickets.**

File No. 9603-2, Resolution No. 12723 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

#### **Suspension of Rules.**

Supervisor Arnold moved, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, that the rules be suspended for the purpose of considering the following recommendation of Finance Committee out of order.

No objection and motion carried.

#### **Passage for Second Reading.**

*(Supervisor Christopher dissents as to the difference in amount between \$5,000 and \$3,079.40.)*

**Authorizing the Mayor and His Confidential Secretary to Attend the General Assembly of the International Union of Cities in Vienna, Austria, June 15-20, 1953, and to Make Studies in Certain Other Cities; Authorizing the Payment of Their Expenses, Not to Exceed \$5,000, and Granting the Mayor a Leave of Absence from May 20, 1953, to July 20, 1953, With Permission to Leave the United States.**

File No. 9562, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

#### **Discussion.**

Supervisor Christopher stated that passage of the pending measure would establish a harmful precedent. He stated that he wholeheartedly endorsed the plan to send the Mayor and his Secretary to Vienna in first-class style, but he was unalterably opposed to permitting him to visit the capitals of other countries under the pretext that in so doing it was in the interest of the people of the City and County of San Francisco. He stated that he took a similar trip to Europe some time back but that the funds for such an excursion came from his pockets and not from the taxpayers'. Further, it is costing the taxpayers over one thousand dollars a month to send city officials on various trips throughout the country, and that while the proposed trip by the Mayor may be legal, it certainly was not morally right.

Supervisor Ferdon stated he was principally concerned with the length of time involved and that he did not believe the Mayor should be away two months.

#### **Motion Requesting Mayor's Appearance.**

Supervisor Lewis moved, seconded by Supervisor Christopher, that the Mayor be sent for and that a statement be forthcoming from him concerning the proposed trip.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Sullivan—9

No: Supervisor Mead—1.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

#### **Statement by the Mayor.**

Upon his appearance, the Mayor informed the Board that the City and County of San Francisco had, for many years, enjoyed membership in the United States Conference of Mayors. Recently, thirty Mayors from all over Europe had come to the United States to witness the deliberations of the various municipal assemblies; many Mayors

had visited San Francisco. The Mayor stated he had received an invitation from the United States Conference to attend the conclave to be held in Vienna in 1953. The Mayor stated that his proposed visit to cities other than Vienna was to pay his respects to the Mayors of those communities, Mayors who had visited the United States and San Francisco. Upon his return, he would give a strict accounting of his expenditures as well as a report of his visits.

Supervisor Christopher again reiterated his position that he certainly had no objection to the Mayor going to Vienna for the conclave, but that he objected strenuously to the Mayor's visiting various other cities of Europe, notwithstanding the fact that invitations to visit them might have been extended to him. The Supervisor again contended that while there might be nothing legally wrong in visiting cities other than Vienna, still there was a moral question involved. If the trip were authorized as requested, it would establish a dangerous precedent and one which might result in absolute abuse. He cited a possible case where an official may be authorized to attend a convention in Chicago, and still find it convenient to, say, go to New York to witness the World's Series or to New Orleans to see the Mardi Gras at the city's expense. The Supervisor concluded his statement by asserting that he regretted having to vote against the measure because he disliked having it said that he and the Mayor disagreed over the soundness of the measure.

#### Amendment.

Supervisor Christopher thereupon moved that the two "Whereases" in the proposed measure relating to visits to other cities of Europe by the Mayor, be deleted.

At this point Supervisor Ferdon hastened to assure the Mayor that his objection to the measure was predicated purely upon his contention that he believed the Mayor should not be away from his local official duties for so long a period of time.

Here the Mayor stated that generally the months of June and July are vacation months, when things are usually quiet at the City Hall and that insofar as the two-month period was concerned, he did not know at this time the actual dates of departure and arrival but felt that the total time required for the trip would be well within the 60-day period.

#### Amendment.

Supervisor Christopher renewed his previous motion that the two "Whereases" in the measure be deleted, as well as other language in Section 1, dealing with the Mayor's proposed visit to cities other than Vienna. The Supervisor contended that if the Mayor desired to visit the other cities outlined in the measure, he should do so at his own expense. Motion seconded by Supervisor Ferdon.

#### Objections.

Supervisor McCarty objected to the foregoing amendment, stating that it would be a travesty to tell our Mayor that he could not visit the various cities in Europe mentioned in the measure, because San Francisco did not see fit to authorize the necessary funds.

Supervisor Dobbs stated that he was voting in favor of the amendment because he believed in sending the Mayor to Vienna only, and he could not see where any official business could possibly be transacted in the other cities which the Mayor asked authority to

visit. Supervisor Mancuso stated he would vote for the amendment, contending that the expense of any trip other than the one to Vienna should be borne by the Mayor, and cited an instance where he had attended a convention back east at the taxpayers' expense, and had then continued his trip to include other cities at his own expense.

Supervisor Arnold contended that it would be a disgrace to the city to pass the amendment as proposed.

**Amendment Lost.**

The roll was thereupon called on the amendment and it lost by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Mancuso—4.

Noes: Supervisors Arnold, Halley, Lewis, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—6.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

The roll was thereupon called on the pending measure and it was passed for second reading by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Noes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon—3.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

**NEW BUSINESS.****Adopted.**

The following recommendations of Finance Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

**Authorizing Extension of Grants of Emergency Relief to Dependent Non-Residents for October and November; List Dated October 20, 1952.**

File No. 9225, Resolution No. 12713 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Halley, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Authorizing Conveyance of Quitclaim Deed to Albert Leslie Ray et ux., and Acceptance of \$250, for Relinquishment of Abandoned Water Pipe Line Easement Through Certain Property in Assessor's Block 7164.**

File No. 9535, Resolution No. 12715 (Series of 1939).

(Lots 34 and 35, Block 7164, located on northeast side of Wilson Street, southeast of Rhine Street. Formerly used by Water Department but pipes have been relayed to adjoining street and this easement is no longer necessary.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Halley, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Authorizing Purchase of Certain Real Property from Mutual Life Insurance Company and Sears Roebuck and Company for \$200, Required for the Widening of Army Street.**

File No. 9541, Resolution No. 12716 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with the Master Plan. Located at intersection of southerly line of Army Street, with easterly line of Valencia Street. Size: 12.614 feet by 19.448 feet by 12.614 feet. Irregular.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee—4.

**Authorizing Cancellation of Taxes on City-Owned Property.**

File No. 9563, Resolution No. 12717 (Series of 1939).

(Lots 10, 23, 25, 27, 28, 30, Block 258.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee—4.

**Authorizing Purchase of a Sub-Surface Easement from Juanita M. Howell for \$25, Required for the Southeast Collecting Sewers.**

File No. 9567, Resolution No. 12718 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Triangular piece of land, near northeast corner of Lot 5, Block 4625-A. Size: 17.215 feet by 17.128 feet by 24.284 feet. Located on easterly side of Keith Street, south of Fairfax Avenue.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee—4.

**Waiving Residential Requirements for Position of N-64, Dairy Inspector, Department of Public Health.**

File No. 9568, Resolution No. 12719 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Halley, MacPhee—3.

**Authorizing Conveyance of Roadway Easement to Walter G. Lindsay et ux., Across Part of Hetch Hetchy Aqueduct Right of Way in Alameda County, Required for Access to Public Highway Near Irvington.**

File No. 9577, Resolution No. 12720 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Halley, MacPhee—3.

**Authorizing Acceptance by the San Francisco Disaster Council and Corps of Certain Medical, Rescue and First Aid Equipment from the State of California.**

File No. 9581, Resolution No. 12721 (Series of 1939).

(Title to remain with State.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Halley, MacPhee—2.

**Consideration Continued One Week.****Appropriating \$6,750, Recreation and Park, for Purchase, Assembly and Installation Costs of Three Fishing Floats to Be Welded into One Large Float, Required for the Lake Merced Juvenile Fishing Program.**

File No. 9517, Ordinance No. . . . . (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Defer Consideration.**

Supervisor Ferdon moved that consideration of the foregoing measure be continued for one week to permit the obtaining of information regarding lifeguard facilities for the float. Motion seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, and there being no objection, motion *carried*.

**Passage for Second Reading.**

Appropriating \$5,265.33, Public Works, to Provide Funds for Extra Work in Excess of 10 Per Cent of Amount of Contract With Charles L. Harney, in Connection With the Construction of the Golden Gate Park Crossover on State Highway Route No. 56.

File No. 9521, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9

Absent: Supervisors Halley, MacPhee—2.

Appropriating \$3,384.69, Public Welfare, for Payment of Educational Leave Stipends to Two Employees in Accordance With Provisions of Ordinance No. 7378 (Series of 1939).

File No. 9522, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939)

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Halley, MacPhee—2.

Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance by Adding Thereto Section 1.32.2, by Providing That Occupants of Positions Enumerated in Said Annual Salary Ordinance, Whose Compensations Are Subject to the Provisions of Section 151.3 of the Charter, Shall Be Entitled to Compensations Fixed Therein and to the Working Conditions Outlined in the Salary Standardization Ordinance for Their Respective Classifications.

File No. 9524, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939)

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Halley, MacPhee—2.

Appropriating \$6,000, Chief Administrative Officer, for Purchase of Materials for the Elimination of Rough Fish and Restocking of Lake Merced With Trout.

File No. 9542, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9

Absent: Supervisors Halley, MacPhee—2.

Amending Various Sections of the Annual Salary Ordinance, Affecting the Police and Fire Departments, by Adjusting the Compensation Schedules Effective as of July 1, 1952, to Provide Rates of Compensation for Classes Subject to the Provisions of Sections 35.5.1 and 36.2 of the Charter, and Adding Sections 11.4 and 12.7 Thereto, Providing for Method of Payment.

File No. 9545, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939)

(Amends Sections 11, 11.1 and 11.2, Police Department, and Sections 12.1, 12.2, 12.3, 12.4 and 12.5, Fire Department.)

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Halley, MacPhee—2.

Appropriating \$21,491.51, Municipal Railway, for Payment of Retroactive Compensation Covering Premium Pay and Unworked Holidays to J66-Garagemen, and for Payment of Overtime Required to Prepare Time Rolls Covering Retroactive Compensation, Pursuant to Court Order.

File No. 9546, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Halley, MacPhee—2.

Appropriating \$960.70, Public Health, for Retroactive Wage and Retirement Adjustments for Employees of the Laguna Honda Home and the San Francisco Hospital, Pursuant to Court Order.

File No. 9547, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Halley, MacPhee—2.

Appropriating \$960, Public Health, Bureau of Child Hygiene, for Temporary Salaries.

File No. 9569, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Halley, MacPhee—2.

Amending Ordinance No. 2185 (Series of 1939), Establishing the Sheriff's Revolving and Change Funds, by Authorizing Increase in the Sheriff's Revolving Fund from \$100 to an Amount Not Exceeding \$300.

File No. 9570, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Halley, MacPhee—2.

Appropriating \$200, Sheriff, to Increase the Sheriff's Revolving Fund from \$100 to \$300.

File No. 9571, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Halley, MacPhee—2.

Appropriating \$2,252.29, Purchasing, for Payment of Premium Pay and Unworked Holidays for Six Garagemen for the Fiscal Years 1947-48, 1948-49 and 1949-50, Pursuant to Court Order.

File No. 9576, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Halley, MacPhee—2.



Authorizing Attendance of a Member of the Court Enforcement Committee of the President's Highway Safety Council at Sessions of the President's Highway Safety Conference to Be Held in Chicago, October 17-18, 1952.

File No. 9595, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Halley, MacPhee—2.

### Final Passage.

Appropriating \$300, Fire Department, for Overtime Allowance; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9485, Ordinance No. 7537 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Halley, MacPhee—2.

Appropriating \$7,400, Registrar of Voters, for Overtime and Temporary Salaries; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9572, Ordinance No. 7543 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Halley, MacPhee—2.

Appropriating \$1,400, Laguna Honda Home, for Replacement of Employees on Sick Leave With Pay; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9573, Ordinance No. 7544 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Halley, MacPhee—2.

Appropriating \$6,000, Sheriff, to Increase Jail Stores Revolving Fund from \$12,000 to \$18,000, Required to Maintain Adequate Inventories of Merchandise; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9578, Ordinance No. 7545 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Halley, MacPhee—2.

Appropriating \$2,500, Youth Guidance Center, Juvenile Hall, from the Emergency Reserve Fund, for Temporary Salaries; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9582, Ordinance No. 7546 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Halley, MacPhee—2.

**Adopted.**

The following measure, presented by the Clerk, was taken up:

**Fixing Date of October 27, 1952, 2:00 P. M., for Hearing of Appeal from the Decision of the City Planning Commission, Disapproving Application to Rezone Property Located on the West Line of Stanyan Street, South of the South Line of Parnassus Avenue, from First Residential District to Second Residential District.**

File No. 9533-1, Resolution No. 12714 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Halley, MacPhee—2.

**Reference to Finance Committee.**

The following emergency calendar measures were taken up:

(In each of the following three instances, Supervisor Mancuso moved, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, that the subject measure be referred to the Finance Committee. No objection and motion *carried*.)

**Appropriating \$520, Public Health, Laguna Honda Home, from the Emergency Reserve Fund, to Provide a 48-Hour Work Schedule for One I120 Senior Orderly; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9608-1, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 1.24, Public Health, Laguna Honda Home—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9608-2, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

**Appropriating \$2,000, Fire Department, from the Surplus Existing in the Emergency Reserve Fund, for Purchase of Stationery, Printing and Office Supplies; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9614, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

**OFF-CALENDAR LEGISLATION.**

The following recommendation of his Honor the Mayor was taken up:

**Adopted.**

**Leaves of Absence—Harold L. Zellerbach, President of the Art Commission, October 21-22; November 16-19; Mrs. Sigmund Stern, Recreation and Park Commissioner, for One Month from October 31, 1952, Both With Permission to Leave the State.**

File No. 9220, Resolution No. 12712 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Arnold moved adoption; seconded by Supervisor McCarty.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Halley, MacPhee—2.

**ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF MEASURES AND COMMUNICATIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.**

Reference to Committee.

**Leave of Absence**—Thomas C. Howe, Jr., Director of the Palace of the Legion of Honor, for Approximately Seven Weeks from October 23, to Make a Trip East and to Europe in the Interest of the Museum, and Providing that the Expenses of Such a Trip Shall Not Exceed the Sum of \$1,800.

Supervisor Arnold presented:

File No. 9220, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

References to Committees.

**Declaring It to Be the Policy of the Board Not to Favor or Oppose, Nor to Urge Public Support for or Against Any Candidate or Measure upon Any Ballot.**

Supervisor Lewis presented:

File No. 9620, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Rules Committee.*

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance to Reflect Cost of Living Adjustments Authorized Under the Provisions of Ordinance No. 7414 (Series of 1939), Passed Pursuant to the Provisions of Section 151.3 of the Charter, Effective August 1, 1952.**

Supervisor Arnold presented:

File No. 9621, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

**Request for City Attorney's Opinion.**

Supervisor Mancuso requested that the Clerk obtain a written opinion from the City Attorney as to whether the adoption of the measure heretofore introduced by Supervisor Lewis regarding abstention by the Board from favoring, opposing or urging the public to vote for a certain candidate or ballot measure, is within the province of the Board.

*The Clerk was directed to reply.*

**ADJOURNMENT.**

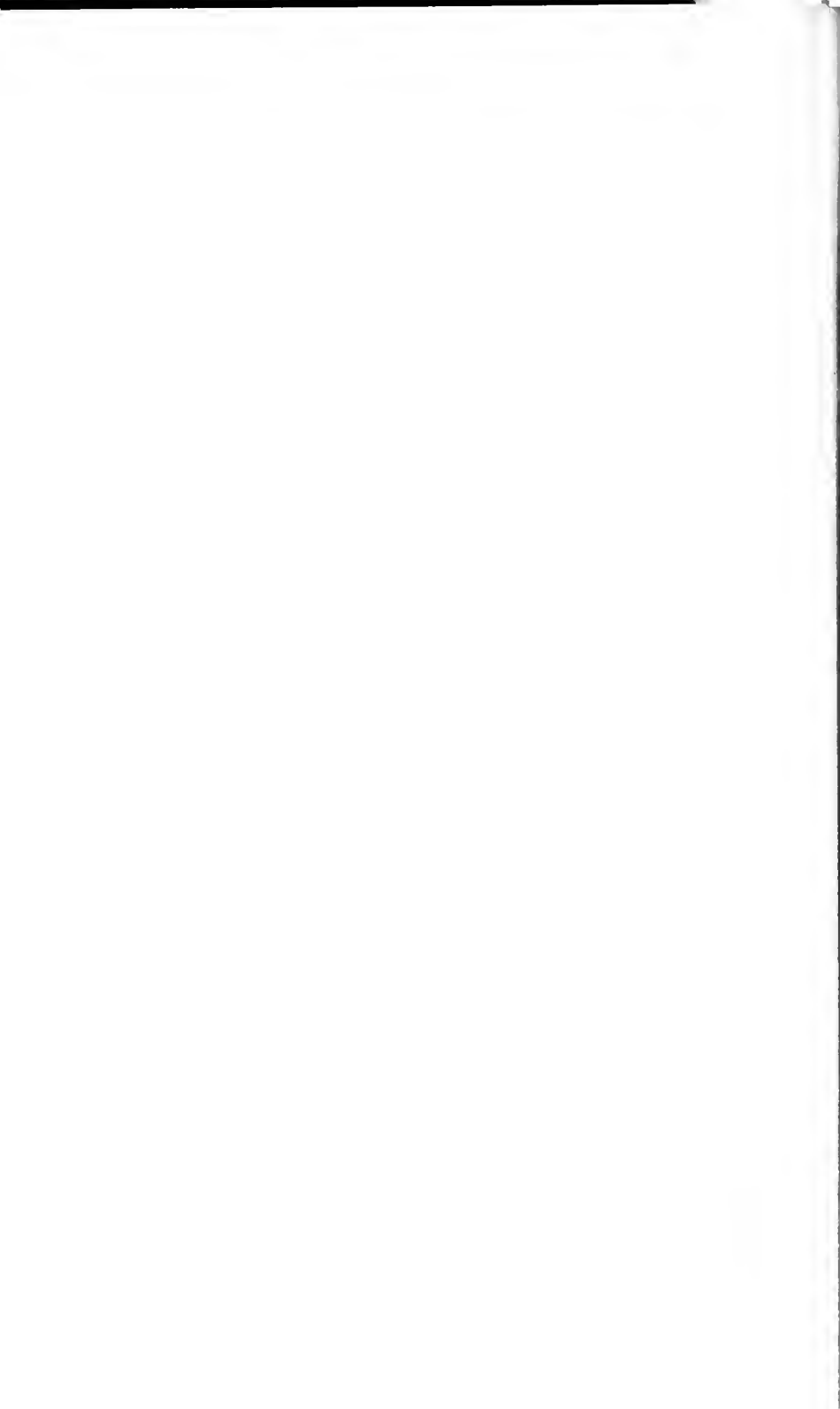
There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 5:05 p. m., adjourned.

JOHN R. McGRATH, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors November 3, 1952.

I, John R. McGrath, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the date hereon stated and approved as recited.

JOHN R. McGRATH,  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.



Monday, October 27, 1952

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# JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MONDAY, OCTOBER 27, 1952—2:00 P. M.

In meeting of Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, October 27, 1952, 2:00 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

## CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

Quorum present.

President Dewey Mead presiding.

Supervisor Lewis noted present at 2:20 p. m.

## APPROVAL OF JOURNAL.

The Journal of Proceedings for Tuesday, October 14, 1952, was considered read and approved.

## Communications.

From the San Francisco Real Estate Board, Cartwright Hotel, Instant Beverages, Inc., Planters Nut and Chocolate Company, Utility Trailer Sales Company, Guittard Chocolate Company, protesting passage of billboard ordinance sponsored by Supervisor Mancuso.

*Considered in connection with calendar item No. 2; re-referred to Committee on Streets and Public Buildings, Lands and City Planning.*

From Women's Architectural League (telegram), Great Highway Club, Association of Landscape Architects, the American Institute of Architects, and comment from the minutes of the California Conservation Council Conference held in Santa Barbara on October 16-18, going on record as being opposed to any and all billboards.

*Considered in connection with calendar item No. 2; re-referred to Committee on Streets and Public Buildings, Lands and City Planning.*

From United Association of Journeymen and Apprentices of the Plumbing and Pipe Fitting Industry, addressed to Supervisor Mead, requesting that Board reconsider its previous action in passing measure authorizing the Sheriff to require county prisoners to perform labor on public works or ways for reduction of sentence and that a proper committee be appointed to further investigate the matter.

*Considered in connection with calendar item No. 11; made a special order of business for Monday, November 3, 2:00 p. m.*

From Herbst Brothers, addressed to Supervisor Mead, outlining facts in connection with pending measure appropriating \$25,000 for the improvement of Jessie Street, east of Tenth Street.

*Considered in connection with calendar item No. 3; measure passed for second reading.*

From Superintendent of Schools, copy of letter addressed to Supervisor Dobbs, transmitting information relative to the urgency of passage of State Proposition No. 2 on the November 4th ballot, relating to increased state public school support.

*Measure presented by Supervisor Dobbs under Roll Call and referred to the County, State and National Affairs Committee.*

From the Recreation and Park Department, presented by Supervisor Christopher, dealing with the subject of total land acquisition required for McLaren Park and the time required for complete development of the area for park and recreational purposes.

*Referred to Education, Parks and Recreation Committee, along with certain questions asked by Supervisor Christopher.*

From San Francisco Labor Council, opposing enactment of measure authorizing Sheriff to require prisoners to perform labor on public works or ways and recommending that committee be appointed to investigate the matter.

*Considered in connection with calendar item: made special order of business for November 3, 1952, 2:00 p. m*

From William J. Varley, advising that press of business will not permit him to again become a candidate for director of the Golden Gate Bridge and Highway District.

*Referred to Rules Committee.*

From the City Attorney, report on hearing held before the State Public Utilities Commission in connection with request of the Western Union Telegraph Company for increased rates.

*Copy to each member of Board: filed.*

## SPECIAL ORDER—2:00 P. M.

### City Planning Commission Sustained.

Hearing of Appeal from the Decision of the City Planning Commission by Its Resolution No. 4087, Dated September 4, 1952, Disapproving Application to Rezone Property Located on the West Line of Stanyan Street, South of the South Line of Parnassus Avenue, from First Residential District to Second Residential District.

File No. 9533

### Discussion.

The privilege of the floor was first extended to J. L. Dyer, the appellant. Mr. Dyer attempted to illustrate by the use of a blackboard, where, by permitting him to have certain lots rezoned from First Residential District to Second Residential District, such an act would result in the construction of beautiful multiple family dwellings, similar to those already located in the area. He brought to the Board's attention the fact that of all the property involved in the area under discussion, less than one-fourth is zoned First Residential, the remainder being Second Residential.

Mr. Dyer concluded his statement by saying that his proposal to construct would eliminate the eye-sore of vacant lots and enhance the beauty of the neighborhood.

### Position of City Planning Commission.

The privilege of the floor was extended to Paul Oppermann, Director of Planning, who stated that the Commission by a unanimous vote at its regular meeting on September 4, disapproved the application on the following grounds:

1. Seventy-five per cent of Second Residential District north of the subject parcel is either vacant or is used for one-family dwellings;



2. One hundred per cent of First Residential District south of subject parcel is for one-family purposes; 3. Within the subject area itself, 65 per cent is used for one-family purposes, the remainder is vacant. In view of the foregoing land use and the further fact that the opposition was present and the appellant was not, the application was disapproved.

#### Other Speakers.

The privilege of the floor was also granted to Attorney Jesse Feldman and Dr. Malcolm Ross, both of whom spoke against the appeal. Mr. Victor Rider likewise spoke but stated that he neither supported nor defended the action of the City Planning Commission.

Both sides were given time for rebuttal.

#### Question Put.

At the conclusion of the rebuttal the President posed the pending question as follows:

A vote "Aye" overrides the decision of the City Planning Commission and grants the appeal. A vote "No" supports the City Planning Commission and denies the appeal.

#### Refused Adoption.

The Clerk thereupon read the following measure for the Board's consideration:

Disapproving Decision of the City Planning Commission by Its Resolution No. 4087, Dated September 4, 1952, Denying Application to Rezone Property Located on the West Line of Stanyan Street, South of the South Line of Parnassus Avenue, from First Residential District to Second Residential District.

File No. 9533-2, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

*Refused adoption by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Mancuso—2.

Noes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

*City Planning Commission Sustained.*

#### UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

##### Consideration Temporarily Postponed.

The following recommendations of Finance Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

Appropriating \$25,000, Public Works, from the Unappropriated Balance of the Special Road Improvement Fund, for Right of Way Purchase, Construction and Contingencies in Connection With the Improvement of Jessie Street, East of Tenth Street.

File No. 8585, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

October 20, 1952—Consideration continued to October 27, 1952.

##### Request for City Attorney's Opinion.

The Clerk informed the Board that the City Attorney had rendered an opinion based on questions asked by Supervisor MacPhee on statements made by Herbst Brothers.

Supervisor Arnold moved temporarily postponement, to permit him to study the opinion.

No objection and consideration *temporarily postponed*.

Passage for Second Reading.

Appropriating \$6,750, Recreation and Park, for Purchase, Assembly and Installation Costs of Three Fishing Floats to Be Welded into One Large Float, Required for the Lake Merced Juvenile Fishing Program.

File No. 9517, Ordinance No. . (Series of 1939).

October 20, 1952—Consideration continued to October 27, 1952.

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Lewis—2.

Final Passage.

The following recommendations of Streets Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Ferdon, Halley, Sullivan.

Establishing Grades on Boutwell Street Between Islais Creek Channel and Helena Street.

File No. 9496, Ordinance No. 7547 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Lewis—2.

Accepting the Roadways and Curbs of Harkness Avenue Between Alder and Rutland Streets, Including the Intersections of Harkness Avenue at Alder, Rutland and Bishop Streets; Harkness Avenue Between Rutland and Sparta Streets; and Goettingen Street Between Mansell Street and 310 Feet Southerly Therefrom.

File No. 9499, Ordinance No. 7549 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Lewis—2.

Accepting the Roadways and Curbs of Ordway Street Between Brussels and Goettingen Streets, and Dartmouth Street Between Olmstead and Mansell Streets.

File No. 9505, Ordinance No. 7548 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Lewis—2.

Ordering the Improvement of Crescent Avenue Between Prentiss Street and 42.6 Feet East of Nevada Street; Nevada Street, from Crescent Avenue North to Existing Pavement; the Intersection of Crescent Avenue and Nevada Street; Extending City Aid in Approximate Amount of \$1,500; and Providing for Work in Front of City Property in Amount of \$2,400.

File No. 9525, Ordinance No. 7550 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Lewis—2.

Ordering the Improvement of Portions of Cambridge Street Between Silliman and Felton Streets, and Felton Street Between Oxford and Cambridge Streets; and Extending City Aid in Approximate Amount of \$3,400.

File No. 9526, Ordinance No. 7551 (Series of 1939).

Finally Passed by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Lewis—2.

Ordering the Improvement of Portions of Moreland Street Between Diamond and Farnum Streets, and the Intersection of Moreland and Farnum Streets; and Extending City Aid in Approximate Amount of \$2,200.

File No. 9540, Ordinance No. 7552 (Series of 1939).

Finally Passed by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Lewis—2.

#### Re-reference to Committee.

The following recommendation of Judiciary Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon.

Authorizing Sheriff to Require County Jail Prisoners to Perform Labor on Public Works or Ways, and Authorizing Deductions from Terms of Sentence.

File No. 9239, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

#### Motion to Re-refer.

Supervisor McCarty moved, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, that the foregoing measure be re-referred to committee.

No objection and motion carried.

(See later action for rescission and setting of Special Order.)

#### SPECIAL ORDER—3:00 P. M.

#### Re-reference to Committee.

The following recommendation of the Joint Streets and Public Buildings, Lands and City Planning Committee, heretofore considered, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Ferdon, Dobbs, Mancuso, McMurray, Sullivan.

(Supervisors McMurray and Sullivan dissenting.)

An Ordinance Regulating Advertising Structures or Signs Adjacent to Freeways, and Providing for the Incorporation of the Provisions Thereof into the Municipal Code.

File No. 8252-3, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

September 29, 1952—Consideration continued for four weeks.

#### Discussion.

Supervisor Mancuso stated that he had been in receipt of many telephone calls requesting that the pending measure be re-referred to committee for further consideration and possible compromise.

### Motion to Re-refer.

Thereupon, Supervisor Mancuso moved, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, that the subject measure be re-referred to committee.

### Statements.

Supervisor Christopher objected to the proposal to re-refer the measure to committee, asserting that it had been under consideration for a long period of time and that it should be disposed of at the earliest possible moment.

Supervisor Mancuso suggested that the committee meet at an early date on the matter.

Supervisor Ferdon, Chairman of the joint committee, stated that his committee was ready to meet at any time, and that it was merely awaiting a concrete proposal from both sides to the controversy.

### Verbal Opinion of City Attorney.

In reply to a query as to whether the measure, if changed substantially, must go to the City Planning Commission for report and recommendation, Mr. Thomas Blanchard, Deputy City Attorney, warned that if the measure is changed drastically it must be referred to the City Planning Commission. If the Commission approves the measure, it can then be passed by the Board by a simple majority; if disapproved, it requires eight votes to pass.

President Dewey Mead stated he would not vote for re-reference, contending that the measure had been under consideration for many months and should be disposed of.

Supervisor McCarty stated he, also, would vote against re-reference, but suggested that consideration be continued for a period of two weeks and that attorneys representing both sides get together and bring in compromise legislation at that time.

### Amendment.

Supervisor Dobbs moved, as an amendment, seconded by Supervisor Christopher, that the measure be referred to the City Planning Commission for report and recommendation.

Motion lost by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley—4.

Noes: Supervisors Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—7.

### Original Motion Lost.

The roll was thereupon called on the original motion to re-refer the measure to committee and it lost by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso—5.

Noes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—6.

### Motion to Defer Consideration.

Supervisor McCarty moved, seconded by Supervisor Lewis, that consideration of the pending measure be continued for a period of two weeks and that interested counsel be requested to adjust their differences and bring in a compromise measure for the Board's consideration.

### Amendment.

Supervisor McCarty, at this point, amended his original motion to read one week. Motion seconded by Supervisor Ferdon.

### Substitute Motion—No Second.

Supervisor Mancuso moved, as a substitute, that the measure go over for a period of three weeks.

Motion lost for want of a second.

**Statement by Supervisor Mancuso.**

Supervisor Mancuso: It would appear to me that since many people are interested in this matter, the Board should do everything in its power to give everyone a chance to be heard in committee, and to arrived at constructive legislation, legislation that would be agreeable at least to a majority of the people.

**Motion by Supervisor Halley.**

Supervisor Halley moved, as a substitute, that the Board recess until Thursday afternoon at 4 p. m., at which time definite action would be taken on the matter.

Motion lost for want of a second.

**Substitute Motion—Carried.**

Supervisor Mancuso again moved, as a substitute, that the measure be re-referred to committee instead of remaining on the calendar, so that the interested parties may be afforded the opportunity of arriving at a satisfactory solution. Motion seconded by Supervisor Ferdon.

**Change of Vote.**

Supervisor Dobbs stated he would vote for the motion because he felt that a mere postponement from week to week in the Board would not result in a compromise measure.

**Motion to Re-refer Carried.**

The roll was thereupon called and the foregoing measure was *re-referred to the Joint Committee on Streets, and Public Buildings, Lands and City Planning Committee*, by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso—6.

Noes: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—5.

**NEW BUSINESS.****Adopted.**

The following recommendations of Finance Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

**Authorizing Release of Lien Recorded by the Public Welfare Department for Aid Extended to Abel J. Chabasseur.**

File No. 9223, Resolution No. 12726 (Series of 1939).

(Full amount of \$76.12 paid. Lot 55, Block 4094.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Halley, MacPhee—3.

**Approving Supplemental Recommendation, Public Welfare Department, Relative to Categorical Aids; Letter Dated October 21, 1952.**

File No. 9224, Resolution No. 12727 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Halley, MacPhee—3.

**Authorizing Extension of Grants of Emergency Relief to Dependent Non-Residents for October and November; List Dated October 27, 1952.**

File No. 9225, Resolution No. 12728 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Halley, MacPhee—3.

**Authorizing Extension of Grants of Emergency Relief to Dependent Non-Residents for November and December; List Dated October 27, 1952.**

File No. 9225, Resolution No. 12729 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Halley, MacPhee—3.

**Authorizing Cancellation of Erroneous and Illegal Personal Property Assessments for the Year 1952.**

File No. 9226, Resolution No. 12730 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Halley, MacPhee—3.

**Authorizing Cancellation of Erroneous and Duplicate Personal Property Assessments for the Year 1952.**

File No. 9226, Resolution No. 12731 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Halley, MacPhee—3.

**Authorizing Correction of Clerical Errors in 1952-53 Assessment Roll.**

File No. 9227, Resolution No. 12732 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Halley, MacPhee—3.

**Authorizing Refund of Duplicate and Erroneous Payments of Taxes for the Fiscal Years 1951-52 and 1952-53.**

File No. 9230, Resolution No. 12733 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Halley, MacPhee—3.

**Fixing Date of November 3, 1952, for Hearing of Objections to Correction of Clerical Errors in 1952-53 Assessment Roll Which Will Increase Amount of Taxes Payable.**

File No. 9588-I, Resolution No. 12735 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, MacPhee—2.

**Approving Second Amendatory Contract Amending Contract for an Advance of Funds Between the Redevelopment Agency and the Housing and Home Finance Agency of the United States, for Planning and Surveying of Local Slum Clearance and Urban Redevelopment Projects, Excluding Diamond Heights Project Area B-1.**

File No. 9612, Resolution No. 12736 (Series of 1939).

(Increases original request for funds in amount of \$245,505.82 to \$297,763.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, MacPhee—2.

**Approving Requisition No. 9, and Certificate of Purposes, Submitted by the Redevelopment Agency to the Housing and Home Finance Agency, to Cover Advance Funds of \$52,257.18 for the Period October 1 to and Including December 31, 1952.**

File No. 9613, Resolution No. 12737 (Series of 1939).

(Pursuant to provisions of Contract for Advance (UR Calif. A-1) as amended.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, MacPhee—2.

**Authorizing Attendance of Public Welfare Department Representative at Meeting of the Committee on Services to Children of the American Public Welfare Associations to Be Held in Chicago, October 30, 31 and November 1, 1952.**

File No. 9628, Resolution No. 12738 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, MacPhee—2.

**Passage for Second Reading.**

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Board of Education, Non-Certificated Employees, Section 83.4, by Adding One Position of Library Page, Part-Time, "as Needed," at \$1.00 Per Hour.**

File No. 9549, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, MacPhee—2.

**Authorizing Compromise and Settlement of Claim of Francis M. Ormsby Against the City and County by the Payment of \$750.**

File No. 9587, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Personal injuries suffered as result of being struck by police car.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, MacPhee—2.

**Appropriating \$200,000, Public Works, from Unappropriated Balance of Special Road Improvement Fund, for Street Work Outside of Track Area.**

File No. 9604, Ordinance No. .... (Series of 1939).

(Folsom Street, from Tenth Street to Precita Avenue; Precita Avenue, from Folsom Street to Army Street; Twenty-sixth Street, from Mission Street to Bryant Street .....	\$ 40,000
Union Street, from Baker Street to Steiner Street; Baker Street, from Greenwich Street to Union Street; Steiner Street, from Greenwich Street to Union Street; Greenwich Street, from Lyon Street to Van Ness Avenue .....	110,000
Clement Street, from Second Avenue to Eighth Avenue; Eighth Avenue, from Clement Street to Fulton Street .....	50,000)

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, MacPhee—2.

**Appropriating \$1,780, San Francisco Hospital, for Creation of Position of Counter Attendant; Abolishing One Position of Waitress.**

File No. 9605-1, Ordinance No. .... (Series of 1939).

(Counter Attendant .....	\$9.95 per day
Waitress .....	\$205-235 per month)

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Sections 58(a) and 60(c), San Francisco Hospital—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 9605-2, Ordinance No. .... (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

**Appropriating \$5,200, Coroner, for Creation of Position of Coroner; Abolishing Position of Coroner, Part-Time.**

File No. 9606-1, Ordinance No. .... (Series of 1939).

(Coroner, \$650-750 per month.)

**Discussion.**

Replying to an inquiry, the Chief Administrative Officer stated that agitation had been rampant for quite some time to have the position placed on a full-time basis but that he did not personally feel that the position should be a full-time one.

Supervisor Ferdon expressed the opinion that the Board should vote against the measure as it has not been shown that a full-time position was necessary.

The roll was thereupon called and the foregoing measure was *passed for second reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Noes: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis—3.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.



Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 63, Coroner—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.

File No. 9606-2, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Noes: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis—3.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

Appropriating \$1,955, San Francisco Hospital, for Creation of Position of Telephone Operator; Abolishing Position of General Clerk.

File No. 9607-1, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(Telephone Operator . . . . .	\$230-280
General Clerk . . . . .	240-300)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Sections 58 and 58.1, San Francisco Hospital—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.

File No. 9607-2, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

Amending Various Sections of the Annual Salary Ordinance to Reflect Cost-of-Living Adjustments for Metal Trades Employees, Pursuant to Ordinance No. 7414 (Series of 1939), Effective August 1, 1952.

File No. 9621, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

#### Final Passage.

Appropriating \$520, Laguna Honda Home, from the Emergency Reserve Fund, to Place One Orderly on a 48-Hour Week; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9608-1, Ordinance No. 7553 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Sullivan—9.

No: Supervisor Mead—1.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 1.24, Laguna Honda Home—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9608-2, Ordinance No. 7554 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Sullivan—9.

No: Supervisor Mead—1.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

Appropriating \$2,000, Fire Department, from the Emergency Reserve Fund, for Stationery, Printing and Office Supplies; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9614, Ordinance No. 7555 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

#### Reference to Committee.

The following emergency measures, appearing on the supplemental calendar, were taken up:

(In each instance, Supervisor Arnold moved reference to Finance Committee. Motion seconded by Supervisor McCarty, and there being no objection, motion *carried*.)

Appropriating \$1,650, Public Works, Bureau of Engineering, from the Emergency Reserve Fund, for Wages, Employees of the Sewage Treatment Plant; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9624, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

Appropriating \$2,500, Civil Service Commission, from the Emergency Reserve Fund, for Salary Survey, 1953-54; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9625, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

Appropriating \$5,140, Public Works, from the Emergency Reserve Fund, for Wages, Bureau of Engineering—Sewers and Waste Treatment Plants; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9653, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

#### Rescission of Board Action.

Supervisor Lewis moved, seconded by Supervisor MacPhee, that the Board rescind its action whereby File No. 9239, relating to authority of Sheriff to require county jail prisoners to perform labor on public works or ways, and authorizing deductions from terms of sentence, was re-referred to the Judiciary Committee.

*Motion carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—10.

Absent: Supervisor Sullivan—1.

#### Motion for Immediate Consideration.

Supervisor Lewis moved immediate consideration. Motion seconded by Supervisor MacPhee, and there being no objection, motion *carried*.

#### Discussion.

The privilege of the floor was extended to Sheriff Dan Gallagher, who informed the Board that he was under the impression an understanding had been reached with representatives of the Building Trades Council. The Sheriff emphasized the fact that unless a reward such as reductions in terms of sentence were offered, the work would not be performed.

The privilege of the floor was next extended to Justice Peters of the District Courts of Appeal, who pleaded for the measure. He asserted that such a plan as is proposed for the city and county is already in effect in many counties. The Sheriff is attempting to re-

habilitate these men, he said, by providing jobs so that when they are released, they can again take their rightful places in society.

#### Motion Fixing Special Order.

Supervisor MacPhee moved that consideration of the pending measure be continued for one week and be made a Special Order of Business for Monday, November 3, 1952, at 2.00 p. m. Motion seconded by Supervisor Dobbs and carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—11.

#### Resumption of Consideration of File No. 8585. Relating to an Appropriation of \$25,000 for the Improvement of Jessie Street, East of Tenth Street.

Supervisor Arnold stated that he had read the City Attorney's opinion rendered in connection with questions asked by Supervisor MacPhee based on statements made by Herbst Brothers in that the City Attorney had ruled that the taking of the triangular 8-foot by 8-foot piece of property located on Jessie Street and the Furniture Mart's right of way, would not constitute the taking of private property for public use, and suggested the deletion of any such reference to the property from the ordinance.

The Controller, Harry Ross, told the Board that there was no question in his mind as to the legality of the appropriation in its present form.

#### Privilege of the Floor.

The privilege of the floor was extended to Norman Eisner, attorney, representing Herbst Brothers, who again tried to impress the Board with the fact that the acquisition of the triangular 8-foot by 8-foot piece of his client's property was not necessary for the safe conduct of the Furniture Mart's trucks.

#### Motion to Delete Reference to Private Property.

Supervisor Dobbs moved, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, that no part of the funds be used for the acquisition of the triangular 8-foot by 8-foot piece of property at the corner of Jessie Street where it intersects the entrance into the Furniture Mart's private right of way.

Motion lost by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis—3.

Noes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

#### Passage for Second Reading.

The roll was thereupon called and the foregoing measure was passed for second reading by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

No: Supervisor Dobbs—1.

#### OFF-CALENDAR LEGISLATION.

The following recommendation of his Honor the Mayor was presented by the Clerk:

Adopted.

Leaves of Absence—Dan Hewitt, Member of the Board of Trustees of the War Memorial, November 8-December 31; Supervisor George J. Christopher, November 2-15; Donald C. Townsend, Chief, Department of Electricity, November 10-21, 1952, All With Permission to Leave the State.

File No. 9220, Resolution No. 12724 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Arnold moved adoption; seconded by Supervisor McCarty.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor MacPhee—1.

**Adopted.**

Approving Appointment of David Thomson as a Member of the Parking Authority.

The Clerk presented:

File No. 9656, Resolution No. 12739 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Mancuso moved adoption; seconded by Supervisor Christopher.

**Request for Information.**

Supervisor Ferdon attempted to obtain information on the qualifications of Mr. Thomson; however, no one among the members was able to supply it. Accordingly, Supervisor Ferdon emphasized that in matters of this kind, it would be beneficial to the Board members if they were apprized of the appointee's qualifications so that a realistic appraisal could be made thereof.

Supervisor Lewis expressed the opinion that Supervisor Ferdon's suggestion might have merit if a new man were to be appointed; however, Mr. Thomson is up for reappointment and the measure should be immediately approved.

**Motion to Defer Consideration—No Second.**

Supervisor Dobbs moved that consideration of the foregoing matter be continued for a period of one week, and that Mr. Thomson be requested to appear before the Board for questioning.

*Motion lost for want of a second.*

**Motion to Defer Consideration.**

Supervisor Ferdon moved, seconded by Supervisor Dobbs, that consideration of the foregoing measure be continued for one week and that a representative of the Parking Authority be requested to appear before the Board for questioning.

**Suggestion by Supervisor Christopher.**

Supervisor Christopher suggested that in lieu of Supervisor Ferdon's pending motion, it would be more practical if, in the future, information would be forthcoming in connection with probable new appointees to boards or commissions and that such information be made available in sufficient time to afford reasonable study.

**Motion Withdrawn.**

There being no objection, Supervisor Ferdon *withdrew* his motion.

**Motion Requesting Data on Future Appointees or Reappointees to Boards or Commissions.**

Supervisor Ferdon moved, seconded by Supervisor Dobbs, that in future, where appointments or reappointments are recommended by the Mayor, Chief Administrative Officer or by other city officials, to boards or commissions, where approval or disapproval is required by the Board of Supervisors, that full information be made available

to the Board within a reasonable time prior to induction into office, affecting the qualifications of appointees or reappointees involved.

Supervisor Mancuso suggested that the foregoing motion be referred to committee for study and consideration.

The President *referred the matter to the Rules Committee.*

**Adopted.**

Thereupon the roll was called on the pending measure and it was *adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, MacPhee—2.

**ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF MEASURES AND COMMUNICATIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.**

**Adopted.**

**In Memoriam—Ed Tanner.**

Supervisor Christopher presented:

File No. 9221, Resolution No. 12725 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Christopher moved adoption; motion seconded by Supervisor McCarty.

*Unanimously adopted by rising vote as follows:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, MacPhee—2.

**Reference to Committee.**

Supervisor Christopher presented a copy of a letter addressed to the Clerk of the Board from the Recreation and Park Commission, answering certain questions heretofore asked by the Supervisors pertaining to McLaren Park. The Supervisor then asked that the copy, as well as certain suggestions he was making, be referred to the proper committee for eventual discussion with the Recreation and Park Commission. The suggestions had to do with the definite fixing of the boundaries of McLaren Park as well as policy affecting recreational and park usage of the area.

*Referred to the Education, Parks and Recreation Committee.*

**Request for Information in Connection With the Rehabilitation of the Palace of Fine Arts.**

Supervisor Christopher requested that the Clerk ascertain from the Recreation and Park Commission the status of plans for the rehabilitation of the Palace of Fine Arts.

No objection and the Clerk *was directed to comply.*

**Reference to Committee.**

**Urging the Electorate to Approve State Proposition No. 2 at the November 4th Election, Relating to Increased State Public School Aid.**

Supervisor Dobbs presented:

File No. 9657, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Dobbs moved adoption; seconded by Supervisor Ferdon.

**Objection.**

Supervisor Lewis objected, however, and the President *referred the measure to the County, State and National Affairs Committee.*

Supervisor Lewis wanted it understood that he was not objecting with respect to the merits of the measure but on the theory that he did not believe the Board had the authority to tell the voters how to cast their ballots.

**Adopted.**

The following recommendation of the Streets Committee was taken up:

**Closing Thirty-eighth Avenue Between Balboa and Cabrillo Streets to Vehicular Traffic on October 31, 1952, Between the Hours of 7:30 and 10:30 P. M.**

Supervisor Ferdon presented:

File No. 9495, Resolution No. 12734 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, MacPhee—2.

**Announcement of Committee Meeting.**

Supervisor Lewis announced a meeting of the County, State and National Affairs Committee for Friday, October 31, 1952, 2:00 p. m.

**Request for Statistical Data Showing Effect of Passage of State Proposition No. 2.**

Supervisor Mancuso requested that the Clerk obtain from the Controller statistical data showing the effect on the tax rate in the event the electorate approves State Proposition No. 2, relating to increased public school aid.

No objection and the *Clerk was directed to comply.*

**Announcement of Committee Meeting.**

The President of the Board announced a meeting of the Rules Committee for Wednesday, October 29, 2:15 p. m.

**Poll of Board in Connection With Attendance at Press Club Dinner.**

The President directed the Clerk to poll the members with respect to attendance at dinner to be given by the Press Club on Thursday, October 30, and the following signified their intentions as follows: Christopher, aye; Dobbs, aye; Ferdon, aye; Mancuso, no; McCarty, no; Mead, aye; Sullivan, aye.

**ADJOURNMENT.**

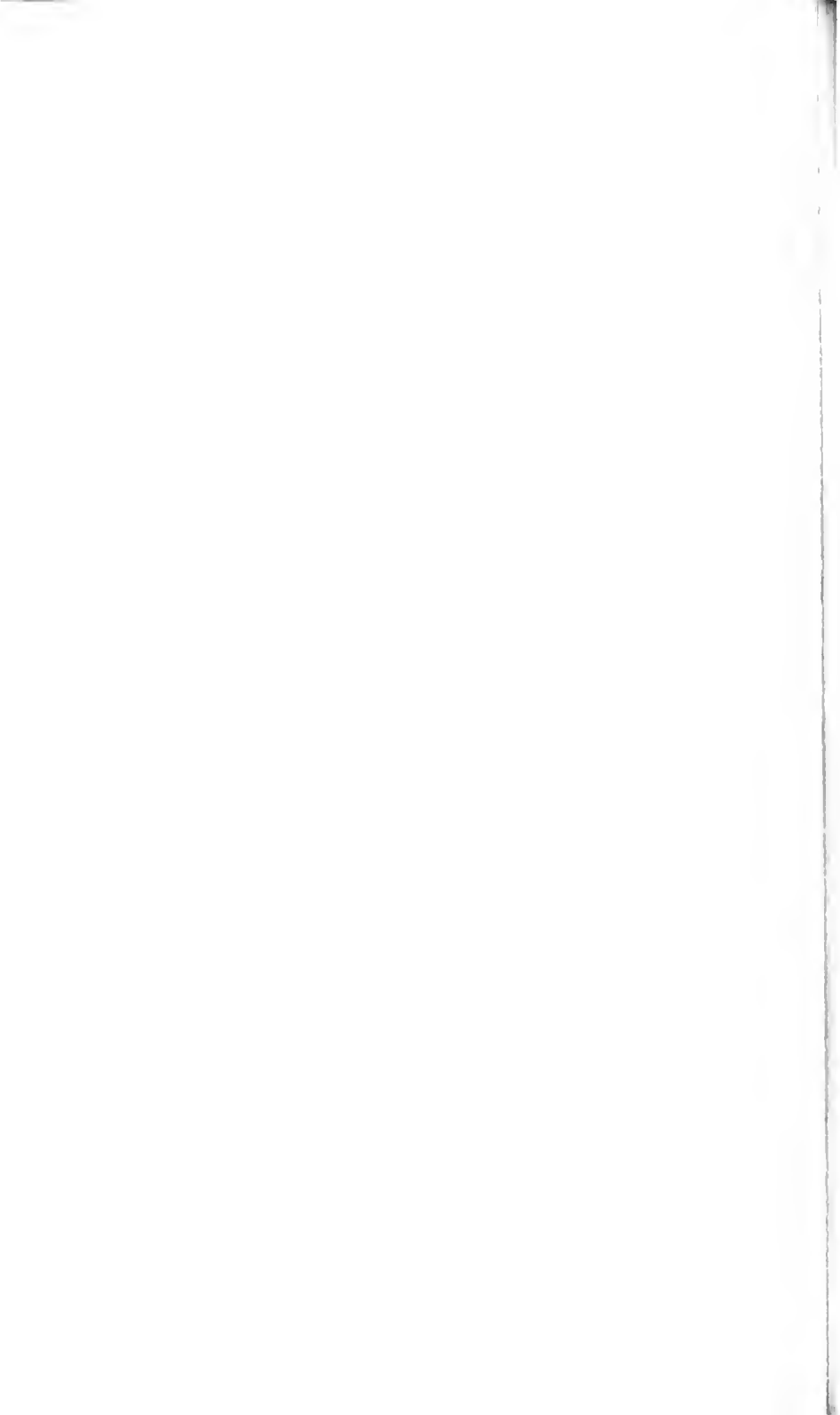
There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 5:15 p. m., adjourned.

JOHN R. McGRATH, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors November 17, 1952.

I, John R. McGrath, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the date hereon stated and approved as recited.

JOHN R. McGRATH,  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.





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# JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 1952—2:00 P. M.

In meeting of Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, November 3, 1952, 2:00 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

## CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee—4.

Quorum present.

President Dewey Mead presiding.

Supervisor Christopher on authorized leave.

Supervisor Dobbs noted present at 2:12 p. m.

Supervisor Lewis noted present at 2:10 p. m.

Supervisor MacPhee noted present at 2:15 p. m.

## APPROVAL OF JOURNAL.

The Journal of Proceedings for Monday, October 20, 1952, was considered read and approved.

## Communication.

From the City Attorney, offering suggestions in connection with query as to whether it is within the province of the Board to adopt a policy neither favoring, opposing, nor urging public support for or against any candidate or measure upon any ballot.

*Copy to Supervisor Mancuso; referred to Rules Committee.*

## SPECIAL ORDER—2:00 P. M.

Hearing of Objections to Correction of Clerical Errors in 1952-1953 Assessment Roll Which Will Increase Amount of Taxes Payable.

File No. 9588

There appearing no objectors, the following measure was considered for adoption:

### Adopted.

Authorizing Correction of Clerical Errors in 1952-1953 Assessment Roll.

File No. 9588-2, Resolution No. . . . (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee—4.

**Rescission of Action.**

Supervisor Dobbs moved that the Board rescind its action whereby the foregoing measure was adopted to permit Steve Stillanos, a protestant, to speak on his behalf. Motion seconded by Supervisor Halley and there being no objection, motion *carried*.

*Consideration temporarily postponed* pending appearance of a representative from the Assessor's office.

**SPECIAL ORDER—2:00 P. M.****Consideration Continued.**

The following recommendation of Judiciary Committee, heretofore considered, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon.

**Authorizing Sheriff to Require County Jail Prisoners to Perform Labor on Public Works or Ways, and Authorizing Deductions from Terms of Sentence.**

File No. 9239, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

October 27, 1952—Consideration continued to November 3, 1952.

**Privilege of the Floor.**

The privilege of the floor was extended to Sheriff Dan Gallagher who stressed the importance and urgency of passing the pending legislation, and cited sections from the Penal Code vesting Sheriffs with authority to have work performed in county jails, when authorized by the Board of Supervisors.

The privilege of the floor was next extended to Justice Peters of the California Appellate Court. Justice Peters emphasized the importance of establishing a proper works program. Prisoners just cannot be permitted to have 16 to 18 hours of idle time on their hands and the works program will enable them not only to reduce their terms of sentence but will assist in their rehabilitation as acceptable members of society.

**Opposition.**

The privilege of the floor was next extended to the following who opposed the measure:

George Kyne, representing Plumbing Union, Local No. 38, who stated that his organization was opposing the measure on the grounds that if passed, no one would know how far-reaching it would become, and that he wanted to be assured that such work as would be performed would be done within the confines of the county jail.

George W. Johns, Secretary of the San Francisco Labor Council, next voiced opposition to the measure, contending that the language incorporated therein was too broad and susceptible to varied interpretations.

**Motion to Re-refer to Committee.**

Supervisor Halley moved that the measure be re-referred to committee for the purpose of determining precisely what the Sheriff intended to do. Motion seconded by Supervisor McCarty.

There being no objection, motion *withdrawn*.

**Consideration Continued.**

Supervisor Ferdon moved, seconded by Supervisor Halley, that consideration be continued for a period of one week and that efforts be made by both sides to bring in a suitable amendment.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Christopher—1.

*Consideration continued one week.*

## UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

### Final Passage.

The following recommendations of Finance Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

Appropriating \$5,265.33, Public Works, to Provide Funds for Extra Work in Excess of 10 Per Cent of Amount of Contract With Charles L. Harney, in Connection With the Construction of the Golden Gate Park Crossover on State Highway Route No. 56.

File No. 9521, Ordinance No. 7557 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, MacPhee—3.

Appropriating \$3,384.69, Public Welfare, for Payment of Educational Leave Stipends to Two Employees in Accordance With Provisions of Ordinance No. 7378 (Series of 1939).

File No. 9522, Ordinance No. 7558 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, MacPhee—3.

Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance by Adding Thereto Section 1.32.2, by Providing That Occupants of Positions Enumerated in Said Annual Salary Ordinance, Whose Compensations Are Subject to the Provisions of Section 151.3 of the Charter, Shall Be Entitled to Compensation Fixed Therein and to the Working Conditions Outlined in the Salary Standardization Ordinance for Their Respective Classifications.

File No. 9524, Ordinance No. 7559 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, MacPhee—3.

Appropriating \$6,000, Chief Administrative Officer, for Purchase of Materials for the Elimination of Rough Fish and Restocking of Lake Merced With Trout.

File No. 9542, Ordinance No. 7556 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

Amending Various Sections of the Annual Salary Ordinance, Affecting the Police and Fire Departments, by Adjusting the Compensation Schedules Effective as of July 1, 1952, to Provide Rates of Compensation for Classes Subject to the Provisions of Sections 35.5.1 and 36.2 of the Charter, and Adding Sections 11.4 and 12.7 Thereto, Providing for Method of Payment.

File No. 9545, Ordinance No. 7560 (Series of 1939).

(Amends Sections 11, 11.1 and 11.2, Police Department, and Sections 12.1, 12.2, 12.3, 12.4 and 12.5, Fire Department.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Christopher—1.

Appropriating \$21,491.51, Municipal Railway, for Payment of Retroactive Compensation Covering Premium Pay and Unworked Holidays to J66 Garagemen, and for Payment of Overtime Required to Prepare Time Rolls Covering Retroactive Compensation, Pursuant to Court Order.

File No. 9546, Ordinance No. 7561 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Christopher—1.

Appropriating \$960.70, Public Health, for Retroactive Wage and Retirement Adjustments for Employees of the Laguna Honda Home and the San Francisco Hospital, Pursuant to Court Order.

File No. 9547, Ordinance No. 7562 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Christopher—1.

Appropriating \$960, Public Health, Bureau of Child Hygiene, for Temporary Salaries.

File No. 9569, Ordinance No. 7564 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Christopher—1.

Amending Ordinance No. 2185 (Series of 1939), Establishing the Sheriff's Revolving and Change Fund, by Authorizing Increase in the Sheriff's Revolving Fund from \$100 to an Amount Not Exceeding \$300.

File No. 9570, Ordinance No. 7565 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Christopher—1.

Appropriating \$200, Sheriff, to Increase the Sheriff's Revolving Fund from \$100 to \$300.

File No. 9571, Ordinance No. 7566 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, McCarty—3.

Appropriating \$2,252.29, Purchasing, for Payment of Premium Pay and Unworked Holidays for Six Garagemen for the Fiscal Years 1947-48, 1948-49, 1949-50, Pursuant to Court Order.

File No. 9576, Ordinance No. 7567 (Series of 1939).

Finally Passed by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, McCarty—3.

Authorizing Attendance of a Member of the Court Enforcement Committee of the President's Highway Safety Council at Sessions of the President's Highway Safety Conference to Be Held in Chicago, October 17-18, 1952.

File No. 9595, Ordinance No. 7568 (Series of 1939).

Finally Passed by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, McCarty—3.

*(Supervisor Christopher dissenting in part.)*

Authorizing the Mayor and His Confidential Secretary to Attend the General Assembly of the International Union of Cities in Vienna, Austria, June 15-20, 1953, and to Make Studies in Certain Other Cities; Authorizing the Payment of Their Expense, Not to Exceed \$5,000, and Granting the Mayor a Leave of Absence from May 20, 1953, to July 20, 1953, With Permission to Leave the United States.

File No. 9562, Ordinance No. 7563 (Series of 1939).

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Noes: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee—3.

Absent: Supervisor Christopher—1.

## NEW BUSINESS.

### Adopted.

The following recommendations of Finance Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, McCarty.

Authorizing Extension of Grants of Emergency Relief to Dependent Non-Residents for November and December; List Dated November 3, 1952.

File No. 9225, Resolution No. 12744 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Christopher—1.

Authorizing Purchase of Sub-Surface Easement Located on Keith Avenue Between Fairfax and Galvez Avenue from Louis J. Gallagher for \$250, Required for the Southeast Collecting Sewers.

File No. 9627, Resolution No. 12768 (Series of 1939).

*(In conformity with Master Plan.)*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Ferdon—2.

**Authorizing Adjustment of Inventory to Reflect Theft of One Dual Grinder from the Bureau of Sewer Repairs, Department of Public Works.**

File No. 9631, Resolution No. 12769 (Series of 1939).

(Approximate value \$10.00.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Ferdon—2.

**Authorizing Purchase of Certain Real Property from Etco Corporation for \$2,639, Required for Widening of Thirteenth Street.**

File No. 9634, Resolution No. 12770 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Portion of Lot 10, Block 3513, located at Duboce Avenue and Otis Street. Size: 75 feet 6 inches by 0.063 feet by 75.976 feet by 7.721 feet. Improvements to be removed by grantor.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Ferdon—2.

**Authorizing Attendance of Assistant Director of Public Health at Convention of the Association of California Hospitals to Be Held at Santa Barbara on November 6 and 7, 1952.**

File No. 9652, Resolution No. 12771 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Ferdon—2.

**Passage for Second Reading.**

**Appropriating \$19,050, deYoung Museum, for New Hardwood Floors in Central Galleries and for Development of Exterior Garden Court.**

File No. 9520, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(Hardwood floor in Central Galleries:

Approximate area of 8,000 square feet, bruce block  
hardwood flooring, herringbone pattern . . . . . \$ 9,850

Exterior Garden Court:

Retaining wall, security fence, development of  
court, new concrete paving, approaches to ante-  
rooms, brick steps and landing . . . . . 9,200

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\$19,050

Not in conflict with Master Plan.)

**Discussion.**

Supervisor Lewis objected to the subject appropriation, contending that it constituted a luxury item, and that in view of existing economic conditions and the war in Korea, the appropriation should be rejected.

**Request for Information.**

Supervisor Mancuso requested that the Clerk ascertain from the deYoung Memorial Museum just what they contemplate doing with



respect to the construction of a warehouse, the funds for which had been set aside in previous years.

No objection and the Clerk was directed to comply.

#### Temporary Postponement.

On motion by Supervisor Mancuso, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, consideration of the foregoing measure was temporarily postponed, pending arrival of the Controller who was being summoned to answer certain questions to be posed by Supervisor Mancuso.

*Consideration temporarily postponed.*

#### Resumption of Consideration of Hearing in Connection With Correction of Clerical Errors Which Will Increase Amount of Taxes Payable.

File No. 9588

Consideration of the foregoing measure was resumed upon the appearance of William Reid, a representative of the Assessor's office.

#### Privilege of the Floor.

The privilege of the floor was extended to Steve Stilanos, a protestant, who informed the Board that he had volunteered in World War I but had been later discharged because of flat feet. Mr. Stilanos stated that he had always enjoyed the veteran's exemption but that two weeks ago he received notice from the Assessor's office to the effect that the exemption was being removed and he admitted being somewhat bewildered by the sudden turn of events.

Mr. William Reid, representing the Assessor's office, stated that the exemption was removed because of a ruling issued by the State Board of Equalization and that his office could do nothing but follow the mandate of the State Board.

#### Suggestion by Supervisor Halley.

Supervisor Halley suggested that the Clerk direct a communication to Mr. Stilanos, explaining the action of the Board.

#### Motion by Supervisor Lewis.

Supervisor Lewis moved, seconded by Supervisor MacPhee, that consideration of the foregoing matter be continued for a period of two weeks, and that the Assessor, after consultation with the City Attorney, the Veterans' Administration and the State Board of Equalization, furnish the Board with full information concerning the basis for the proposed denial of exemption to Mr. Stilanos.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—7.

Noes: Supervisors Halley, Sullivan—2.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs—2.

*Consideration continued two weeks.*

#### Resumption of Consideration of File No. 9520, Relating to Appropriation of \$19,050 for New Hardwood Floors in Central Galleries and for Development of Exterior Garden Court of the deYoung Museum.

Upon the appearance of the Controller he was asked the following questions:

Supervisor Mancuso: Where is the money coming from in connection with No. 21 on the calendar, and advise present status of monies appropriated?

Controller Ross: \$12,230 is being taken from reappropriations for money previously provided for the warehouse. The original appropriation was for \$150,000; \$18,000 has since been appropriated for other purposes in connection with special rooms, and this is asking for a further appropriation of \$19,050. In other words, if this appropriation is made, there will be about \$120,000 left for the construction of the warehouse.

Supervisor Mead: Will the \$120,000 be enough to construct the warehouse?

Controller Ross: I do not know, Mr. Chairman.

### Roll Call.

The roll was thereupon called and the foregoing measure was passed for second reading by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Noes: Supervisor Lewis—1.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

### Passage for Second Reading.

Authorizing Compromise and Settlement of Claim of Ann Ruth Dervin Against the City and County by the Payment of \$750.

File No. 9616, Ordinance No.      (Series of 1939).

(Injuries sustained due to alleged defective condition of sidewalk.)

Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis—3.

Authorizing Compromise and Settlement of Claim of Margaret Nelson Against the City and County by the Payment of \$200.

File No. 9617, Ordinance No.      (Series of 1939).

(Injuries sustained due to alleged defective condition of sidewalk.)

Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis—2.

Appropriating \$320,000, Public Welfare, to Increase Revenue and Expenditure Appropriations for Aid to Needy Children, Old-age Security Aid and Aid to Needy Blind, Due to Greater Participation of the Federal Government in These Aid Programs, Effective October 1, 1952.

File No. 9622, Ordinance No.      (Series of 1939).

Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis—2.

Appropriating \$20,000, Water Department, for Cathodic Protection of Bay Division Pipe Line No. 1.

File No. 9623, Ordinance No.      (Series of 1939).

Entire pipe line, which was laid in 1926, is being badly corroded by electrolytic action.

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis—2.

(See later action for rescission and re-passage for second reading.)

Amending Section 6 of Ordinance No. 3758 (Series of 1939), Relating to the Farmers' Market, by Providing a Schedule of Fees to Be Charged; Prescribing Penalties for Violation of This Ordinance, and Repealing Ordinance No. 3053 (Series of 1939).

File No. 9629, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Fees:

Daily stall fee:

Monday	Free
Tuesday or Wednesday	\$ .50
Thursday	1.00
Friday	1.50
Saturday	2.00

Entrance tonnage fee (to be charged only once against any given load) per ton or fraction thereof .50)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis—2.

Amending the Annual Appropriation Ordinance, 1952-53, Revenue and Expenditure Appropriations, Pursuant to Provisions of Sections 35.5.1 and 36.2 of the Charter, to Provide for Increased Compensation for Members of the Police and Fire Departments for Period August 7 to December 31, 1952, as Set Forth in Ordinance No. 7491 (Series of 1939).

File No. 9633, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Amount heretofore appropriated	\$2,735,697
Added by this measure	626,259)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis—2.

Appropriating \$2,450, Mayor, Disaster Corps, for Creation of Position of Rescue and First-Aid Technician.

File No. 9635-1, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Salary range, \$350-410 per month.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis—2.

Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 4.1, Mayor, Disaster Corps—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.

File No. 9635-2, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis—2.

**Appropriating \$259, Mayor, Disaster Corps, for Overtime for Rescue and First-Aid Services.**

File No. 9636, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Necessary to organize rescue and first-aid services and set up new stations required to care for materials and supplies received from State.

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Christopher—1.

**Rescission of Action.**

Supervisor Mancuso moved, seconded by Supervisor Dobbs, that the Board rescind its action whereby it had passed File No. 9623 "Appropriating \$20,000, Water Department, for Cathodic Protection of Bay Division Pipe Line No. 1," to second reading.

No objection and motion *carried*.

**Information Supplied.**

Supervisor Mancuso desired to be informed as to what was meant by "cathodic protection." Supervisor Arnold, the Chairman of the Finance Committee, informed the Supervisor that the entire pipe line was being badly corroded by the passage of time and that the funds were necessary to provide safeguards to offset such injurious action.

**Passage for Second Reading.**

The roll was thereupon called and the pending measure was *passed for second reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Christopher—1.

**Final Passage.**

**Appropriating \$1,650, Public Works, Bureau of Engineering, from the Emergency Reserve Fund, for Vacation Relief for Employees of the Sewage Treatment Plants; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9624, Ordinance No. 7569 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Christopher—1.

**Appropriating \$2,500, Civil Service, from the Emergency Reserve Fund, for Additional Funds Required to Complete the 1953-54 Salary Standardization Survey; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9625, Ordinance No. 7570 (Series of 1939).

(Under present economic conditions, it is necessary to conduct a broader survey than formerly.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Christopher—1.

Appropriating \$5,140, Public Works, from the Emergency Reserve Fund, for Overtime Payments to Employees of the Sewage Treatment Plants; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9653, Ordinance No. 7571 (Series of 1939).

(For laborer and truck drivers working weekends disposing of screenings and grit.)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Christopher—1.

Adopted.

The following recommendations of Streets Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Ferdon, Halley, Sullivan.

Granting Revocable Permit to Lucky Lager Brewing Company to Occupy Shoup Avenue Between Egbert and Carroll Avenues, and Carroll Avenue Between the Easterly Line of Shoup Avenue and a Point Westerly Therefrom, and to Erect a Fence With Three Gates to Enclose the Area.

File No. 8879, Resolution No. 12740 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis—2.

Granting Revocable Permit to Laurence and Anita Garcia to Construct and Maintain Fences Across City Property Located at Rockwood Court and on a Line With the West End of the Garcia Properties.

File No. 9438, Resolution No. 12746 (Series of 1939).

(Lot 50a, Block 2936A. Property consists of a steep slope and it is doubtful if the City will ever use it for a stairway. At present, children are using it for a sliding ground, causing rocks and debris to collect on the sidewalk.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis—2.

Declaring Intention to Change or Modify the Official Grades on Delta Street Between Campbell and Teddy Avenues.

File No. 9544-1, Resolution No. 12747 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis—2.

Granting Revocable Permit to Malcolm W. Lamb to Construct and Maintain a Concrete Loading Platform With Approach Steps on the Southeasterly Side of Ritch Street Between Brannan and Townsend Streets.

File No. 9609, Resolution No. 12762 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis—2.

Approving Map Showing the Widening of Edgewood Avenue at Its Southerly Termination and Declaring Same to Be an Open, Public Street.

File No. 9610, Resolution No. 12763 (Series of 1939).

(Not in conflict with the Master Plan.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis—2.

Approving Map Showing the Widening of Broadway from Larkin Street to Cyrus Place, and the Widening of Morrell Street South of Broadway; and Declaring Same to Be Open, Public Streets.

File No. 9611, Resolution No. 12764 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis—2.

Approving Map Showing the Widening of the Northwesterly Side of Alpha Street from Goettingen Street to Tioga Avenue, and the Northeasterly Side of Tioga Avenue from Alpha Street to a Point 109.75 Feet Northwesterly Therefrom; and Declaring Same to Be Open, Public Streets.

File No. 9619, Resolution No. 12766 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis—2.

#### Passage for Second Reading.

Ordering the Improvement of Lawton Street Between Seventh and Locksley Avenues, and Locksley Avenue (West One-Half) Between Lawton Street and Its Southerly Termination, Including the Intersection of Lawton Street, Locksley Avenue and Warren Drive.

File No. 9493, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis—2.

Ordering the Improvement of Vernon Street Between Shields and Sargent Streets; and Extending City Aid in Approximate Amount of \$10,000.

File No. 9527, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis—2.

Ordering the Improvement of Duncan Street Between Noe and Newburg Streets, Including the Crossing of Duncan and Castro Streets, by Grading to the Proposed Lines and Subgrades; and Extending City Aid in Approximate Amount of \$20,500.

File No. 9583, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis—2.

Amending Ordinance No. 1061 Entitled "Regulating the Width of Sidewalks" by Changing the Width of Sidewalk on the West Side of Quint Street Between Jerrold and La Salle Avenues from 7 to 15 Feet.

File No. 9615, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(Not in conflict with the Master Plan.)

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis—2.

Ordering the Improvement of Portions of Corwin Street Between Acme Alley and Its Westerly Termination; and Extending City Aid in Approximate Amount of \$4,600.

File No. 9641, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis—2.

#### Adopted.

The following recommendations of Rules Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Mead, Arnold.

Commending William J. Varley for His Services as Director of the Golden Gate Bridge and Highway District.

File No. 9663, Resolution No. 12773 (Series of 1939).

(Mr. Varley intends to retire at the end of his current term, in December, 1952.)

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis—2.

Nominating Supervisor MacPhee to Serve as Director of the Shoreline Planning Association of California.

File No. 9664, Resolution No. 12774 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis—2.

#### Adopted.

The following recommendations of Police Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Halley, Arnold, Ferdon.

**Adding Certain Intersections Along Van Ness Avenue to List of Street Intersections from Which Left-Hand Turns Are Prohibited at All Times.**

File No. 9183, Resolution No. 12741 (Series of 1939).

(Van Ness Avenue, northbound traffic, into:

Fell, McAllister, Eddy, O'Farrell, Geary, Sutter, California, Washington Streets; Broadway; Vallejo, Filbert, Greenwich and Francisco Streets.

Van Ness Avenue, southbound traffic, into:

Hayes, Ellis, Geary, Jackson Streets; Pacific Avenue; Vallejo, Green, Union, Greenwich, Lombard, Chestnut, Francisco and Bay Streets.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis—2.

**Amending Parking Meter Zone No. 20 by Providing for Two-Hour Parking on Jackson Street, Between Polk Street and 120 Feet West on Van Ness Avenue.**

File No. 9550, Resolution No. 12748 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis—2.

**Adding Portion of Alemany Boulevard Service Road to List of Streets on Which Parking Is Prohibited Day or Night.**

File No. 9551, Resolution No. 12749 (Series of 1939).

(Alemany Boulevard Service Road, south side, beginning at its ingress off of Alemany Boulevard proper and extending and continuing for a distance of 650 feet in an easterly direction.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis—2.

**Adding Anna Lane, Northbound, Grace Street, Northbound, and Washburn Street, Southbound, to List of One-Way Streets, All Times.**

File No. 9552, Resolution No. 12750 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis—2.

**Designating and Rescinding Designations of Certain Intersections as "Stop" Intersections.**

File No. 9553, Resolution No. 12751 (Series of 1939).

(Designate as "Stop" intersections:

Alhambra and Scott Streets, northeast corner;

Francisco and Scott Streets, southwest corner;

Sacramento and Franklin Streets, northeast corner;

Anna Lane and Ellis Street, southeast corner.

Rescind designation as "Stop" intersection:

Alhambra and Pierce Streets, northeast and southwest corners.)



Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis—2.

Approving Angle Parking on the North Side of Filbert Street, Between Polk and Larkin Streets.

File No. 9554, Resolution No. 12752 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis—2.

Adding Filbert Street, South Side, Between Polk and Larkin Streets, to List of Streets on Which Parking Is Prohibited, Day or Night.

File No. 9555, Resolution No. 12753 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis—2.

Amending Parking Meter Zone No. 3 (Two-Hour Parking), by Adding Thereto Certain Portions of Streets Crossing Taraval Street Between Fourteenth and Thirtieth Avenues, Inclusive.

File No. 9556, Resolution No. 12754 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis—2.

Adding Madrone Avenue Between Taraval and Ulloa Streets, and Broadway Between Van Ness Avenue and Franklin Streets, to List of Streets on Which Parking Is Restricted to Sixty Minutes Between 7 A. M. and 6 P. M., Sundays and Holidays Excepted.

File No. 9596, Resolution No. 12756 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis—2.

Approving Change from Angle to Parallel Parking on Portions of Broadway, and Approving Angle Parking on Portion of Green Street.

File No. 9597, Resolution No. 12757 (Series of 1939).

(Parking on the south side of Broadway, between Van Ness Avenue and Franklin Street, and on the north side of Broadway, between Polk Street and Van Ness Avenue, shall hereafter be on a parallel basis.

Angle parking approved for the south side of Green Street, between Hyde and Leavenworth Streets.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis—2.

Adding Green Street, North Side, Between Hyde and Leavenworth Streets, to List of Streets on Which Parking Is Prohibited, Day or Night.

File No. 9593, Resolution No. 12758 Series of 1932

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dibbs, Ferdin, Halley, MacPhee, Man-  
gus, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis—2

Designating Certain Intersections as "Stop" Intersections.

File No. 9610, Resolution No. 12759 Series of 1932

Durant Street and Oakdale Avenue, northwest and southeast  
corners;

Bryant and Twenty-first Streets, northeast and southwest  
corners

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dibbs, Ferdin, Halley, MacPhee, Man-  
gus, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis—2

Designating and Rescinding Designations of Certain "Stop"  
Intersections.

File No. 9611, Resolution No. 12760 Series of 1932

Designates Stop intersections:

Twelve and Thirteenth Streets, northeast and southwest  
corners;

Seventeenth, Twenty-first, Twenty-third, Twenty-fifth,  
Twenty-seventh and Valencia Streets, northeast and south-  
west corners;

Twenty-fourth and Mission Streets, northeast and southwest  
corners

Rescinds designation as "Stop" intersections:

Candler and Thirteenth Streets, all four corners;

Thirteenth and Fourteenth Streets, all four corners;

Quarter and Thirteenth Streets, all four corners;

Quarter and Thirteenth Streets, northwest and southeast  
corners;

Quarter and Seventeenth Streets, northwest and southeast  
corners;

Valencia and Fourteenth Streets, all four corners;

Valencia and Nineteenth Streets, northwest and southeast  
corners;

Valencia and Twenty-fourth Streets, all four corners;

Mission Street at Fourteenth and Twenty-fourth Streets,  
all four corners;

San Juan Street at Fifteenth and Twenty-fifth  
Streets, all four corners;

San Juan Street at Fifteenth, Sixteenth and Twen-  
ty-fourth Streets, northwest and southeast corners;

San Juan Street at Fifteenth, Sixteenth and Seventeenth  
Streets, northwest and southeast corners;

Mission Street at Fourteenth and Twenty-fourth Streets,  
all four corners

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dibbs, Ferdin, Halley, MacPhee, Man-  
gus, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis—2

Amending Parking Meter Zone No. 5 by Adding Thereto Filbert Street, South Side, Between Stockton and Powell Streets.

File No. 9602, Resolution No. 12761 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis—2.

Approving Angle Parking on Greenwich Street East of Hyde Street.

File No. 9618, Resolution No. 12765 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis—2.

Adding Folsom Street Between Seventeenth and Eighteenth Streets to List of Streets on Which Parking Is Restricted to Two Hours Between 7 A. M. and 6 P. M., Sundays and Holidays Excepted.

File No. 9626, Resolution No. 12767 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis—2.

#### Passage for Second Reading.

Amending Section 4 of Ordinance No. 4288 (Series of 1939), Relating to Parking Meter Zones, by Excepting Saturday Afternoons, Sundays and Holidays from Parking Meter Regulations.

File No. 7240, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis—3.

#### Adopted.

The following recommendations of County, State and National Affairs Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso, Sullivan.

(Supervisor Lewis dissenting.)

Endorsing State Proposition No. 1 on the November 4th Ballot, Providing for Issuance of \$150,000,000 in Bonds by the State of California to Continue the Veterans' Home and Farm Purchase Program.

File No. 9580, Resolution No. 12755 (Series of 1939).

#### Discussion.

Supervisor MacPhee stated he was in sympathy with the intent of the measure, and that he would do everything in his power to assure its passage, but as a member of the Board, he felt that the Board should not interfere in such matters, and that he supported the stand heretofore taken by Supervisor Lewis on matters of this kind.

Supervisor Lewis said he was apologizing for his affirmative actions on matters pursuing lines similar to the pending measure, which he endorsed in the past and which he was now opposing, and expressed a desire to be excused from voting on it.

Supervisor Mancuso stated he believed it was the duty and responsibility of every member of the Board to vote on matters which affect the people's welfare.

Supervisor Dobbs questioned the desire of Supervisor Lewis not wanting to vote and the President informed him of a case before he assumed the presidency, where he did not desire to vote on a certain measure and was accorded that courtesy, and therefore he did not intend to force any member to vote for or against any measure.

#### Motion to Authorize Abstention from Voting.

Supervisor Dobbs moved, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, that Supervisors Lewis and MacPhee be excused from voting on the pending measure as well as on the following measure on the calendar, identified as File No. 9591 entitled "Memorializing Congress to Restore Adequate Tariff Regulations for the Protection of the California Wine Industry."

#### Point of Order.

Supervisor Mancuso rose to a point of order, contending that the Board was operating under its own rules and Roberts' Rules of Order, and that on roll call, every member must vote either "Aye" or "No," and that the purposes of deliberative assemblies are being defeated by not having a full vote on all measures. (Here Supervisor Mancuso read an excerpt from page 197 of Roberts' Rules of Order, under the subject of "Voting.")

After consultation with the City Attorney's representative, the President ruled the point of order not well taken.

Supervisor Ferdon agreed with the conclusions reached by Supervisor Mancuso in that the functions of legislative assemblies are not being fully performed when a member is excused from voting.

At this point Supervisors Lewis and MacPhee left the chambers.

#### Motion Withdrawn.

There being no objection, Supervisor Dobbs *withdrew* his motion.

#### Motion to Suspend Call of the Board.

Supervisor Dobbs moved that the call of the Board be dispensed with. Motion seconded by Supervisor Ferdon and *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—7.

No: Supervisor Mancuso—1.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

The roll was thereupon called on the pending resolution and it was *adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—7.

No: Supervisor Mancuso—1.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

#### Re-reference to Committee.

(Supervisor Lewis dissenting.)

Memorializing Congress to Restore Adequate Tariff Regulations for the Protection of the California Wine Industry.

File No. 9591, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

Supervisor Ferdon requested that a full explanation be forthcoming from the city's legislative counsel at Washington as well as the

city's congressmen, and accordingly moved re-reference to committee. Motion seconded by Supervisor Dobbs and *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

#### Consideration Continued.

**Recommending Enactment of State Legislation Which Would Remove Any Liability of the City and County in Suits Involving Sidewalk Injuries.**

File No. 8380, Resolution No. . . . (Series of 1939).

#### Motion to Defer Consideration.

Supervisor Halley moved that consideration of the foregoing measure be continued for a period of one week. Motion seconded by Supervisor Ferdon and *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Sullivan—2.

#### Request for Appearance of Legislative Representative.

Supervisor Mancuso requested the appearance of the city's Sacramento Legislative Representative and that he bring with him the proposed legislation mentioned in the pending measure.

No objection and so *ordered*.

#### Reference to Committee.

The following measure appearing on the Board's emergency calendar was taken up:

**Appropriating \$2,500, Youth Guidance Center, Juvenile Hall, from the Emergency Reserve Fund, for Temporary Salaries; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9665, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

#### Motion to Refer.

Supervisor Arnold moved reference to Finance Committee; seconded by Supervisor McCarty.

No objection and motion *carried*.

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

### OFF-CALENDAR LEGISLATION.

The following recommendation of his Honor the Mayor was presented by the Clerk:

#### Adopted.

**Leaves of Absence—**Supervisor John J. Ferdon, November 15-23; Supervisor Chester R. MacPhee, November 8-18; Bert W. Levit, Member of the Board of Education, October 29-November 2; John G. Levison, Member of the Board of Education, November 5-10; Harry J. Stewart, Member of the Retirement Board, November 13-23; Walter Heil, Director of the M. H. deYoung Memorial Museum, for Period of 30 Days Between November 1 and December 23, 1952, All With Permission to Leave the State.

File No. 9220, Resolution No. 12742 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Arnold moved adoption; seconded by Supervisor McCarty.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Christopher—1.

**ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF MEASURES AND COMMUNICATIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.****Adopted.**

Extending to November 20, 1952, the Time Required for Completing the Annual Audit of the Controller's Books.

Supervisor Arnold presented:

File No. 9328-2, Resolution No. 12745 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Arnold moved adoption; seconded by Supervisor McCarty.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Christopher—1.

**Adopted.**

Requesting Mayor to Proclaim Week of November 11-17, 1952, as "Optimist Week."

The Clerk presented on behalf of Supervisor Christopher:

File No. 9668, Resolution No. 12775 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor MacPhee moved adoption; seconded by Supervisor Sullivan.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Christopher—1.

**Supervisor MacPhee Excused.**

There being no objection, Supervisor MacPhee was excused from further Board attendance at 4:45 p. m.

**Motion Calling a Measure from Committee.**

Supervisor Dobbs moved, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, that File No. 9657 entitled: "Urging the Electorate to Approved at the November 4th Election, State Proposition No. 2, the Increased State Public School Support Measure," be called from the County, State and National Affairs Committee.

**Statement by Deputy City Attorney.**

To a question put to him, Thomas Blanchard, Deputy City Attorney, stated that it was his understanding that the Board possessed the authority, by majority vote, to call any matter from committee before the expiration of 30 days.

**Motion Carried.**

Thereupon the roll was called and the foregoing motion was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

No: Supervisor Mancuso—1.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Point of Order.**

Supervisor Mancuso rose to a point of order and called the Board's attention to Rules 8 and 9 of its rules of order, contending it to be a dangerous precedent for the President to entertain a motion calling a matter from committee before the expiration of 30 days and insisted that the Board's own rules prohibited such an act.

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Dobbs moved adoption of the pending measure; motion seconded by Supervisor Ferdon.

**Substitute Motion.**

Supervisor Mancuso spoke against the motion to adopt and moved, as a substitute, that the measure be re-referred to committee.

Motion lost for want of a second.

**Motion to Excuse Supervisor Mancuso from Voting—Lost.**

Supervisor Mancuso asked to be excused from voting; accordingly, Supervisor Arnold moved that Supervisor Mancuso be so excused. Motion seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, and lost by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Halley, Mead, Sullivan—4.

Noes: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty—4.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Adopted.**

The roll was thereupon called on the pending measure and it was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—7.

No: Supervisor Mancuso—1.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Adopted.**

Commending San Francisco Council, Boy Scouts of America, for Its "Operation Doorknob" to Get Out the Vote for the November 4, 1952, Election.

Jointly presented by all members of the Board:

File No. 9669, Resolution No. 12776 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Ferdon moved adoption; seconded by Supervisor Dobbs.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Adopted.**

**In Memoriam—Mrs. Kathryn A. Murphy.**

Jointly presented by all members of the Board:

File No. 9221, Resolution No. 12743 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Ferdon moved adoption; seconded by Supervisor Dobbs.

*Unanimously adopted by rising vote* as follows:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Reference to Committee.**

**Requesting That Public Hearings Be Held Prior to Contracting for Street Improvement Work Which Will Substantially Interrupt or Interfere With Normal Movement of Pedestrian or Vehicular Traffic.**

Jointly presented by Supervisors Ferdon and Halley:

File No. 9670, Resolution No. . . . (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Halley moved adoption; seconded by Supervisor Ferdon.

**Suggestion Offered by Supervisor Arnold.**

Supervisor Arnold suggested that in connection with the foregoing measure, it would be well for the committee to study the advisability of including in the plans and specifications, provisions which will permit movement of pedestrian and vehicular traffic at intersections during period of construction.

Both the measure and the suggestion offered by Supervisor Arnold were referred to the *Streets Committee*.

**Reference to Committee.**

**Opposing Removal of Key Route Tracks on Lower Level of Bay Bridge.**

Supervisor Lewis presented:

File No. 9671, Resolution No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Referred to County, State and National Affairs Committee.*

**Announcement of Committee Hearing.**

Supervisor Lewis announced a meeting of the County, State and National Affairs Committee for Friday, November 7, 1952, at 2:00 p. m.

**Statement by Supervisor Mancuso With Respect to Voting.**

Supervisor Mancuso expressed the opinion that Board members should vote on matters calling for submission of measures to the people, especially if the passage of such measure would prove beneficial to them.

**Point of Personal Privilege.**

Supervisor Lewis rose to a point of personal privilege, objecting to aspersions being cast by Supervisor Mancuso.

Supervisor Lewis further stated for the record, that, in matters affecting the city and county having to do with city business, he has always been ready to act, but in matters which do not affect the city



and county, he shall always oppose them, concluding that if he were called upon to say whether he would vote for General Eisenhower or Governor Stevenson for the Presidency, he would decline to do so.

#### Question of Personal Privilege Not Well Taken.

The President ruled that the question of personal privilege was not well taken in that the speaker did not specifically refer to any particular member of the Board.

Supervisor Mancuso continued his statement by asserting that the passage of State Proposition No. 2 would not mean a savings to the city and county, but rather would result in the taking of money from the city for the benefit of rural areas.

#### Reference to Rules Committee.

Supervisor Mancuso requested that in order to avoid repetition of the confusion and uncertainty which prevailed in the Board today over certain legislative procedures, the following suggestions be referred to the proper committee for study and action: (1) Provision be made for excusing a member from voting; (2) clarification of rule concerning calling a matter from committee in less than 30 days after reference thereto; (3) provision for compelling a Supervisor who is present to vote.

The Supervisor further asked that consideration be given to the suggestion that the Board meet on Wednesday of each week to consider all matters, sitting as a Committee of the Whole; and secondly, that the Board of Supervisors meet as a Board on Mondays.

The foregoing suggestions were *referred to the Rules Committee.*

#### Adopted.

The following recommendation of the Rules Committee was taken up:

#### Motion.

In the future when, as authorized or required by law, there is presented to this Board, from any source, a proposal to elect, appoint, reappoint or ratify the appointment of any person to an official position, such proposal shall be accompanied by written information fully describing the qualifications of the person so proposed and shall be made available to the members of the Board within a reasonable time prior to the date upon which it is required or intended that such person shall assume such position.

File No. 9659

#### Amendment—Withdrawn.

Supervisor Lewis moved, as an amendment, that provision be made to provide sufficient information relative to the background of the person or persons involved.

*Motion withdrawn.*

The roll was thereupon called and the motion was *adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

#### Statement by the President.

The President of the Board informed the members that after consultation with the City Attorney, he found no actual language with respect to excusing any member from voting on any measure.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 1952

## ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 5:17 p. m., adjourned.

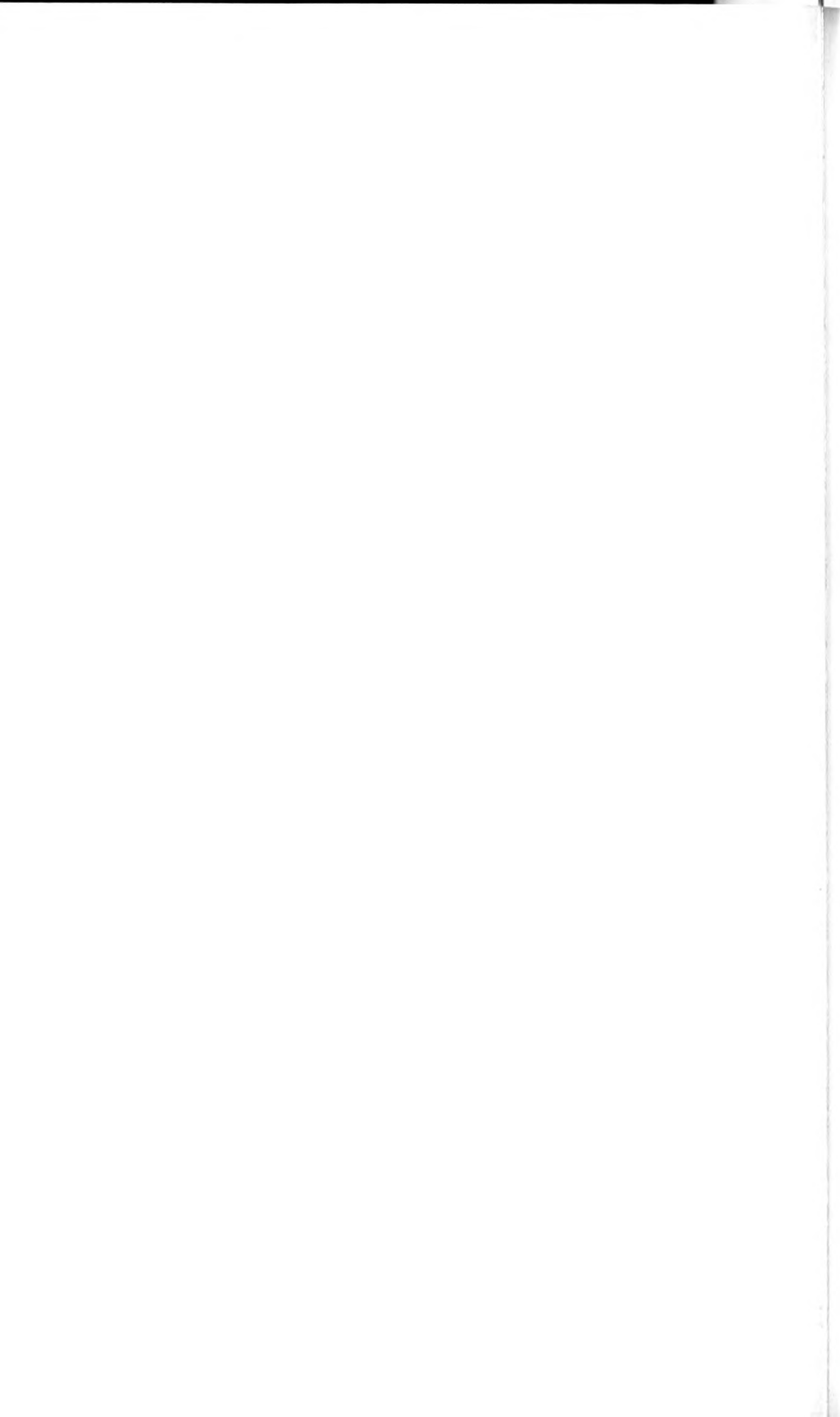
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Approved by the Board of Supervisors November 17, 1952.

I, John R. McGrath, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the date hereon stated and approved as recited.

JOHN R. McGRATH,  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.





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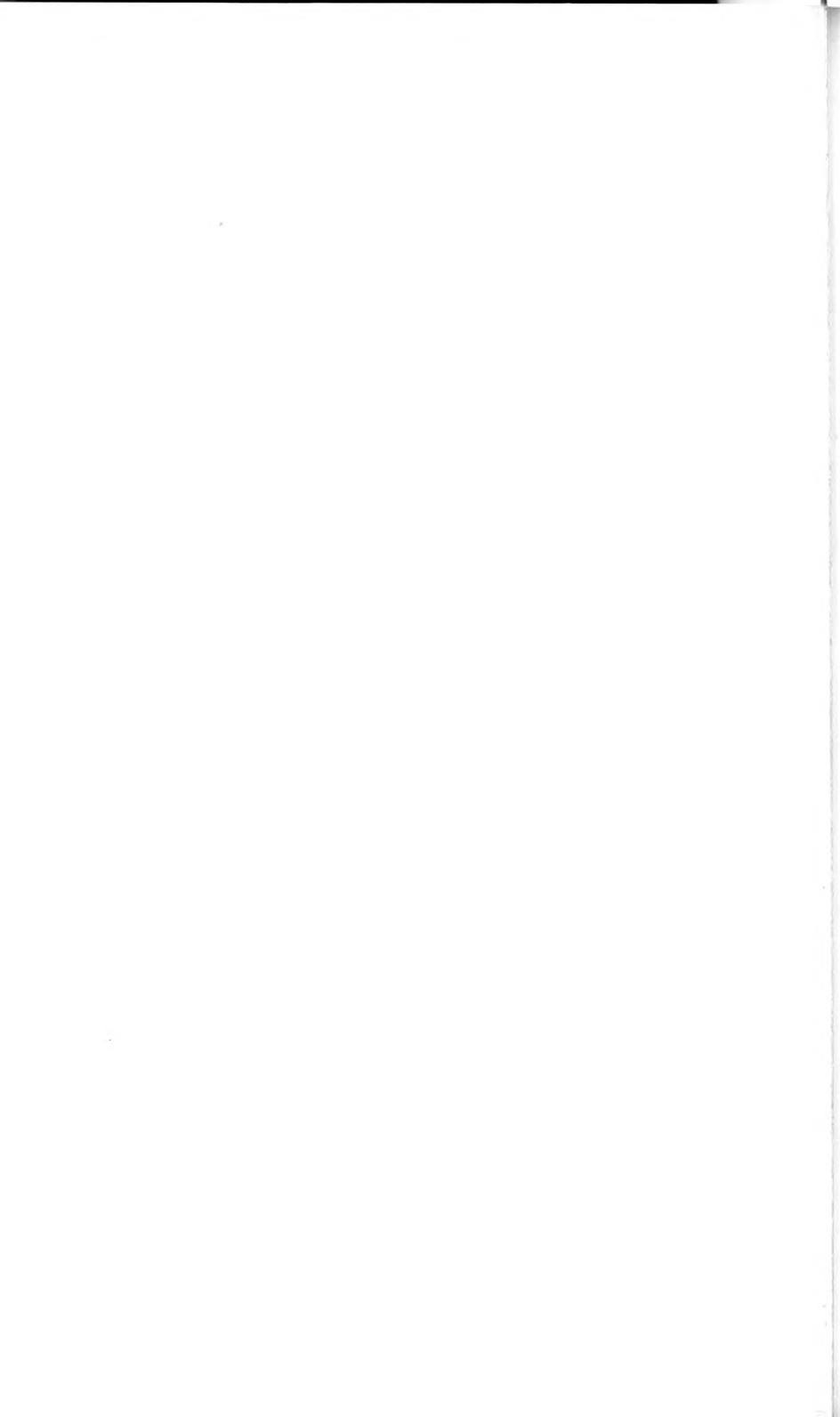
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# JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 10, 1952—2:00 P. M.

In meeting of Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, November 10, 1952, 2:00 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

## CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

Quorum present.

President Dewey Mead presiding.

Supervisors Christopher and MacPhee on authorized leaves.

Supervisor Lewis noted present at 2:25 p. m.

## Communications.

From Redwood Empire Supervisors' Unit, calling attention to meeting of Joint Interim Committee on Highways, Streets and Bridges, to be held on November 18-19, Sacramento, and meeting of Highway Commission to be held on November 19, in the State Public Works Building in Sacramento.

*Copy to each member; filed.*

From League of California Cities, Peninsula Division, notice of dinner meeting, November 20, 7 p. m., Hotel Lynden, Los Gatos.

*Copy to each member; filed.*

From County Supervisors' Association, notice of meeting of Board of Directors, December 5, 10 a. m., Mirror Room, Sacramento Hotel, Sacramento.

*Copy to each member; filed.*

## SPECIAL ORDER—2:00 P. M.

Hearing of Appeal from the Decision of the City Planning Commission by Its Resolution No. 4093 Dated September 18, 1952, Approving Application to Rezone Property Located on the Southeast Corner of Franklin and Lombard Streets from Second Residential District to Commercial District.

File No. 9548

October 20, 1952—Consideration continued to November 10, 1952.

## Motion to Defer Consideration.

Supervisor Sullivan moved, seconded by Supervisor Dobbs, that consideration of the foregoing measure be continued for three weeks.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Disapproving Decision of the City Planning Commission by Its Resolution No. 4093, Approving Application to Rezone Property Located on the Southeast Corner of Franklin and Lombard Streets from Second Residential District to Commercial District.**

File No. 9548-2, Resolution No. . . . (Series of 1939).

October 20, 1952—Consideration continued to November 10, 1952.

*Consideration continued three weeks.*

#### **SPECIAL ORDER—2:00 P. M.**

##### **Final Passage.**

The following recommendation of Judiciary Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon.

**Authorizing Sheriff to Require County Jail Prisoners to Perform Labor on Public Works or Ways, and Authorizing Deductions from Terms of Sentence.**

File No. 9239, Ordinance No. 7572 (Series of 1939).

November 3, 1952—Consideration continued to November 10, 1952.

##### **Privilege of the Floor.**

The privilege of the floor was accorded Mr. George W. Johns, Secretary of the San Francisco Labor Council. Mr. Johns informed the Board that he had conferred with Sheriff Dan Gallagher over existing differences and that they had arrived at a mutual understanding.

##### **Introduction of Measure.**

Supervisor Lewis thereupon sponsored the introduction of the following measure:

**Approving Rules and Regulations Proposed by the Sheriff Under Which Labor Is to Be Performed by Persons Confined in the County Jail Under a Final Judgment of Imprisonment Pursuant to the Provisions of Ordinance No. 7572 (Series of 1939).**

File No. 9239-1, Resolution . . . (Series of 1939).

##### **Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Lewis moved adoption; seconded by Supervisor Dobbs.

##### **Inquiry.**

Before the roll could be called on the foregoing measure, Supervisor Mancuso inquired if the pending measure authorizing the Sheriff to require county jail prisoners to perform labor on public works or ways, should not first be passed before Supervisor Lewis' measure was acted upon.

The President ruled that the inquiry had merit and that the calendar item should first be passed.

##### **Roll Call.**

The roll was thereupon called on the calendar item designated as File No. 9239, and it was *finally passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

##### **Adopted.**

The roll was then called on Supervisor Lewis' resolution and it was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.



## UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

## Final Passage.

The following recommendations of Finance Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

Appropriating \$25,000, Public Works, from the Unappropriated Balance of the Special Road Improvement Fund, for Right of Way Purchase, Construction and Contingencies in Connection With the Improvement of Jessie Street, East of Tenth Street.

File No. 8585-1, Ordinance No. 7573 (Series of 1939).

## Explanations of Votes.

Supervisor Dobbs stated he was voting against the measure because he felt that insufficient study had been given the problem to definitely decide that the expenditure for the purpose stated in the measure was a necessary one.

Supervisor Ferdon explained that he was voting against the measure because he felt that on this and future matters of similar nature the Board should adopt another method of investigation and procedure.

## Roll Call.

The roll was thereupon called and the foregoing measure was finally passed by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—6.

Noes: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon—2.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, MacPhee—3

## Final Passage.

Appropriating \$6,750, Recreation and Park, for Purchase, Assembly and Installation Costs of Three Fishing Floats to Be Welded into One Large Float, Required for the Lake Merced Juvenile Fishing Program.

File No. 9517, Ordinance No. 7575 (Series of 1939).

Finally Passed by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Board of Education, Non-Certificated Employees, Section 83.4, by Adding One Position of Library Page, Part-Time, "as Needed," at \$1.00 Per Hour.

File No. 9549, Ordinance No. 7576 (Series of 1939)

Finally Passed by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

## Supervisor Halley Excused.

There being no objection, Supervisor Halley was temporarily excused from Board attendance.

**Final Passage.**

**Authorizing Compromise and Settlement of Claim of Francis M. Ormsby Against the City and County by the Payment of \$750.**

File No. 9587, Ordinance No. 7577 (Series of 1939).

(Personal injuries suffered as result of being struck by police car.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee—4.

**Appropriating \$200,000, Public Works, from Unappropriated Balance of Special Road Improvement Fund, for Street Work Outside of Track Area.**

File No. 9604, Ordinance No. 7578 (Series of 1939).

(Folsom Street, from Tenth Street to Precita Avenue;	
Precita Avenue, from Folsom Street to Army	
Street; Twenty-sixth Street, from Mission Street	
to Bryant Street	\$ 40,000
Union Street, from Baker Street to Steiner Street;	
Baker Street, from Greenwich Street to Union	
Street; Steiner Street, from Greenwich Street to	
Union Street; Greenwich Street, from Lyon Street	
to Van Ness Avenue	110,000
Clement Street, from Second Avenue to Eighth Ave-	
nuce; Eighth Avenue, from Clement Street to	
Fulton Street	50,000)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Appropriating \$1,780, San Francisco Hospital, for Creation of Position of Counter Attendant; Abolishing One Position of Waitress.**

File No. 9605-1, Ordinance No. 7579 (Series of 1939).

(Counter Attendant	\$9.95 per day
Waitress	\$205-235 per month)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Sections 58(a) and 60(c), San Francisco Hospital—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 9605-2, Ordinance No. 7580 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Re-reference to Committee.**

**Appropriating \$5,200, Coroner, for Creation of Position of Coroner; Abolishing Position of Coroner, Part-Time.**

File No. 9606-1, Ordinance No. . (Series of 1939).

(Coroner, \$650-750 per month.)

**Motion to Re-refer to Committee.**

Supervisor Dobbs moved, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, that the foregoing measure be re-referred to committee because of a statement made by the Chief Administrative Officer at a previous meeting that a full-time position of Coroner is not necessary.

Supervisor McCarty called the Board's attention to the fact that the passage of the pending measure is required to assure payment of salary to the present incumbent of the position.

The Chief Administrative Officer concurred in the statement by Supervisor McCarty, and added that if and when the pending measure is passed, the Civil Service Commission would probably conduct an examination for the full-time position.

Supervisor Ferdon stated that it has not been made clear to him that it was essential that a full-time Coroner was necessary and therefore the matter should be re-referred to committee.

The Chief Administrative Officer again stated that he personally was against a full-time position although he admitted that pressure had been brought to bear for a full-time one.

Supervisor Arnold, in view of existing conditions, urged that the measure be re-referred to Committee.

**Roll Call.**

The roll was thereupon called and the foregoing measure, as well as the succeeding amendment to the Annual Salary Ordinance, designated as File No. 9606-2, were *re-referred to committee* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—8.

No: Supervisor McCarty—1.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

*Re-referred to committee.*

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 63, Coroner—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 9606-2, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Re-referred to committee.*

**Final Passage.****Appropriating \$1,955, San Francisco Hospital, for Creation of Position of Telephone Operator; Abolishing Position of General Clerk.**

File No. 9607-1, Ordinance No. 7581 (Series of 1939).

(Telephone Operator	\$230-280
General Clerk	240-300)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Sections 58 and 58.1, San Francisco Hospital—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 9607-2, Ordinance No. 7582 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Amending Various Sections of the Annual Salary Ordinance to Reflect Cost-of-Living Adjustments for Metal Trades Employees, Pursuant to Ordinance No. 7414 (Series of 1939), Effective August 1, 1952.**

File No. 9621, Ordinance No. 7583 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Adopted.**

The following recommendation of County, State and National Affairs Committee, heretofore considered, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso, Sullivan.

**Recommending Enactment of State Legislation Which Would Remove Any Liability of the City and County in Suits Involving Sidewalk Injuries.**

File No. 8380, Resolution No. 12777 (Series of 1939).

November 3, 1952—Consideration continued to November 10, 1952.

The City's Sacramento Legislative Counsel was sent for and upon his arrival he informed the Board that the proposed state law consisted of but two paragraphs; that he was having copies made of same, and that in effect, if passed, it would provide that liability for defective sidewalks would rest on property owners and not the city and county.

The roll was thereupon called and the foregoing measure was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, Sullivan—6.

Noes: Supervisors Ferdon, McCarty, Mead—3.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

## **NEW BUSINESS.**

**Adopted.**

The following measures from Finance Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisor McCarty.

(In each of the following instances where a matter from the Finance Committee is involved, Supervisor McCarty moved adoption or passage for second reading, as the case may be. Motion seconded by Supervisor Halley.)

**Authorizing Release of Lien Recorded by the Public Welfare Department for Aid Extended to Florence Crumb.**

File No. 9223, Resolution No. 12781 (Series of 1939).

(Full payment of \$47.86 made.)

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, MacPhee—4.

## **Call of the Board.**

At this point, there being no objection, Supervisor Mancuso's request for a call of the Board was complied with.

**Adopted.****Authorizing Release of Lien Recorded by the Public Welfare Department for Aid Extended to Odys Sanders.**

File No. 9223, Resolution No. 12783 (Series of 1939).

(Full payment of \$160.66 made.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Authorizing Release of Lien Recorded by the Public Welfare Department for Aid Extended to Cecile Rodetsky.**

File No. 9223, Resolution No. 12782 (Series of 1939).

(Full payment of \$640.52 made.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Authorizing Extension of Grants of Emergency Relief to Dependent Non-Residents for November and December; List Dated November 10, 1952.**

File No. 9225, Resolution No. 12784 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Confirming Sale of Surplus City-Owned Land Located on the South Side of Lombard Street, West of Octavia Street, to Joe Padilla et ux. and Edmund Belforte et ux. for \$42,500.**

File No. 9478-2, Resolution No. 12786 (Series of 1939).

(Not in conflict with Master Plan. Size of lot: 75 feet by 106.25 feet. Property was acquired in connection with the widening of Lombard Street and is now surplus.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Confirming Temporary Lease of Mission-Bartlett Parking Plaza Area to Mission Street Merchants Association Parking Corporation.**

File No. 9519-2, Resolution No. 12787 (Series of 1939).

(Month to month basis. Lessee agrees to pay as rental, 62 per cent of gross revenue received each month, but in no event less than \$300 per month.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Authorizing Purchase of Water Pipe Line Easement from Avansino, Mortensen and Company for \$610, Required for the Sunset Supply Line.**

File No. 9644, Resolution No. 12788 (Series of 1939).

(Parcel located in San Mateo County, adjacent to Sneath Lane, containing 0.201 acres, more or less.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Authorizing Purchase of Certain Real Property from Federico S. Espiritu et ux. for \$650, Required for School Project No. 50.**

File No. 9645, Resolution No. 12789 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Located at Somerset and Olmstead Streets. Lot 4, Block 6126. Size: 37.5 feet by 120 feet. Vacant.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Authorizing Purchase of Certain Real Property from Joseph DeStefanis for \$500, Required for School Project No. 50.**

File No. 9646, Resolution No. 12790 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Located on Somerset Street north of Olmstead Street. Lot 8, Block 6125. Size: 25 feet by 120 feet. Vacant.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Authorizing Acceptance of Deed from Joseph Camisa et ux., Without Cost to the City, to Land Required to Widen an Existing Pedestrian Way Within St. Mary's Park Playground Area.**

File No. 9647, Resolution No. 12791 (Series of 1939).

(Not in conflict with Master Plan. The Pacific Gas and Electric Company and the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company are assuming the cost of the parcels and the re-location of the fence.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Authorizing Purchase of Certain Real Property from Annie E. Davis and Elvira Davis McGunagle for \$400, Required for School Project No. 53.**

File No. 9648, Resolution No. 12792 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Lot 33, Block 6241, located on Arleta Avenue east of Sawyer Street. Size: 25 feet by 100 feet. Vacant.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Confirming Amendment to Lease of Certain City-Owned Land on Moccasin Creek, Tuolumne County, for Use as a State Fish Hatchery.**

File No. 9661, Resolution No. 12793 (Series of 1939).

(Amendment required to conform to present state statute regarding indemnity to be furnished by the State.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Passage for Second Reading.**

**Appropriating \$1,320, Public Health, Adult Guidance, for Maintenance and Repairs of Adult Guidance Center Building Located at 150 Otis Street.**

File No. 9637, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Appropriating \$3,846.42, Recreation and Park, for Overtime Swing-Shift Differentials and Holiday Pay During Period July 1, 1947, Through June 30, 1950, Pursuant to Court Order.**

File No. 9638, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Amending Ordinance No. 9,051,226, by Increasing the Water Department Stores Revolving Fund to an Amount Not Exceeding \$650,000, and Authorizing Controller to Return Monies in Excess of Requirements to the Fund from Which They Were Appropriated.**

File No. 9649, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(In addition to increasing the amount of the fund from \$500,000 to \$650,000, Section 2 of the ordinance reads as follows: "Whenever in the judgment of the Controller the principal of the Water Department Stores Revolving Fund is in excess of requirements, the Controller shall, and he is hereby authorized to return such excess to the fund from which such funds were appropriated.")

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Appropriating \$150,000, Water Department, to Increase Stores Revolving Fund from \$500,000 to \$650,000.**

File No. 9650, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

Appropriating \$1,700, Public Works, for Temporary Salaries.

File No. 9662, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Adopted.**

The following recommendations of County, State and National Affairs Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso, Sullivan.

**Memorializing the Legislature to Provide Increase in Aid for Support and Maintenance of Needy Children in Institutions or Boarding Homes.**

File No. 8931, Resolution No. 12778 (Series of 1939).

(Recommends increase in present amounts of \$40 and \$60 to \$50 and \$75, for children who have county and state residence, and state residence only, respectively.)

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Opposing Proposal of Key System Transit Lines to Substitute Bus Service for "A" and "B" Line Trains Now Using the Lower Level of the San Francisco-Oakland Bay Bridge.**

File No. 9671, Resolution No. 12794 (Series of 1939).

**Statement by Supervisor Lewis.**

Supervisor Lewis urged adoption of the measure, contending that to remove the tracks would result in the substitution therefor for busses, which in turn would further congest the vehicular traffic crossing the bridge; that if these tracks were permitted to be removed, this would eventually lead to a request for the removal of all tracks on the bridge, thus making the traffic situation on the upper span almost intolerable.

Supervisor Lewis further stated that the Downtown Association endorsed the adoption of the pending measure.

The roll was thereupon called and the subject measure was *adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**Authorizing Attendance of Supervisor Marvin E. Lewis at the American Municipal Congress of the American Municipal Association to Be Held in Los Angeles, November 30 Through December 3, 1952.**

File No. 9680, Resolution No. 12795 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.



**OFF-CALENDAR LEGISLATION.**

The following recommendation of his Honor the Mayor was taken up:

**Adopted.**

**Leave of Absence—Henry C. Maginn, Police Commissioner, for 13 Days from November 17, 1952, With Permission to Leave the State.**

The Clerk presented:

File No. 9220, Resolution No. 12779 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Arnold moved adoption; motion seconded by Supervisor McCarty.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF MEASURES AND COMMUNICATIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.**

**Adopted.**

**Authorizing Attendance of Superintendent and Medical Director of Hassler Health Home at Meeting of Association of Western Hospitals, California Sanatorium Section, to Be Held at Springville, California, November 11, 1952.**

Supervisor Arnold presented:

File No. 9685, Resolution No. 12796 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Arnold moved adoption; seconded by Supervisor McCarty.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

**References to Committee.**

**Authorizing Attendance of City Attorney at the Annual Conference of the National Institute of Municipal Law Officers to Be Held in Louisville, Ky., December 1-3, 1952.**

Supervisor Arnold presented:

File No. 9686, Resolution No. (Series of 1939)

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

**Providing for the Issuance of \$1,000,000 Principal Amount of "City and County of San Francisco Airport Bonds—1949," Designated "Series D," and \$3,000,000 Principal Amount of "City and County of San Francisco Cherry Valley Dam Bonds—1949," Designated "Series B."**

Supervisor Arnold presented:

File No. 9687, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

Providing for Issuance of \$10,000,000 Principal Amount of "City and County of San Francisco School Bonds—1948," Designated "Series D."

Supervisor Arnold presented:

File No. 9688, Resolution No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

Providing for the Issuance of \$1,000,000 Principal Amount of "City and County of San Francisco Street Improvement Bonds—1947," Designated "Series F."

Supervisor Arnold presented:

File No. 9689, Resolution No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

Adopted.

In Memoriam—Philip Murray.

Jointly presented by all members of the Board:

File No. 9221, Resolution No. 12780 (Series of 1939).

Motion to Adopt.

Supervisor Ferdon moved adoption; seconded by Supervisor McCarty.

*Unanimously adopted by rising vote as follows:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

Adopted.

Urging Retention of Bureau of Internal Revenue Tax District Headquarters in San Francisco.

Supervisor Halley presented:

File No. 9691, Resolution No. 12797 (Series of 1939).

Motion to Adopt.

Supervisor Halley moved adoption; seconded by Supervisor Dobbs.

Amendment.

Supervisor Ferdon moved, as an amendment, that the City's Legislative Counsel be requested to solicit the aid of Congressmen of the Bay Area and Northern California in retaining the tax headquarters in San Francisco. Motion seconded by Supervisor Halley.

No objection and motion *carried*.

Adopted as Amended.

The roll was thereupon called and the foregoing measure, as amended, was *adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2.

Statement by Supervisor Lewis in Connection With the Creation of a Bay Area Transit Authority.

Supervisor Lewis spoke of the urgency of enacting legislation calling for the creation of a Transit Authority for the nine Bay Area counties to supplant the present Bay Area Transit Commission. Such an Authority would have delegates from each of the Bay Area

counties. The Supervisor stated that the committee to be held by the Senate Interim Committee in January and asserted that such committee should be advised of the type of legislation which would be necessary to form the Authority. Supervisor Lewis, a member of the present Tripartite Committee on the Authority, will introduce a resolution calling for the preparation of legislation which if passed will involve a delay of three or four years and will cost several hundred thousands of dollars. The Supervisor stated that legislation for the creation of a new Tripartite Authority has an excellent chance of passing at the coming session of the Legislature. He further stated that Los Angeles County is not eligible for financial assistance toward the creation of a new authority. The Supervisor concluded his remarks by inviting the attendance of the members of the Board at the hearings held by the Senate Interim Committee.

#### Invitation from The Guardsmen—Accepted.

Supervisor Lewis introduced a letter from The Guardsmen, an extensive fraternal organization, members of the Board of Supervisors. The Guardsmen suggested that a fraternal organization be held at the County Administration Building on Saturday, December 13, between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m.

Supervisor Lewis accordingly moved that the Board of Supervisors be so ordered. Motion seconded by Supervisor Fern and carried up the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arn, Dobb, Fern, Halley, Lewis, MacLean, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2

#### Statement by Supervisor Lewis Relating to Consideration by Board of Measures Not Dealing With City and County Problems.

Supervisor Lewis referred to the measures which have introduced in the Board of Supervisors regarding the Board of Supervisors' interest in the matter of the Board of Supervisors' interest in the county funds. He stated that there were certain problems facing the Board of Supervisors which the Board of Supervisors should consider.

#### Motion to Call Measure from Committee

Supervisor Lewis accordingly moved that the Board of Supervisors be so ordered. Motion seconded by Supervisor Halley that the Board of Supervisors be so ordered. The Board of Supervisors then considered the matter when it was brought before the Board of Supervisors. The Board of Supervisors then adopted the following resolution:

#### Objection.

Supervisor Dobb voiced objection stating that the Board of Supervisors had not been advised of the propriety of the Board of Supervisors' interest in the matter.

#### Motion Withdrawn

There being no objection motion withdrawn.

#### Adopted

#### Ordering the Registrar of Voters to Canvass Returns of Votes Cast at the Election Held on November 4, 1952

Supervisor Mancusi presented

File No. 9692-1, Resolution No. 1179, Series 1193a

#### Motion to Adopt

Supervisor Mancusi moved adoption. Seconded by Supervisor Arnold

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobb, Fern, Halley, Lewis, MacLean, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, MacPhee—2

**Setting of Special Order—Hearing on Tree-Planting Program.**

Supervisor Mancuso inquired into the tree-planting program scheduled to be undertaken along Junipero Serra Boulevard. Mr. Brooks informed the Supervisor that the work would start in about two weeks.

**Motion.**

Supervisor Mancuso moved that a representative of the Recreation and Park Department be present at the next regular meeting of the Board on Monday, November 17, 1952, as a Special Order of Business at 3:00 p. m., for the purpose of informing Board members just what is being done to maintain the trees already planted and what future plans are contemplated with respect to the tree-planting program. Motion seconded by Supervisor Arnold and *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Christopher, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Announcement of Committee Meeting.**

The President of the Board announced a meeting of the Rules Committee for Wednesday, November 19, 1952, at 2:30 p. m.

**Report from Registrar of Voters Concerning Complaints from Citizens Due to Difficulties at Polls.**

Supervisor Ferdon requested that the Clerk obtain a report from the Registrar of Voters relative to complaints of citizens against undue delay and difficulty encountered by them at the polls during the November election. The Board desired to be informed as to the causes and effects of such delay, with the thought that probably the Registrar would want to institute corrective measures in time for future elections.

No objection and *Clerk was directed to comply.*

**ADJOURNMENT.**

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 3:30 p. m., adjourned.

JOHN R. McGRATH, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors November 24, 1952.

I, John R. McGrath, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the date hereon stated and approved as recited.

JOHN R. McGRATH,  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.

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MONDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 1952—2:00 P. M.

In meeting of Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, November 17, 1952, 2:00 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

## CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—7.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso—4.

Quorum present.

President Dewey Mead presiding.

Supervisor Arnold noted present at 2:22 p. m.

Supervisor Lewis noted present at 2:15 p. m.

Supervisor Mancuso noted present at 2:10 p. m.

Supervisor Ferdon on authorized leave.

## APPROVAL OF JOURNALS.

The Journals of Proceedings for October 27 and November 3, 1952, were considered read and approved.

## Communications.

Petitions from various firms and individuals, opposing proposal to institute towaway regulations on the lower end of Market Street.  
*Considered with calendar item; filed.*

From County Supervisors' Association, notice of change of meeting of Board of Directors to December 19, 10 a. m., Mirror Room, Sacramento Hotel, Sacramento.

*Copy to each member of Board; filed.*

From Walter Neil, Director, M. H. deYoung Memorial Museum, submitting data in connection with proposed construction of a new warehouse.

*Copy to Supervisor Mancuso; filed.*

From Mrs. Geary E. Hocke, addressed to Supervisor Mancuso, urging appointment of Mrs. Julia Bode as a director of the Golden Gate Bridge and Highway District.

*Resolution electing Mrs. Bode to be considered by Board; filed.*

## SPECIAL ORDER—2:00 P. M.

Hearing of Objections to Correction of Clerical Errors in 1952-1953 Assessment Roll Which Will Increase Amount of Taxes Payable.

File No. 9588

November 3, 1952—Consideration continued to November 17, 1952.

**Communication from Assessor.**

The Clerk read a communication received from the Assessor in which a statement was made that the Mr. Steve H. Stilanos, the protestant, was advised course of action to pursue to receive an honorable discharge which, if granted, would permit him to again apply for the exemption heretofore taken from him.

The President at this point asked if Mr. Stilanos was in the audience for the purpose of hearing further from him. Mr. Stilanos was not, and the Clerk read the following measure to the Board:

**Adopted.****Authorizing Correction of Clerical Errors in 1952-1953 Assessment Rolls.**

File No. 9588-2, Resolution No. 12808 (Series of 1939).

November 3, 1952—Consideration continued to November 17, 1952.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon, Lewis—3.

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS.****Final Passage.**

The following recommendations of Finance Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, McCarty.

**Appropriating \$19,050, deYoung Museum, for New Hardwood Floors in Central Galleries and for Development of Exterior Garden Court.**

File No. 9520, Ordinance No. 7585 (Series of 1939).

(Hardwood floor in Central Galleries:

Approximate area of 8,000 square feet, bruce block  
hardwood flooring, herringbone pattern ..... \$ 9,850

Exterior Garden Court:

Retaining wall, security fence, development of court,  
new concrete paving, approaches to anterooms,  
brick steps and landing ..... 9,200

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\$19,050

Not in conflict with Master Plan.)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon, Lewis—3.

**Supervisor Halley Excused.**

There being no objection, Supervisor Halley was granted permission to leave the Chambers.

**Final Passage.****Authorizing Compromise and Settlement of Claim of Ann Ruth Dervin Against the City and County by the Payment of \$750.**

File No. 9616, Ordinance No. 7589 (Series of 1939).

(Injuries sustained due to alleged defective condition of sidewalk.)



*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon, Halley—3.

**Authorizing Compromise and Settlement of Claim of Margaret Kelson Against the City and County by the Payment of \$200.**

File No. 9617, Ordinance No. 7590 (Series of 1939).

(Injuries sustained due to alleged defective condition of sidewalk.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon—2.

**Appropriating \$820,000, Public Welfare, to Increase Revenue and Expenditure Appropriations for Aid to Needy Children, Old-Age Security Aid and Aid to Needy Blind, Due to Greater Participation of the Federal Government in These Aid Programs, Effective October 1, 1952.**

File No. 9622, Ordinance No. 7591 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon—2.

**Appropriating \$20,000, Water Department, for Cathodic Protection of Bay Division Pipe Line No. 1.**

File No. 9623, Ordinance No. 7592 (Series of 1939).

(Entire pipe line, which was laid in 1926, is being badly corroded by electrolytic action.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon—2.

#### Consideration Temporarily Postponed.

**Amending Section 6 of Ordinance No. 3758 (Series of 1939), Relating to the Farmers' Market, by Providing a Schedule of Fees to Be Charged; Prescribing Penalties for Violation of This Ordinance; and Repealing Ordinance No. 3053 (Series of 1939).**

File No. 9629, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Fees:

Daily stall fee:

Monday	Free
Tuesday or Wednesday	\$ .50
Thursday	1.00
Friday	1.50
Saturday	2.00

Entrance tonnage fee (to be charged only once against any given load) per ton or fraction thereof . . . . .50)

There being no objection, consideration was *temporarily postponed*, pending appearance of the Clerk of the Board to answer certain questions which Supervisor Lewis desired to ask.

*Temporarily postponed.*

**Final Passage.**

**Amending the Annual Appropriation Ordinance, 1952-1953, Revenue and Expenditures Appropriations, Pursuant to Provisions of Sections 35.5.1 and 36.2 of the Charter, to Provide for Increased Compensation for Members of the Police and Fire Departments for Period August 7 to December 31, 1952, as Set Forth in Ordinance No. 7491 (Series of 1939).**

File No. 9633, Ordinance No. 7594 (Series of 1939).

(Amount heretofore appropriated . . . . .)	\$2,735,697
Added by this measure . . . . .	626,259)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon—2.

**Appropriating \$2,450, Mayor, Disaster Corps, for Creation of Position of Rescue and First-Aid Technician.**

File No. 9635-1, Ordinance No. 7595 (Series of 1939).

(Salary range, \$350-410 per month.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 4.1, Mayor, Disaster Corps—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 9635-2, Ordinance No. 7596 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

**Appropriating \$259, Mayor, Disaster Corps, for Overtime for Rescue and First-Aid Services.**

File No. 9636, Ordinance No. 7597 (Series of 1939).

(Necessary to organize rescue and first-aid services and set up new stations required to care for materials and supplies received from State.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

**Final Passage.**

The following recommendations of Streets Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Ferdon, Halley, Sullivan.

**Ordering the Improvement of Lawton Street Between Seventh and Locksley Avenue, and Locksley Avenue (West One-Half) Between Lawton Street and Its Southerly Termination, Including the Intersection of Lawton Street, Locksley Avenue and Warren Drive.**

File No. 9493, Ordinance No. 7584 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

**Ordering the Improvement of Vernon Street Between Shields and Sargent Streets; and Extending City Aid in Approximate Amount of \$10,000.**

File No. 9527, Ordinance No. 7586 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

**Ordering the Improvement of Duncan Street Between Noe and Newburg Streets, Including the Crossing of Duncan and Castro Streets, by Grading to the Proposed Lines and Subgrades; and Extending City Aid in Approximate Amount of \$20,500.**

File No. 9583, Ordinance No. 7587 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

**Amending Ordinance No. 1061 Entitled "Regulating the Width of Sidewalks" by Changing the Width of Sidewalk on the West Side of Quint Street Between Jerrold and La Salle Avenues from 7 to 15 Feet.**

File No. 9615, Ordinance No. 7588 (Series of 1939).

(Not in conflict with the Master Plan.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

**Ordering the Improvement of Portions of Corwin Street Between Acme Alley and Its Westerly Termination; and Extending City Aid in Approximate Amount of \$4,600.**

File No. 9641, Ordinance No. 7598 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

#### Final Passage.

The following recommendation of Police Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Halley, Arnold, Ferdon.

**Amending Section 4 of Ordinance No. 4288 (Series of 1939), Relating to Parking Meter Zones, by Excepting Saturday Afternoons, Sundays and Holidays from Parking Meter Regulations.**

File No. 7240, Ordinance No. 7574 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

#### NEW BUSINESS.

##### Consideration Continued.

The following recommendations of Finance Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

**Authorizing and Instructing the City Attorney to Bring Action Against the American District Telegraph Company for Money Due Under Terms of Its Franchise.**

File No. 6836-1, Resolution No. . . (Series of 1939).

**Communication Requesting Deferment of Consideration.**

The Clerk read a communication from Pillsbury, Madison and Sutro, attorneys-at-law, requesting deferment of consideration for one week.

**Motion.**

Accordingly, Supervisor Arnold moved, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, that consideration of the foregoing measure be continued for one week.

**Question Put to Controller.**

Supervisor Mancuso asked the Controller if a week's delay would involve the Statute of Limitations. The Controller replied to the effect that he had looked into that phase of the matter and that a week's continuance would not, but that possibly a longer period of time would.

The roll was thereupon called on the motion to defer and it *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

**Consideration Continued.**

**Authorizing and Directing the Controller and the Treasurer to Return Franchise Payment Check in Sum of \$10,096.97 to the American District Telegraph Company.**

File No. 6836-2, Resolution No. . . (Series of 1939).

(Check purported to be in full and complete settlement of monetary obligations due the City and County under the terms of its franchise, for period January 1, 1950, through December 18, 1950, and for future obligations beyond December 18, 1950. Check is being returned for purpose of avoiding an accord and satisfaction or any final settlement of claims by the City and County against the telegraph company.)

**Motion to Defer Consideration.**

Supervisor Arnold moved, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, that consideration of the foregoing measure be continued for a period of one week.

No objection and motion *carried*.

*Consideration continued one week.*

**Adopted.**

**Approving Supplemental Recommendations, Public Welfare Department, Relative to Categorical Aids; Letters Dated November 10, 1952.**

File No. 9224, Resolution No. 12806 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

**Authorizing Extension of Grants of Emergency Relief to Dependent Non-Residents for November and December; List Dated November 17, 1952.**

File No. 9225, Resolution No. 12807 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan--10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon--1.

**Authorizing Purchase of Tax-Deeded Property from the State of California for \$5.00, Required for the Extension of Clipper Street.**

File No. 9642, Resolution No. 12809 (Series of 1939).

(Lot 3, Block 6543, vacant land, located on the westerly line of Homestead Street, southerly from Twenty-fifth Street  
Size: 50 feet by 125 feet.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan--10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon--1.

**Authorizing Acceptance of Deed, Without Cost, to Certain Water Pipe Line Easements Located in and Along Twenty-third Street from Louisiana Street to Massachusetts Street, from the Pacific Gas and Electric Company.**

File No. 9676, Resolution No. 12814 (Series of 1939).

(Not in conflict with the Master Plan.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan--9.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, Lewis--2.

**Waiving the Statute of Limitations as to the Payment of Various Warrants from the Employees' Retirement Fund.**

File No. 9677, Resolution No. 12815 (Series of 1939).

(Amounts due certain employees who had left city service. Warrants were mailed to their last known address but returned. They have since made application for refund of accumulated contributions.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan--10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon--1.

**Ratifying Action Instituted by the Attorney for the Bureau of Delinquent Revenue Collection Against Henry Amundsen, for Recovery of Value of Care and Treatment Furnished by the San Francisco Hospital and Laguna Honda Home.**

File No. 9679, Resolution 12816 (Series of 1939).

(Mr. Amundsen received care and treatment for personal injuries suffered by the loss of both legs in a railroad accident. He subsequently received a substantial judgment and the City is now seeking to recover value of care and treatment furnished.)

Controller Ross informed the Board that this phase of the work,

formerly handled by the City Attorney's office, is now being taken care of by the attorney assigned to the Bureau of Delinquent Revenue.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon—2.

Authorizing Attendance of City Attorney at Annual Conference of the National Institute of Municipal Law Officers, to be Held in Louisville, Kentucky, December 1-3, 1952.

File No. 9686, Resolution No. 12818 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon—2.

Providing for the Issuance of \$1,000,000 Principal Amount of "City and County of San Francisco Airport Bonds—1949," Designated "Series D"; \$3,000,000 Principal Amount of "City and County of San Francisco Cherry Valley Dam Bonds—1949," Designated "Series B," Each Being a Part of Respective Issues of \$10,000,000 and \$4,000,000 Authorized at an Election Held in the City and County of San Francisco on November 8, 1949; Prescribing the Date and Form of Said Bonds, and of the Coupons to Be Attached Thereto; Fixing the Maximum Rate of Interest on Said Bonds, and Prescribing the Maturities Thereof; Authorizing the Execution of Said Bonds and Coupons; and Providing for the Levy of a Tax to Pay the Principal and Interest Thereof.

File No. 9687, Resolution No. 12819 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon—2.

Providing for the Issuance of \$10,000,000 Principal Amount of "City and County of San Francisco School Bonds—1948," Designated "Series D," Being a Part of an Issue of \$48,890,000 Authorized at an Election Held in the City and County of San Francisco on November 2, 1948; Prescribing the Date and Form of Said Bonds and of the Coupons to Be Attached Thereto; Fixing the Maximum Rate of Interest on Said Bonds and Prescribing the Maturities Thereof; Authorizing the Execution of Said Bonds and Coupons; and Providing for the Levy of a Tax to Pay the Principal and Interest Thereof.

File No. 9688, Resolution No. 12799 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon—2.

Providing for the Issuance of \$1,000,000 Principal Amount of "City and County of San Francisco Street Improvement Bonds—1947," Designated "Series F," Being Part of an Issue of \$22,850,000 Authorized at an Election Held in the City and County of San Francisco on November 4, 1947; Prescribing the Date and Form of Said Bonds, and of the Coupons to Be Attached Thereto; Fixing the Maximum Rate of Interest on Said Bonds and Prescribing the Maturities Thereof; Authorizing the Execution of Said Bonds and Coupons; and Providing for the Levy of a Tax to Pay the Principal and Interest Thereof.

File No. 9689, Resolution No. 12800 (Series of 1939).

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**Authorizing Acceptance of Quitclaim Deed from the Western Pacific Railroad Company to a Spur Track Easement, Without Cost, Required in Connection With the Widening of Potrero Avenue.**

File No. 9654, Resolution No. 12810 (Series of 1939).

(Spur track located within area located on the east side of Potrero Avenue, northerly from Andrew Street.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon—2.

**Approving Map Showing the Widening of the Southeasterly Corner of First and Bryant Streets, and Declaring Same to Be Open, Public Streets.**

File No. 9655, Resolution No. 12811 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon—2.

**Passage for Second Reading.**

**Accepting the Roadways and Curbs of Dartmouth Street Between Dwight and Olmstead Streets and Between Woolsey and Dwight Streets; and the Crossing of Dwight and Dartmouth Streets.**

File No. 9632, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon—2.

**Ordering the Improvement of Kirkham Street Between Fourth and Fifth Avenues, and Extending City Aid in Approximate Amount of \$3,600.**

File No. 9640, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Ferdon—2.

**Refused Adoption.**

The following measures from Police Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisor Halley.

**Adding Portions of Market, Mission, Sutter and Fourth Streets to List of Streets on Which Stopping Is Prohibited Between 4 and 6 P. M., Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays Excepted; and Rescinding Resolution No. 12090 (Series of 1939).**

File No. 8847, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

(Market Street, south side, between Valencia Street and The Embarcadero;

Mission Street, east side, between Sixteenth Street and South Van Ness Avenue;

Mission Street, south side, between South Van Ness Avenue and The Embarcadero;

Sutter Street, south side, between Jones and Market Streets;



Fourth Street, east side, between Howard and Market Streets;  
Fourth Street, west side, between Mission and Howard  
Streets.)

#### Motion to Adopt.

Supervisor Halley moved adoption; seconded by Supervisor Dobbs.

#### Privilege of the Floor.

Supervisor Halley moved, seconded by Supervisor MacPhee, that the privilege of the floor be extended to any person who may desire to make a statement on the pending measure.

No objection and motion carried.

#### Proponents.

The following proponents were accorded the privilege of the floor:

Roger Lapham, Jr., representing the Traffic Conference Section of the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce.

It was the opinion of the Traffic Conference, Mr. Lapham said, that all vehicles should be barred from stopping during the period of time set forth in the measure.

Mr. George S. Hill, representing the Central Council of Civic Clubs, expressed views similar to those voiced by Mr. Lapham.

Thomas Gray, representing the Downtown Association, likewise urged adoption of the measure.

Both Captain Jack Eker, Director of Traffic, and Charles D. Miller, General Manager of the Municipal Railway, urged adoption of the measure, Captain Eker asserting that it was the feeling of the Police Commission that a full tow-away program should be instituted to facilitate movement of traffic and transportation.

#### Opponents.

The privilege of the floor was extended the following opponents:

Jack Goldberger, President of the San Francisco Labor Council;  
Dan Sweeney, representing the Teamsters' Union.

Frank Hanlon, representing the Sheldon Building at 461 Market Street.

Both Messrs. Goldberger and Sweeney emphasized the importance of making prompt deliveries to their customers and that in event the tow-away measure was adopted, disruption of service might seriously affect the economic life of San Francisco.

#### Discussion.

Supervisor Dobbs declared that adoption of the pending measure would constitute good legislation in that the program had been approved by the Police Department, the Public Utilities Commission, the Mayor's Technical Traffic Committee and the downtown groups.

Supervisor MacPhee stated that while he respected the views of the opposition, and they have a sincere cause, he could not see how he could be expected to say to anyone that he could park in a certain place and say to someone else that he could not park in the same manner. He believed the present measure would eliminate discrimination.

Supervisor McCarty asked the Director of Traffic if the passage of the pending measure would result in the speeding up of traffic.

Mr. Eker replied to the effect that the proposal to eliminate the parking of trucks originated with the Public Utilities Commission, and it was motivated by a desire to permit the free flow of busses on the south side of Market to the terminal and permit the transporting of workers to their destinations on the north side at an accelerated pace.

The President of the Board warned that if the measure were adopted working hours may have to be changed; thus, instead of starting at 8 a. m., the starting time would have to be at 7 a. m., and there might be an increase in pay to time and one-half for the first hour. This would not only result in a lot of confusion but would hurt business generally, and he would have to go along with the views expressed by Supervisor McCarty, that if business is not permitted to flourish here, there would be no San Francisco.

Supervisor Lewis stated that a great deal of congestion was occasioned by trolley busses, bunching along the route and further, that trolley coaches cannot pass one another.

Supervisor Christopher suggested that firms start their deliveries earlier and thus finish earlier. He found in his business that his drivers, starting very early in the morning, found the streets practically deserted and were thus able to accomplish a great deal. The Supervisor expressed optimism about things working out properly once the measure had been adopted.

Supervisor Lewis stated he would vote against the measure because no one had shown him to date where any good would be derived from passing the legislation.

#### Questions.

Supervisor Lewis asked Captain Eker if it was not true that the bunching of trolley coaches results in delay. The Captain countered with the remark that it was the opinion of the Police Commission that the passage of the measure would result in speeding up transportation.

General Manager of the Municipal Railway Miller stated that the traffic might not move faster, but the trucks would not be there and there would be more uniform travel.

Captain Eker concluded by saying that it was the belief of the Police Department that the adoption of the measure would result in better service.

#### Roll Call.

There being no further discussion, the roll was called on the pending measure and it was *refused adoption* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, MacPhee, Mancuso—5.

Noes: Supervisors Halley, Lewis, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—5.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

#### SPECIAL ORDER—3:00 P. M.

#### Report from Recreation and Park Department Relative to Progress and Contemplated Plans for the Street Tree-Planting Program.

(Pursuant to motion made by Supervisor Mancuso in Board meeting of November 10, 1952.)

#### Discussion.

Supervisor Mancuso informed David Lewis, General Manager of the Recreation and Park Department, that it had been reported to him that information had been received from the Park Department to the effect that the care and maintenance of trees was a supervisory function.

Mr. Lewis replied that such a statement was without foundation and that he would look into the matter at once and remedy it.

Mr. Lewis then proceeded to enlighten Supervisor Mancuso as to the number of trees planted and cared for during the past several

years, as well as the appropriations requested and authorized for tree-planting and maintenance.

The hearing was concluded after Mr. Lewis informed the Supervisor that the proposed tree-planting along Junipero Serra Boulevard, to start in two weeks, would be under the control of the Department of Public Works.

*No Board action taken.*

#### Consideration of Measures from Police Committee (Continued).

##### Re-reference to Committee.

**Adding Portions of Eighteenth Street to List of Streets on Which Stopping Is Prohibited at Specified Hours, Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays Excepted.**

File No. 9599, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

(7 a. m. to 9 a. m.

Eighteenth Street, south side, between Harrison and Sanchez Streets.

4 p. m. to 6 p. m.

Eighteenth Street, north side, between Harrison and Sanchez Streets.)

##### Motion to Re-refer.

Supervisor Halley moved re-reference to committee. Motion seconded by Supervisor McCarty.

*No objection and motion carried.*

*Re-referred to Police Committee.*

##### Adopted.

(In each of the following instances, Supervisor Halley moved either adoption or passage for second reading. Motion seconded by Supervisor Sullivan.)

**Adding Portions of Caledonia and Dore Streets to List of One-Way Streets, All Times.**

File No. 9674, Resolution No. 12812 (Series of 1939).

(Caledonia Street, northbound, between Fifteenth and Sixteenth Streets;

Dore Street, southbound, between Harrison and Brannan Streets.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

*Ayes:* Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

*Absent:* Supervisor Ferdon—1.

##### Approving Angle Parking on Portions of Sixteenth Street.

File No. 9675, Resolution No. 12813 (Series of 1939).

(Sixteenth Street, south side, for a distance of 120 feet west of Carolina Street;

Sixteenth Street, south side, between Carolina and Wisconsin Streets.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

*Ayes:* Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

*Absent:* Supervisor Ferdon—1.

### Passage for Second Reading.

Repealing Ordinance No. 1534 (Series of 1939) Entitled: "Amending Article 2, Part III of the San Francisco Municipal Code, by Adding Thereto Section 107, Providing for the Optional Regulation and Licensing of Private Passenger Automobiles Used for Commercial Purposes; and Providing for the Issuance of Permits by the Chief of Police."

File No. 7351, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

### Reference to Finance Committee.

The following emergency measures, appearing on the Board's supplemental calendar, were taken up:

(In each of the following instances, Supervisor Arnold moved reference to Finance Committee. Motion seconded by Supervisor McCarty.)

Appropriating \$3,850, Public Works, Sewage Treatment Plants, from the Emergency Reserve Fund, for Creation of One Position of F406b Assistant Engineer II, Mechanical; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9684-1, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 46.1 and 46a, Public Works, Bureau of Engineering, Sewage Treatment Plants—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9684-2, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

Appropriating \$1,160, Department of Electricity, Fire Alarm Office, from the Emergency Reserve Fund, for Holiday Pay and Temporary Salaries; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9707, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

### Final Passage.

Resumption of Consideration of File No. 9629, Relating to Scale of Fees for the Farmers' Market.

Supervisor Lewis informed the Board that after hearing an explanation from the Clerk of the Board in connection with the penalty clause involved, and after studying the measure personally, he was now ready to vote on it.

Accordingly, the roll was thereupon called and the measure was finally passed by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

### OFF-CALENDAR LEGISLATION.

The following recommendation of the Public Buildings, Lands and City Planning Committee was taken up:

Adopted.

Authorizing and Directing Public Notice Be Given of Date, Time and Place of Public Hearing by the Board of Supervisors for Consideration and Action on Tentative Plan for the Redevelopment of Western Addition Project Area No. 1.

File No. 9678-1, Resolution No. 12817 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

Adopted.

The following recommendation of his Honor the Mayor was presented by the Clerk:

Leaves of Absence—Fred D. Parr, Recreation and Park Commissioner, November 19-27; Dion R. Holm, November 29-December 15, 1952, Both With Permission to Leave the State.

File No. 9220, Resolution No. 12803 (Series of 1939).

Motion to Adopt.

Supervisor Arnold moved adoption; seconded by Supervisor McCarty.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

## ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF MEASURES AND COMMUNICATIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Reference to Mayor.

Supervisor Christopher presented a communication from the American Gold Star Mothers, Inc., Bay Bridge Chapter, urging that steps be taken to make "Pearl Harbor Day" memorial program an annual observance.

*Referred to the Mayor for action.*

Communication.

Supervisor Christopher presented a communication from the Central Valley Empire Association, requesting that the Board adopt resolution congratulating the people of Kern County for recovering from recent earthquake attacks; further, asking that a Board representative be appointed to attend the luncheon to be held at the Bakersfield Inn on Tuesday, December 2nd.

The Board took affirmative action on the first request (see below); with respect to the second, dealing with the appointment of a representative to attend the luncheon at the Bakersfield Inn, the President took the matter under advisement.

Adopted.

Congratulating Kern County for Its Speedy Recovery from the Earthquake Attacks.

Supervisor Christopher presented:

File No. 9709, Resolution No. 12820 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Christopher moved adoption; seconded by Supervisor MacPhee.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

**Adopted.****In Memoriam—Frank Marini.**

Jointly presented by all members of the Board:

File No. 9221, Resolution No. 12804 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Christopher moved adoption; seconded by Supervisor Mancuso.

*Unanimously adopted by rising vote as follows:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

**Request That Recreation and Park Commission Study Advisability of Naming a Recreation Center in Honor of Frank Marini.**

Supervisor Christopher requested that the suggestion be conveyed to the Recreation and Park Department that it give favorable consideration to naming a recreational center in honor of the late Frank Marini.

No objection and the *Clerk was directed to comply.*

**Request for Progress Report on Formation of Transit Authority.**

Supervisor Christopher requested that the Clerk procure from the City Attorney a progress report concerning the preparation of legislation looking to the formation of a Transit Authority.

No objection and the *Clerk was directed to comply.*

**Reference to Committee.**

Supervisor Dobbs presented a communication from Polk District Merchants Association, protesting issuance of liquor licenses on Polk Street, particularly for the premises known as 1695 Polk Street.

*Referred to County, State and National Affairs Committee.*

**Adopted.****In Memoriam—Mrs. Isabelle Verdier.**

Jointly presented by all members of the Board:

File No. 9221, Resolution No. 12805 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Halley moved adoption; seconded by Supervisor McCarty.

*Unanimously adopted by rising vote as follows:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

**Adopted.**

Requesting Mayor to Appoint Citizens' Committee for Observance of Human Rights Week, December 10-16, 1952.

Supervisor Lewis presented:

File No. 9710, Resolution No. 12821 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Lewis moved adoption; seconded by Supervisor Halley.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

**Adopted.**

Motion, by Supervisor MacPhee: That Supervisor Mancuso be authorized to attend the meeting of the National Association of County Officials to be held in Chicago, December 12 and 13, as Chairman of their Federal Real Property Committee, provided funds are available.

File No. 9715

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

**Announcement of Committee Meeting.**

Supervisor Mancuso announced a meeting of the Public Buildings, Lands and City Planning Committee for Wednesday, November 26, 4 p. m., to consider proposed measure limiting heights of buildings in the Russian Hill area.

**Setting of Special Order.**

Supervisor McCarty requested that the Board hear from the Public Utilities Commission on Monday, November 24, 3 p. m., on alleged deterioration of Municipal Railway service since the defeat of the Municipal Railway rehabilitation bond issue on November 4th; further, that the Commission supply the members of the Board with copies of any revised railway schedules put into effect since November 4th.

No objection and *so ordered*.

**Reference to Board Sitting in Caucus.**

Reelecting William D. Haderer as a Director of the Golden Gate Bridge and Highway District for Term of Four Years, Effective December 24, 1952.

Supervisor Sullivan presented:

File No. 9714, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Board sitting in Caucus.*

Electing Mrs. Julia Bode as a Director of the Golden Gate Bridge and Highway District, Vice W. J. Varley.

Supervisor Mancuso presented:

File No. 9712, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Board sitting in Caucus.*

Electing James L. Quigley as a Director of the Golden Gate Bridge and Highway District, Vice W. J. Varley.

Supervisor Arnold presented:

File No. 9711, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Board sitting in Caucus.*

Electing Edgar Hills as a Director of the Golden Gate Bridge and Highway District, Vice W. J. Varley.

Supervisor MacPhee presented:

File No. 9713, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Board sitting in Caucus.*

#### Fixing of Date and Time for Caucus.

Supervisor MacPhee suggested that the Board sit in Caucus to consider the foregoing nominations for directors of the Golden Gate Bridge and Highway District, and that the date and time for such Caucus to be fixed for Monday, December 1, 1:30 p. m.

There being no objection, it was *so ordered*.

#### ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 5:45 p. m., adjourned.

JOHN R. McGRATH, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors December 1, 1952.

I, John R. McGrath, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the date hereon stated and approved as recited.

JOHN R. McGRATH,  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors



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MONDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 1952—2:00 P. M.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, November 24, 1952, 2:00 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

## CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso—3.

Quorum present.

President Dewey Mead presiding.

Supervisor Ferdon excused. (See below.)

Supervisor Lewis noted present at 2:17 p. m.

Supervisor Mancuso noted present at 2:13 p. m.

## APPROVAL OF JOURNAL.

The Journal of Proceedings for November 10, 1952, was considered read and approved.

## Communications.

From the Recreation and Park Commission, reporting on plans for the demolition of the Palace of Fine Arts.

*Copy to Supervisor Christopher; referred to Public Buildings, Lands and City Planning Committee.*

From the City Attorney, reporting on progress being made toward the formation of a Transit Authority.

*Copy to Supervisor Christopher; referred to Joint Judiciary and Public Utilities Committee.*

From Director, Department of Finance and Records, reporting on difficult conditions existing at recent election polls and making certain recommendations in rectification thereof.

*Copy to Supervisor Ferdon; referred to budget file.*

From Frank DeBellis, Chairman, Leonardo Da Vinci 500th Anniversary Commemoration, addressed to Supervisor Christopher, requesting that the Mayor proclaim Monday, December 8, 1952, as Leonardo Da Vinci 500th Anniversary Commemoration Day.

*Resolution adopted in connection therewith; filed.*

## Supervisor Ferdon Excused.

Supervisor Ferdon left word, asking that he be excused from attending today's Board meeting. Accordingly, Supervisor Sullivan moved, seconded by Supervisor Dobbs, that Supervisor Ferdon be so excused.

No objection and so ordered.

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS.****Consideration Continued.**

The following recommendations of Finance Committee, heretofore considered, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

**Authorizing and Instructing the City Attorney to Bring Action Against the American District Telegraph Company for Money Due Under Terms of Its Franchise.**

File No. 6836-1, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

November 17, 1952—Consideration continued to November 24, 1952.

**Communication.**

The Clerk read a communication from Pillsbury, Madison and Sutro, attorneys-at-law, advising that they had been in consultation with the City Attorney's office on several phases of the matter and that further time was needed, and asking that consideration of the foregoing as well as the immediately following measure, identified as File No. 6836-2, be continued for a period of two weeks.

**Query.**

Supervisor Dobbs inquired of Thomas Blanchard, Deputy City Attorney, if the statute of limitations would become involved should the requested deferment be granted.

Mr. Blanchard assured the Supervisor that he had consulted with Mr. Dal Thomson, Public Utilities Counsel, who advised that the requested continuance would not affect the statute of limitations.

**Motion.**

Accordingly, Supervisor Arnold moved, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, that consideration of the pending measure and the following measure, identified as File No. 6836-2, be continued for a period of two weeks.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, Lewis—2.

*Consideration continued two weeks.*

**Authorizing and Directing the Controller and the Treasurer to Return Franchise Payment Check in Sum of \$10,096.97 to the American District Telegraph Company.**

File No. 6836-2, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

(Check purported to be in full and complete settlement of monetary obligations due the City and County under the terms of its franchise, for period January 1, 1950, through December 18, 1950, and for future obligations beyond December 18, 1950. Check is being returned for purpose of avoiding an accord and satisfaction or any final settlement of claims by the City and County against the telegraph company.)

November 17, 1952—Consideration continued to November 24, 1952.

*Consideration continued two weeks.*

**Final Passage.**

The following measures from Finance Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, were taken up:

Present: Supervisor McCarty.

**Appropriating \$1,320, Public Health, Adult Guidance, for Maintenance and Repairs of Adult Guidance Center Building Located at 150 Otis Street.**

File No. 9637, Ordinance No. 7599 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, Lewis—2.

**Appropriating \$3,846.42, Recreation and Park, for Overtime, Swing-Shift Differentials and Holiday Pay During Period July 1, 1947, to June 30, 1950, Pursuant to Court Order.**

File No. 9638, Ordinance No. 7600 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, Lewis—2.

**Amending Ordinance No. 9.051226, by Increasing the Water Department Stores Revolving Fund to an Amount Not Exceeding \$650,000, and Authorizing Controller to Return Monies in Excess of Requirements to the Fund from Which They Were Appropriated.**

File No. 9649, Ordinance No. 7601 (Series of 1939).

(In addition to increasing the amount of the Fund from \$500,000 to \$650,000, Section 2 of the Ordinance reads as follows: "Whenever in the judgment of the Controller the principal of the Water Department Stores Revolving Fund is in excess of requirements, the Controller shall, and he is hereby authorized to return such excess to the fund from which such funds were appropriated.")

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, Lewis—2.

**Appropriating \$150,000, Water Department, to Increase Stores Revolving Fund from \$500,000 to \$650,000.**

File No. 9650, Ordinance No. 7602 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, Lewis—2.

**Appropriating \$1,700, Public Works, for Temporary Salaries.**

File No. 9662, Ordinance No. 7603 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, Lewis—2.

**NEW BUSINESS.****Adopted.**

The following recommendations of Finance Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

**Authorizing Release of Lien Recorded by the Public Welfare Department for Aid Extended to John and Angelina Valente.**

File No. 9223, Resolution No. 12824 (Series of 1939).

(Full amount of \$181.42 paid.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, Lewis—2.

**Authorizing Release of Lien Recorded by the Public Welfare Department for Aid Extended to Christine Lehman.**

File No. 9223, Resolution No. 12823 (Series of 1939).

(Full amount of \$13.20 paid.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, Lewis—2.

**Approving Supplemental Recommendations, Public Welfare Department, Relative to Categorical Aids; Letter Dated November 18, 1952.**

File No. 9224, Resolution No. 12825 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, Lewis—2.

**Authorizing Extension of Grants of Emergency Relief to Dependent Non-Residents for November and December; List Dated November 24, 1952.**

File No. 9225, Resolution No. 12826 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, Lewis—2.

**Authorizing Acquisition, by Eminent Domain Proceedings, of Certain Easements Located in San Mateo County, Required for Crystal Springs Pipe Line No. 3.**

File No. 9683, Resolution No. 12827 (Series of 1939).

(Easements consist of approximately 1.282 acres. Amount to be paid not to exceed \$25,000.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, Lewis—2.

**Authorizing Conveyance of Quitclaim Deed to Margaret Slavin et al. to Certain Land in Assessor's Block 154, Heretofore Required in Connection With the Construction of the Broadway Tunnel.**

File No. 1706 Resolution No. 12821 Series of 1888

In conformity with Master Plan. The above land was granted to the City for temporary use for general commercial purposes and is now no longer needed.

Adopted by the following vote

Ayes Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Leach, Haley, MacPhae, McPherson, McQuay, Mead, Sullivan—7

Absees Supervisor Fenton, Leach—1

Authorizing Purchase of Certain Real Property from the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company for \$144,000 Required for the Traffic Court Building at 161 East Street

File No. 1706 Resolution No. 12822 Series of 1888

Not in conformity with the Master Plan. Portion of Block 111 located on the east side of Jessie Street south of McClellan Street, 60 feet 4 inches by 61 feet 10 inches by 61 feet 4 inches by 61 feet

Adopted by the following vote

Ayes Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Leach, Haley, MacPhae, McPherson, McQuay, Mead, Sullivan—7

Absees Supervisor Fenton, Leach—1

Ratifying Certain Reports to Crystal Palace San Water Board and Approving Payment of \$1,617 to Charles Davis and Dr. Henry Demeterson.

File No. 1706 Resolution No. 12823 Series of 1888

Sanitation Machinery Co.—making out a bid plans and estimating new one

Adopted by the following vote

Ayes Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Leach, Haley, Leach, MacPhae, McPherson, McQuay, Mead, Sullivan—11

Absees Supervisor Fenton—

Ratifying Certain Reports to Crystal Palace San Water Board and Approving Payment of \$1,685.75 to Charles Davis and Dr. Henry Demeterson.

File No. 1706 Resolution No. 12824 Series of 1888

Report of Engineer

Sanitation Water and Sewerage	1886-87
Amusement Park Co.	88.75
Amusement Park Co.	88.75
Sanitation Bureau	144.00
Sanitation Bureau	144.00
Sanitation Bureau	144.00

Adopted by the following vote

Ayes Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Leach, Haley, Leach, MacPhae, McPherson, McQuay, Mead, Sullivan—11

Absees Supervisor Fenton—

Passage for Certain Reading

Authorizing \$4,000 Advance for Two Positions of Senior Clerk-Stenographer, Authorizing One Position of Senior Clerk and One Position of Senior Clerk-Stenographer

File No. 1800—Ordinance No. Series of 1888

Senior Clerk-Stenographer	\$1000-750
Senior Clerk	\$800-750
Senior Clerk-Stenographer	144-000

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 5, Assessor—A  
Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 9639-2, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—I.

**Authorizing Compromise and Settlement of Claim of Erna Phyllis  
Mobley as Guardian Ad Litem for David Renee Mathews, by the  
Payment of \$900.**

File No. 9694, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(Injuries sustained as result of fall over cliff at Fifteenth  
and Hampshire Streets.)

**Query.**

Supervisor Halley inquired of Deputy City Attorney Thomas Blanchard if, in view of the fact that his son was handling the litigation involved in the present measure, he should cast his vote on it. Mr. Blanchard replied to the effect that voting on the measure was purely one of policy of the Board.

**Request to Be Excused.**

Supervisor Halley thereupon requested permission to absent himself and proceeded to walk from the Chambers, whereupon the President informed him that it was not incumbent upon him to leave his seat because he had been given permission to abstain from voting. The Supervisor, however, left his seat.

**Roll Call.**

The roll was thereupon called and the foregoing measure was *passed for second reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, Halley—2.

**Creating Positions of Assistant Clerks in the Office of the Board of  
Supervisors to Countersign Various Bond Measures.**

File No. 9706, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—I.

**Final Passage.**

**Appropriating \$3,850, Public Works, Sewage Treatment Plants, from  
the Emergency Reserve Fund, for Creation of One Position of  
Assistant Engineer II, Mechanical: an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9684-1, Ordinance No. 7604 (Series of 1939).

(Compensation, \$510-570 per month.)

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—I.



Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Sections 46.1 and 46(a), Department of Public Works—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9684-2, Ordinance No. 7605 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

Appropriating \$1,160, Electricity, from the Emergency Reserve Fund, for Holiday and Temporary Salaries for the Fire Alarm Office; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9707, Ordinance No. 7606 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

#### Reference to Finance Committee.

The following emergency measures, appearing on the Board's supplemental calendar, were taken up:

(In each of the following two instances, Supervisor Arnold moved, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, that the measure be referred to the Finance Committee. No objection and motion *carried*.)

Appropriating \$650, Youth Guidance Center, Juvenile Hall, from the Emergency Reserve Fund, for Vacation and Sick Leave Replacement of Per Diem Employees; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9716, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

Appropriating \$500, Public Health, Bureau of Administration, from the Surplus Existing in Contractual Services—Care of Indigents—Bureau of Administration, for Compensation of a Court Reporter Recording Testimony at Hearings; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9724, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

#### Communication from the Mayor.

The Clerk read a communication from the Mayor, returning attached thereto, letter from the American Gold Star Mothers, Inc., Bay Bridge Chapter, in which request is made that Pearl Harbor Day memorial program be made an annual affair, and suggesting that the Board take certain steps in connection therewith.

#### Measure Introduced.

Accordingly, Supervisors Christopher and Sullivan jointly presented the following measure:

#### Adopted.

Requesting Proclamation to Make Observance of Pearl Harbor Day an Annual Affair, and Requesting Mayor to Appoint Citizens' Committee to Plan for the Proper Observance Thereof on December 7, 1952.

File No. 9731, Resolution No. 12832 (Series of 1939).

### Suspension of Rules.

Supervisor Christopher moved the suspension of the rules for the purpose of considering the foregoing measure. Motion seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, and there being no objection, motion *carried*.

The roll was thereupon called and the measure was *adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, Lewis, Mancuso—3.

### ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF MEASURES AND COMMUNICATIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

#### Reference to Rules Committee.

Amending the Rules of Order of the Board of Supervisors to Include a Rule Concerning Activities of Members of the Board.

Supervisor Arnold presented:

File No. 9730, Resolution No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Referred to the Rules Committee.*

Motion Requesting Opinion as to Legality of Certain Actions by the Members of the Board.

Supervisor Arnold moved, seconded by Supervisor Halley, that the City Attorney be requested to render a written opinion as to the limitations which may be imposed by Charter provisions on the members of the Board, whether acting as attorneys or in any other capacity, involving litigation or appearances before any board or commission.

#### Amendment.

Supervisor Sullivan moved, seconded by Supervisor Lewis, that the foregoing motion be amended to provide that a broad interpretation be requested of the City Attorney with respect to the provisions of Sections 22, 222 and any other pertinent Charter section, dealing with the limitation of activities of members of the Board.

The roll was thereupon called and the foregoing amendment was *adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

The roll was then called on the motion, as amended, and it was *adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

#### Adopted.

Requesting Mayor to Proclaim Monday, December 8, 1952, as Leonardo Da Vinci 500th Anniversary Commemoration Day.

Supervisor Christopher presented:

File No. 9732, Resolution No. 12833 (Series of 1939).

#### Motion to Adopt.

Supervisor Christopher moved adoption; seconded by Supervisor Sullivan.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

#### Commending Congregation of Buddha's Universal Church.

Supervisor Christopher presented:

File No. 9733, Resolution No. 12834 (Series of 1939).

#### Motion to Adopt.

Supervisor Christopher moved adoption; seconded by Supervisor Dobbs.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

#### Reference to Committee.

Requesting Recreation and Park Commission to Submit Recommendations for Either Rehabilitation or Demolition of the Palace of Fine Arts.

Supervisor Christopher presented:

File No. 7836, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

#### Motion to Adopt—Objection.

Supervisor Christopher moved the adoption of the measure. Supervisor Halley objected, and the President thereupon *referred the matter to the Public Buildings, Lands and City Planning Committee.*

#### Request of the President.

The President of the Board requested that the Committee on Public Buildings, Lands and City Planning meet on the foregoing measure at the earliest possible date.

#### Statement by Supervisor Christopher on Second Bay Crossings.

Supervisor Christopher spoke at some length on the waste of valuable time in connection with attempts to arrive at a concrete policy respecting the construction of a second bay crossing. He stated that talk was centering upon possible construction of two bridges and believed that the Board should once and for all adopt a definite plan for a second bay crossing or crossings.

#### Request.

Supervisor Christopher thereupon requested that the Mayor be asked to call a meeting of interested department heads, members of the California delegation at Sacramento, including the Legislative Representative, the Chief Administrative Officer, the Controller and the members of the Board of Supervisors, for the purpose of adopting a definite policy respecting the construction of a second bay crossing or crossings. Further, that the Controller be requested to consult with the bond people for the purpose of ascertaining what it will cost to construct the proposed bay crossings and what tolls would be necessary to take care of bond interest and redemption for a period of 30 years; the foregoing information to be put in proper financial form, showing bond debt limitations as well.

No objection and Clerk *was directed to comply.*

**Statement by Supervisor Halley Concerning Reference of Measures to Board.**

Supervisor Halley stated that a question was raised whether he had the right to refer measures from the Police Committee to the Board when no quorum was present to transact business, and asked the President if the following steps were correct: (1) Either lay the matter over in committee or (2) refer the measure to the Board without recommendation.

The President assured Supervisor Halley that he was correct in his interpretation of the rules of the Board.

**Motion Relating to Civic Ceremony on Opening of Broadway Tunnel.**

Supervisor Halley moved, seconded by Supervisor Arnold, that the Chief Administrative Officer, with the cooperation of the Board of Supervisors, arrange for a proper civic ceremony attending the approaching opening of the Broadway Tunnel.

File No. 9745

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

**Statement by Supervisor Lewis Relating to Proposed Measure Concerning Activities of Members of Board of Supervisors.**

Supervisor Lewis: With respect to the matter referred to the Rules Committee and presented by Supervisor Arnold. Ever since I have been on the Board, I have represented clients injured on the railway's street cars, busses and trolley coaches. Unfortunately, I have been able to settle but a few and have gone to jury trials. In the matter of jury cases, I have had very good success. I feel I am legally, morally and ethically correct. I need no City Attorney nor anyone else to advise me. I will oppose this rule if it is going to restrict me in practicing my profession as an attorney before any judge or jury or representing any taxpayer who has been hurt by the Municipal Railway. That is my position.

**Statement of Supervisor Lewis Concerning Second Bay Crossing.**

Supervisor Lewis informed the Board that he had an informal chat with the Mayor some ten days ago and advised him that there should be some sort of a compromise and thus eliminate the constant bickering between us and our friends in the East Bay, on a matter of a second bay crossing.

**Point of Order.**

Supervisor Mancuso rose to a point of order, declaring that the hour of 3:00 p. m. had arrived, that the Special Order should now be taken up:

**Point of Order Not Well Taken.**

The President informed Supervisor Mancuso that Supervisor Lewis would be permitted to finish under his name on Roll Call and immediately upon conclusion of his presentations, the special order would then be taken up.

**Resumption of Statement by Supervisor Lewis.**

Supervisor Lewis continued his statement by saying that he advised the Mayor to break the deadlock which has existed between San Francisco and the East Bay. The Mayor replied that he believed the deadlock should be broken. The Supervisor concluded his remarks by saying that he was working on a plan which he expected

would finance the cost of two crossings, to be presented to the Board in due course; however, he stated he was gathering facts which will guide him as to the feasibility of the plan and that he was not publicizing it until he was sure of his ground.

#### Adopted.

**Authorizing Acceptance of an Authentic Japanese Garden Display from the Government of Japan, to Be Permanently Maintained Within the Japanese Tea Garden in Golden Gate Park.**

Supervisor Lewis presented:

File No. 9734, Resolution No. 12835 (Series of 1939).

#### Motion to Adopt.

Supervisor Lewis moved adoption; seconded by Supervisor Halley.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

**Authorizing Acceptance of a Japanese Stone Lantern of Peace from the Children of Japan, for Inclusion as an Integral Part of the Treasures of the Japanese Tea Garden in Golden Gate Park.**

Supervisor Lewis presented:

File No. 9735, Resolution No. 12836 (Series of 1939).

#### Motion to Adopt.

Supervisor Lewis moved adoption; seconded by Supervisor Halley.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

### SPECIAL ORDER—3:00 P. M.

**Hearing of Manager of Utilities Relative to Alleged Deterioration of Municipal Railway Service Since November 4, 1952.**

#### Privilege of the Floor.

The privilege of the floor was extended to James H. Turner, Manager of Utilities, who stated emphatically there had been no deterioration of service since November 4th. Mr. Turner stated he was resubmitting the bond issue to the electorate and it would be foolhardy indeed to reduce service all the while proposing to again ask the electorate to approve an expenditure of \$6,620,000 for railway rehabilitation.

Mr. Turner concluded his statement by giving the Board statistical data with respect to increase in man-hours of work and assuring the Board that the Public Utilities Commission made it a practice to increase service whenever it was found feasible.

Supervisor McCarty: Then your statement is that service has not been reduced since November 4th?

Mr. Turner: That is my information as I received it from the Municipal Railway.

#### Communications Referred to Mr. Turner.

Supervisor McCarty stated he was in receipt of several communications from disgruntled Municipal Railway riders which he intended to turn over to Mr. Turner for such action as he saw fit to take.

The discussion was concluded with no Board action being taken.

**Resumption of Consideration of Matters Introduced Under Roll Call.****Statement by Supervisor MacPhee Concerning Bay Crossings.**

Supervisor MacPhee stated he was concerned with the construction of bridge approaches some two years, and that the Board should hear of Supervisor Lewis' plans just as soon as possible, and that Supervisor Christopher was on the right track in seeking acceptance of a definite policy by the Board with respect to a second bay crossing or crossings.

**Statement by Supervisor Mancuso.**

Supervisor Mancuso reiterated his previous espousal of a southern crossing, and said that this matter should first be taken care of before consideration is given to the construction of a parallel crossing.

**Request for Statement on Valencia Street Traffic Islands.**

Supervisor Mancuso requested that the Department of Public Works report as to the necessity of constructing islands on Valencia Street, contending that they constitute a traffic hazard. The Supervisor suggested that the Department should either place a dividing line on Valencia Street or remove the islands altogether, and that he had received numerous complaints concerning them.

**Request for Ruling from City Attorney.**

Supervisor Mancuso requested that the Clerk obtain a ruling from the City Attorney as to the interpretation of the word "Board" found on the first line of Section 222 of the Charter.

**Reference to Committee.****Urging California Toll Bridge Authority to Assume Complete Jurisdiction of Operation and Maintenance of the Golden Gate Bridge.**

Supervisor Mancuso presented:

File No. 9593, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to the County, State and National Affairs Committee.*

**Amending Section 1.1 of the Annual Salary Ordinance, to Provide That the Appointing Officer, With the Approval of the Civil Service Commission, May Employ One or More Part-Time Physicians When a Full-Time Physician Is Not Available, in Positions Exempt from Civil Service Examinations; an Emergency Measure.**

Supervisor McCarty presented:

File No. 9737, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

**Statement in Connection With Invitation by Mayor to Discuss Second Bay Crossing.**

Supervisor McCarty called the Board's attention to a letter dated November 17, 1952, from the Mayor, addressed to various city and state officials, as well as to Supervisor Lewis, as Chairman of the County, State and National Affairs Committee, inviting attendance at a meeting to be held on the subject of a second bay crossing during the early part of December.

**Statement by Supervisor MacPhee Concerning Valencia Street Traffic Islands.**

Supervisor MacPhee commended the actions of the Department of Public Works and the Police Department in acceding to the wishes of the Valencia Street Merchants for improvement of Valencia Street as well as the facilitation of traffic by the construction of islands along the thoroughfare.

**Adopted.**

**In Memoriam—William Green, American Federation of Labor President.**

Jointly presented by all members of the Board:

File No. 9221, Resolution No. 12822 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor McCarty moved adoption; motion seconded by Supervisor Sullivan.

*Unanimously adopted by rising vote as follows:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

**Reference to Board to Sit in Caucus.**

**Electing Dan E. London as a Director of the Golden Gate Bridge and Highway District.**

Supervisor Mead presented:

File No. 9736, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Board to sit in caucus.*

**Announcement of Caucus.**

There being no objection, the caucus originally scheduled for Monday, December 1, at 1:30 p. m., at which consideration would be given to election of directors of the Golden Gate Bridge and Highway District, was put over to Monday, December 8, 1952, at 1:30 p. m.

**Supervisor Lewis Excused from Board Attendance.**

There being no objection, Supervisor Lewis was excused from attending the meeting of the Board scheduled for Monday, December 1, 1952.

**ADJOURNMENT.**

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 3:50 p. m., adjourned.

JOHN R. McGRATH, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors December 15, 1952.

I, John R. McGrath, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the date hereon stated and approved as recited.

JOHN R. McGRATH,  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.





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MONDAY, DECEMBER 1, 1952—2:00 P. M.

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In meeting of Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, December 1, 1952, 2:00 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

## CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee—2.

Quorum present.

President Dewey Mead presiding.

Supervisor Lewis on authorized leave. (Granted November 24, 1952.)

Supervisor MacPhee noted present at 2:18 p. m.

## APPROVAL OF JOURNAL.

The Journal of Proceedings for Monday, November 17, 1952, was considered read and approved.

## SPECIAL ORDER—2:00 P. M.

Consideration Temporarily Postponed.

Hearing of Appeal from the Decision of the City Planning Commission by Its Resolution No. 4093 Dated September 18, 1952, Approving Application to Rezone Property Located on the Southeast Corner of Franklin and Lombard Streets from Second Residential District to Commercial District.

File No. 9548

November 10, 1952—Consideration continued to December 1, 1952.

There being no objection, consideration of the foregoing matter was temporarily postponed pending appearance of Supervisor MacPhee.

Disapproving Decision of the City Planning Commission by Its Resolution No. 4093, Approving Application to Rezone Property Located on the Southeast Corner of Franklin and Lombard Streets from Second Residential District to Commercial District.

File No. 9548-2, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

November 10, 1952—Consideration continued to December 1, 1952.

Consideration temporarily postponed.

## UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

## Final Passage.

The following recommendations of Streets Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Ferdon, Halley, Sullivan.

Accepting the Roadways and Curbs of Dartmouth Street Between Dwight and Olmstead Streets and Between Woolsey and Dwight Streets; and the Crossing of Dwight and Dartmouth Streets.

File No. 9632, Ordinance No. 7608 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee—2.

Ordering the Improvement of Kirkham Street Between Fourth and Fifth Avenues, and Extending City Aid in Approximate Amount of \$3,600.

File No. 9640, Ordinance No. 7609 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, MacPhee—2.

## Final Passage.

The following measure from Police Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, was taken up:

Present: Supervisor Halley.

Repealing Ordinance No. 1534 (Series of 1939) Entitled: "Amending Article 2, Part III of the San Francisco Municipal Code, by Adding Thereto Section 107, Providing for the Optional Regulation and Licensing of Private Passenger Automobiles Used for Commercial Purposes; and Providing for the Issuance of Permits by the Chief of Police."

File No. 7351, Ordinance No. 7607 (Series of 1939).

## Communications.

The Clerk read communications from The Mercury Press and Sichel Bakery Equipment Company, protesting passage of the measure.

## Suggestion by Supervisor Halley.

Supervisor Halley suggested that the Clerk direct communications to both of the abovementioned companies, informing them of the opportunity of procuring a commercial license through the State Department of Motor Vehicles.

No objection and the Clerk was directed to comply.

## Roll Call.

The roll was thereupon called and the foregoing measure was *finally passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Resumption of Consideration of File No. 9548 Relating to an Appeal from the Decision of the City Planning Commission, Approving Application to Rezone Property Located on the Southwest Corner of Franklin and Lombard Streets from Second Residential District to Commercial District.**

#### **Privilege of the Floor.**

The privilege of the floor was accorded J. J. Seid, the appellant, who informed the Board that there were more than a sufficient number of service stations along Lombard Street, and that many of the property owners, when purchasing their properties, had been given to understand that the area would remain Second Residential in nature; further, the rezoning granted by the Commission was "spot" zoning and therefore not proper.

Mr. Paul Oppermann informed the Board that the Commission had rejected the staff report by a count of 5 to 2.

Supervisor Dobbs stated he would vote against the rezoning because there were already too many service stations on Lombard Street.

Earl Cutting, representing the Real Estate Department, explained the reasons which prompted the request for a rezoning on the part of the Director of Property.

Supervisor Christopher stated that one of the reasons outlined by Mr. Cutting was the possibility of realizing revenue pending actual construction and completion of the Lombard Street Tunnel, and he stated that he had always opposed a rezoning plea based on grounds of revenue.

#### **Consideration Continued.**

Supervisor MacPhee stated he would like to visit the site and accordingly moved, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, that consideration of the foregoing matter be continued for a period of one week.

No objection and motion carried.

*Consideration continued one week.*

#### **NEW BUSINESS.**

##### **Adopted.**

The following recommendations of Finance Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

**Authorizing Release of Lien Recorded by the Department of Public Health for Care and Treatment Furnished Walter Dovey.**

File No. 9222, Resolution No. 12639 (Series of 1939).

(Full payment of \$170.31 made.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Authorizing Release of Lien Recorded by the Public Welfare Department for Aid Extended to Thomasina and Joseph De Lucca.**

File No. 9223, Resolution No. 12840 (Series of 1939).

(Full payment of \$30.72 made.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Authorizing Release of Lien Recorded by the Public Welfare Department  
for Aid Extended to Edward and Janice Plousha.**

File No. 9223, Resolution No. 12841 (Series of 1939).

(Full payment of \$181.60 made.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Authorizing Release of Lien Recorded by the Public Welfare Department  
for Aid Extended to Emilie Openshaw.**

File No. 9223, Resolution No. 12842 (Series of 1939).

(Full payment of \$1,691.92 made.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Authorizing Extension of Grants of Emergency Relief to Dependent  
Non-Residents for December, 1952, and January, 1953; Lists Dated  
November 24 and December 1, 1952.**

File No. 9225, Resolution No. 12843 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Rescinding Various Resolutions Relating to Fixing of Fees and Plan for  
Continuance of Farmers' Market for the Duration of World War II.**

File No. 9629-1, Resolution No. 12844 (Series of 1939).

(Resolutions rescinded: Nos. 3325, 4006, 4608, 4826, 5166, 5188, 7714 (Series of 1939).)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Consideration Continued.**

**Amending Ordinance No. 4537 (Series of 1939). Purchase and Use Tax,  
by Amending Sections 5 and 15 Thereof, to Provide That Retail  
Sellers Who Lease Rather Than Sell Tangible Personal Property, May  
Pay a Tax to the City Based Upon Rentals, Rather Than Cost to  
Them.**

File No. 9585, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

**Discussion.**

The Controller told the Board that the proposed amendment was intended to enable city legislation to conform with state law.

**Request for Postponement.**

Supervisor Ferdon stated he desired to look further into the matter and requested that consideration be continued for one week.

No objection and so ordered.

*Consideration continued one week.*

**Consideration Continued.**

**Amending Section 1135.1 of the Police Code to Provide That a Review of Rates by the Board of Supervisors, of Motor Vehicles for Hire, Shall Be Ordered Between September 1st and December 1st of Each Year.**

File No. 9667, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

**Motion for Review of Rates.**

Supervisor MacPhee moved, seconded by Supervisor Arnold, that the customary review of rates be made in January of 1953.

**Query by President.**

The President of the Board asked Deputy City Attorney Thomas Blanchard if he was correct in assuming that Supervisor MacPhee's motion was out of order because of possible conflict with the pending measure.

Mr. Blanchard informed the President that the proper method to pursue would be to amend the pending measure so that Supervisor MacPhee's desires could be fulfilled.

**Motion Withdrawn.**

There being no objection, Supervisor MacPhee *withdrew his motion*.

**Amendment.**

Supervisor MacPhee moved, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, that a review of rates in January, 1953, be made a part of the pending measure.

**Suggestion.**

Supervisor Arnold suggested that consideration of the pending measure be continued for a period of four weeks and thus obviate the necessity of amending the pending measure.

**Amendment Withdrawn.**

There being no objection, Supervisor MacPhee *withdrew his pending amendment*.

**Privilege of the Floor.**

The privilege of the floor was accorded to Mr. Lloyd Ackerman, counsel for the Yellow Cab Company.

Mr. Ackerman opposed the review of rates in January, 1953, contending that such an act constituted a waste of time in that union contracts would expire on May 31st which would then probably entail bargaining sessions with possible increases in wages, and a request on the part of the company for higher fares.

The privilege of the floor was likewise extended to Anthony Cancilla, representing Chauffeurs' Union, Local 265, A. F. of L.

**Motion to Defer Consideration.**

Supervisor Arnold moved, seconded by Supervisor MacPhee, that consideration of the foregoing measure be continued for a period of four weeks.

**Query.**

The President of the Board asked Controlled Harry Ross if there would be any additional cost to the city should a review of rates be made in January, 1953. Mr. Ross advised that he did not believe there would be any additional cost.

### Roll Call.

The roll was thereupon called and the foregoing motion to continue consideration of the pending measure for four weeks *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, McCarty—7.

Noes: Supervisors Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—3.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

### Consideration Continued.

Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Sections 83.1, 83.2 and 83.4, Board of Education, Non-Certificated Employees, by Abolishing Six Positions of General Clerk-Stenographer, and Adding One Position of Bookkeeper, Six Positions of General Clerk-Typist (Serving During the School Term Only, 8 Hours a Day) and Two Positions of Pianist, Part-Time as Needed.

File No. 9719, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

### Objection.

Supervisor MacPhee voiced objection to the pending measure, contending that he has not been convinced of the necessity for the positions involved, and that should they be necessary, request for them should be made in the 1953-54 budget.

### Motion to Defer Consideration.

Supervisor Halley moved, seconded by Supervisor MacPhee, that consideration of the foregoing measure be continued for one week and that a representative of the Board of Education be requested to appear before the Board next Monday to explain the matter.

No objection and motion *carried*.

*Consideration continued one week.*

### Passage for Second Reading.

Appropriating \$850, Public Utilities, Hetch Hetchy Project, for Purchase of a Snow Removal Blade.

File No. 9720, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

### Final Passage.

Appropriating \$2,500, Youth Guidance Center, Juvenile Hall, for Temporary Salaries; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9665, Ordinance No. 7610 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

Appropriating \$500, Public Health, for Services of a Court Reporter at Hearings Conducted by the Bureau of Administration; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9724, Ordinance No. 7612 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.



Appropriating \$650, Youth Guidance Center, Juvenile Hall, from Emergency Reserve Fund, for Vacation and Sick Leave Replacement of Per Diem Employees; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9716, Ordinance No. 7611 (Series of 1939).

Finally Passed by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

Amending Section 1.1 of the Annual Salary Ordinance by Providing That the Appointing Officer, With the Approval of the Civil Service Commission, May Employ One or More Part-Time Physicians in Place of a Full-Time Physician When a Full-Time Employee Is Not Available, in Positions Exempt from Civil Service Examinations; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9737, Ordinance No. 9613 (Series of 1939).

Finally Passed by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

#### Re-referred to Committee.

The following recommendations of the Rules Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Mead, Arnold, MacPhee.

The Rules Committee Recommends Adoption of a Motion to Amend the Rules of Order by Amending Rule 24 so That the Same Shall Provide as Follows:

#### *Voting Requirements and Procedure*

Rule 24. Every member present when a question is put shall vote for or against it *unless such member be excused from voting on such question by unanimous consent of the members present.*

No member shall be permitted to vote upon a question unless he is in his seat when his name is called or before the vote is announced.

A roll call shall not be interrupted, but a member may, prior to the calling of the roll, explain his vote, or file in writing an explanation of his vote after the result of the roll call has been announced and recorded.

*This rule may not be suspended except by unanimous consent of the members present.*

File No. 9673

#### Discussion.

Supervisor Dobbs stated that a majority of the members should be sufficient to excuse a member from voting.

Supervisor MacPhee stated he believed that a unanimous affirmative vote of all members present should be had on a motion to excuse a member from voting.

Supervisor Ferdon asserted there should not be any suspension of the right to vote, and that every member should vote on all measures.

#### Motion to Defer Consideration.

Supervisor Christopher moved, seconded by Supervisor Halley, that consideration of the foregoing measure be continued for one week.

### Substitute Motion.

Supervisor Ferdon moved as a substitute, seconded by Supervisor Dobbs, that the foregoing measure be re-referred to committee for further clarification and that Rule 13 be likewise considered in its relationship to the subject measure.

No objection and motion *carried*.

*Re-referred to Rules Committee.*

**As a Companion to the Foregoing, the Rules Committee Recommends Adoption of a Motion to Amend the Rules of Order by Amending Rule 2 so That the Same Shall Provide as Follows:**

### *Suspension of the Rules of Order*

Rule 2. Except this rule and such other of these Rules of Order as are restatements of provisions of the charter, ordinances, resolutions or law and are so designated in each case by an asterisk and except that suspension of the rule relating to the privilege of the floor *as well as the rule relating to Voting Requirements and Procedure (Rule 24)* shall require the unanimous consent of all members present, any of these Rules of Order may be suspended by the affirmative vote of eight members, unless there be less than eight members present, in which case the unanimous consent of the members present, but not less than six, shall be required.

A motion to suspend the Rules is debatable.

File No. 9673

*Re-referred to Rules Committee*

### Reference to Finance Committee.

The following emergency measures appearing on the Board's supplemental calendar were taken up:

(In each of the following instances, Supervisor Arnold moved, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, that the measure be referred to Finance Committee. No objection and motion *carried*.)

Appropriating \$4,450, Civil Service Commission, from the Emergency Reserve Fund, for Allowance of Overtime and Temporary Salaries; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9754, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

Appropriating \$20,200, Public Works, Bureau of Street Repair, Bridges, from the Unappropriated Balance of the Special Road Improvement Fund, for the Creation of Two Positions of Operating Engineer; Contractual Services; Materials and Supplies and Equipment, Required for Operation of the Broadway Tunnel; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9755-1, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Public Works, Bureau of Street Repair (Bridges)—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9755-2, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

### OFF-CALENDAR LEGISLATION.

The following recommendation of his Honor the Mayor was presented by the Clerk:

**Adopted.**

**Leaves of Absence**—Charles J. Foehn, Member of the Board of Education, December 7-13; Supervisor Edward T. Mancuso, December 11-14, 1952; Both With Permission to Leave the State.

File No. 9220, Resolution No. 12837 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Arnold moved adoption; seconded by Supervisor McCarty.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

**Absent:** Supervisor Lewis—1.

**ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF MEASURES AND COMMUNICATIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.**

**Reference to Committee.**

**Amending the Annual Appropriation Ordinance, Pursuant to the Provisions of Sections 35.5.1 and 36.2 of the Charter, to Provide Additional Funds for Paying Rates of Compensation for Members of the Fire and Police Departments for January, 1953, as Provided in Ordinance No. 7401 (Series of 1939).**

Supervisor Arnold presented:

File No. 9763, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

**Requesting Conference of Streets Committee of the Board of Supervisors and the Department of Public Works for the Purpose of Expediting and Correlating Street Repair Work.**

Supervisor Christopher presented:

File No. 9761, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Streets Committee.*

**Adopted.**

**Approving Canvass of Votes Cast at Consolidated General and Special Election Held on November 4, 1952.**

Supervisor Dobbs presented:

File No. 9692-2, Resolution No. 12845 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Dobbs moved adoption; seconded by Supervisor Ferdon.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

**Absent:** Supervisors Arnold, Lewis—2.

**Communication Concerning Interest in Diamond Heights Redevelopment Area Property.**

Supervisor MacPhee presented a communication advising that he holds real estate loans on certain property located within the Diamond Heights Redevelopment area.

*Ordered filed.*

**Reference to Committee.**

Supervisor MacPhee spoke of the constantly increasing menace created by double-parked vehicles and spoke of personally counting 27 double-parked vehicles, 24 of them being trucks, on Valencia Street between Market and Twenty-first Streets. The Supervisor asserted he believes that these double-parked vehicles not only constituted a hazard but a definite obstruction to the uniform flow of traffic, and in order to eliminate the aforementioned condition, he presented the following measure:

**Amending the Traffic Code to Provide That Double-Parked Vehicles May Be Towed Away.**

File No. 9765, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Police Committee.*

**Announcement of Committee Meeting.**

Supervisor Halley announced a meeting of the Police Committee for Thursday, December 18, 1952, at 2:30 p. m.

**Reference to Committee.****Amending Section 10 of the Charter to Provide That the Compensation of Members of the Board of Supervisors Shall Be Fixed by General Law and Providing Time for Electing the President of the Board.**

Supervisor Mancuso presented:

File No. 9764

*Referred to Judiciary Committee.*

**Request of Supervisor Mancuso.**

Supervisor Mancuso asked that the Judiciary Committee, when considering the foregoing Charter amendment, likewise consider its relationship with Section 151.1 of the Charter.

**Reference to Committee.****Memorializing Congress to Take Action Looking to the Return of California's Tidelands to the State.**

Supervisor Mancuso presented:

File No. 9762, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to County, State and National Affairs Committee.*

**Status of Angel Island Acquisition.**

Supervisor Mancuso stated he had received a letter from John G. Bruce asking that funds be allocated for the acquisition of Angel Island.

The Controller informed the Supervisor that the subject-matter was being handled by the Finance Committee and that a letter had been directed to the Director of Property for report and recommendation as to method of proceeding with the proposed acquisition.

**Reference to Committee.**

Supervisor McCarty informed the Board of the incessant violations of the traffic laws by those who persistently park in painted zones, and requested that the proper committee study the following proposed legislation:

**Amending the Traffic Code to Provide That Vehicles Illegally Parked in Painted Zones May Be Towed Away.**

File No. 9766, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Police Committee.*

**Explanation by Supervisor Halley.**

Supervisor Halley said that the Police Commission had considered the merits of the foregoing measure some time ago but had decided against it due to the terrific amount of expense involved.

**Request of Supervisor Mead for Information Relative to Busses Stopping in Loading Zones.**

The President of the Board, Supervisor Mead, requested that the Clerk direct a communication to the Manager of Utilities and to the Manager of the Municipal Railway, over his signature, stating that he did not intend to tolerate any further excuses offered by bus drivers for their failure or unwillingness to drive to the curb and stop in the loading zones established for the purpose; that a survey be made of this type of violation and that a report and recommendation be made at an early date which will rectify the condition complained of.

No objection and the *Clerk* was directed to comply.

**Adopted.****In Memoriam—Sister Margaret Kenny.**

Supervisor Mead presented:

File No. 9221, Resolution No. 12338 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Mead moved adoption; seconded by Supervisor MacPhee.

*Unanimously adopted by rising vote as follows:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Announcement of Committee Meeting.**

Supervisor Sullivan announced a meeting of the Public Health and Welfare Committee for Thursday, December 4, at 3 p. m.

**ADJOURNMENT.**

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 4:30 p. m., adjourned.

JOHN R. McGRATH, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors December 15, 1952.

I, John R. McGrath, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the date hereon stated and approved as recited.

JOHN R. McGRATH,  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.









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MONDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1952—2:00 P. M.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, December 8, 1952, 2:00 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

## CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

Quorum present.

President Dewey Mead presiding.

Supervisor Dobbs noted present at 2:10 p. m.

Supervisor Lewis excused from attendance. (See below.)

Supervisors Arnold and MacPhee excused at 4:30 p. m.

## Supervisor Lewis Excused.

The President of the Board stated that he had been asked by Supervisor Lewis for permission to absent himself from today's meeting due to a court hearing.

There being no objection, Supervisor Lewis was excused.

## Communications.

From Reis and Paul Tract Improvement Club, protesting assessment levied for the improvement of Bishop Street.

*Referred to Streets Committee.*

From Chief of Police, report showing the number of commercial vehicles towed from the north side of Sutter and Market Streets during the past three months.

*Copy to each Board member; filed.*

From Disaster Council and Corps, newsletter No. 72.

*Copy to each Board member; filed.*

From the San Francisco Convention and Visitors' Bureau, attaching correspondence relative to the use of the city's piers for convention and exhibit purposes.

*Copy to Supervisor Christopher; referred to Commercial and Industrial Development Committee.*

From the County Supervisors' Association, notice of three-day institute on county government for new supervisors, to be held in Sacramento, February 4, 5 and 6, 1953.

*Copy to each member of Board; filed.*

From the City Attorney, opinion concerning the interpretation of Sections 22 and 222 of the Charter, relating to the conduct of members of the Board of Supervisors.

*Copy to each member of Board; Filed.*

### Reference to Rules Committee.

The Clerk read a communication from His Honor the Mayor, advising that it will be necessary for the Board to appropriate funds if it desires that the Mayor appoint appropriate committees for the observance of "Human Rights Week," "Pearl Harbor Day," and "Leonardo Da Vinci 500th Anniversary Commemoration Day."

### Request by Supervisor Christopher.

Supervisor Christopher requested that the proper committee study the propriety of adopting similar resolutions in the future where funds are involved and to adopt a policy with respect to the authorization of such funds.

The President *referred the communication and the request to the Rules Committee.*

### SPECIAL ORDER—2:00 P. M.

**Hearing of Protests—Improvement of Harkness Avenue Between Alder Street (West Line) and Rutland Street (East Line), and the Intersections of Harkness Avenue at Alder, Rutland and Bishop Streets.**

Board of Supervisors to hear protests, if any, of all persons interested in the following described work done or in the assessment, diagram or warrant for pay of the cost of the same, or in any property affected thereby: Improvement of Harkness Avenue between Alder Street (west line) and Rutland Street (east line), and the intersections of Harkness Avenue at Alder, Rutland and Bishop Streets.

File No. 5826

### Privilege of the Floor.

There being no objection, the privilege of the floor was extended to Clarence F. Guttner, President of the Reis and Paul Tract Improvement Club, who requested that the matter of assessment levied for the improvement of Bishop Street be investigated for the purpose of eliminating the assessment.

Accordingly, Supervisor Ferdon moved, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, that the foregoing measure be referred to the Streets Committee for further study.

No objection and motion *carried.*

*Referred to Streets Committee.*

### Consideration of Measure Out of Order.

### Suspension of Rules.

Supervisor Arnold moved, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, that the rules be suspended for the purpose of considering the following measure, appearing on the Board's supplemental calendar, out of order.

No objection and motion *carried.*

### Final Passage.

**Appropriating \$12,550, Police Department, from the Emergency Reserve Fund, for Payment of Extra Duty Performed by Policemen Assigned for the Control of Traffic and to Provide Police Coverage During the Holiday Season; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9723, Ordinance No. 7620 (Series of 1939).

### Motion for Final Passage.

Supervisor Arnold moved final passage; seconded by Supervisor McCarty.

Finally Passed by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Dobbs, Lewis—2.

### SPECIAL ORDER—2:00 P. M.

Hearing of Appeal from the Decision of the City Planning Commission by Its Resolution No. 4093 Dated September 18, 1952, Approving Application to Rezone Property Located on the Southeast Corner of Franklin and Lombard Streets from Second Residential District to Commercial District.

File No. 9548

December 1, 1952—Consideration continued to December 8, 1952.

### Privilege of the Floor.

The privilege of the floor was extended to J. J. Seid, the appellant in the case. Mr. Seid stated that there were sufficient gasoline stations along Lombard Street to serve the motoring public; that the subject zoning is spot zoning; and that it is injurious to the values of residential properties which the owners thereof had hoped would remain unaffected.

Mr. Eugene Riordan, Director of Property, advised that the subject parcel was first purchased when Lombard Street was widened some years ago and that it is thought that it will eventually be needed for the west portal of the Lombard Street Tunnel. Further the Recreation and Park Commission is not interested in the parcel for either park or recreational purposes, and since it will be a good many years before the Lombard Street Tunnel is constructed, it was considered advisable to lease the property during the interim and thus derive revenue for the benefit of the city and county.

### Discussion.

Supervisor MacPhee asked the Chief Administrative Officer as to the time when it was expected that the Lombard tunnel might be constructed. Mr. Brooks replied probably in about ten years. Mr. Brooks went on to state that he was in somewhat of an unenviable position in that he approved the action of the Director of Property, and at the same time voted, as an ex-officio member of the City Planning Commission, against the proposed zoning.

Mr. Paul Oppermann, Director of Planning, stated that the Commission had voted five to two against the staff report.

Supervisors McCarty, Christopher and Mead spoke against the action of the City Planning Commission.

### Explanation of Voting Procedure.

The President of the Board explained that a vote "Aye" would overrule the City Planning Commission and sustain the appellant; a vote "No" would sustain the City Planning Commission and deny the appeal.

### Adopted.

The Clerk thereupon read the following measure to the Board:

Disapproving Decision of the City Planning Commission by Its Resolution No. 4093, Approving Application to Rezone Property Located on the Southeast Corner of Franklin and Lombard Streets from Second Residential District to Commercial District.

File No. 9548-2, Resolution No. 12865 (Series of 1939).

December 1, 1952—Consideration continued to December 8, 1952.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

*City Planning Commission overruled.*

### Consideration of Legislation Out of Order.

#### Suspension of Rules.

Supervisor MacPhee moved, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, that the rules be suspended for the purpose of considering the following recommendation of the Rules Committee out of order.

No objection and motion *carried*.

#### Re-referred to Committee.

The following recommendation of the Rules Committee was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Mead, Arnold, MacPhee.

**The Rules Committee Recommends Adoption of a Motion to Amend the Rules of Order by the Addition of a New Rule to Be Designated Rule 29.1, to Read as Follows:**

#### Rule 29.1.

No member of this Board of Supervisors shall accept any employment, with or without fee, from any person, firm or corporation, which employment entails the prosecution of an action against the City and County of San Francisco, or the defense of any action brought by said City and County, or involves any appearance before, or action by any Board or Commission of said City and County.

File No. 9730

#### Motion to Re-refer to Committee.

Supervisor MacPhee moved, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, that the foregoing measure be re-referred to the Rules Committee for the purpose of hearing from Supervisor Lewis.

No objection and motion *carried*.

*Re-referred to Rules Committee.*

#### Announcement of Committee Meeting.

The President announced a meeting of the Rules Committee for Wednesday, December 17th, at 2:00 p. m.

### UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

#### Adopted.

The following recommendations of Finance Committee, heretofore considered, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

**Authorizing and Instructing the City Attorney to Bring Action Against the American District Telegraph Company for Money Due Under Terms of Its Franchise.**

File No. 6836-1, Resolution No. 12846 (Series of 1939).

November 24, 1952—Consideration continued to December 8, 1952.

**Privilege of the Floor.**

Mr. Fredrick H. Hawkins, representing the firm of Pillsbury, Madison and Sutro, attorneys-at-law, thanked the Board for its consideration in heretofore postponing action on the foregoing as well as the subsequent measure.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Authorizing and Directing the Controller and the Treasurer to Return Franchise Payment Check in Sum of \$10,096.97 to the American District Telegraph Company.**

File No. 6836-2, Resolution No. 12847 (Series of 1939).

(Check purported to be in full and complete settlement of monetary obligations due the City and County Under the terms of its franchise, for period January 1, 1950, through December 18, 1950, and for future obligations beyond December 18, 1950. Check is being returned for purpose of avoiding an accord and satisfaction or any final settlement of claims by the City and County against the telegraph company.)

November 24, 1952—Consideration continued to December 8, 1952.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Passage for Second Reading.**

**Amending Ordinance No. 4537 (Series of 1939), Purchase and Use Tax Ordinance, by Amending Sections 5 and 15 Thereof, to Provide That Retail Sellers Who Lease Rather Than Sell Tangible Personal Property May Pay a Tax to the City Based Upon Rentals, Rather Than Cost to Them.**

File No. 9585, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

December 1, 1952—Consideration continued to December 8, 1952.

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Sections 83.1, 83.2 and 83.4, Board of Education, Non-Certificated Employees, by Abolishing Six Positions of General Clerk-Stenographer, and Adding One Position of Bookkeeper, Six Positions of General Clerk-Typist (Serving During the School Term Only, Eight Hours a Day) and Two Positions of Pianist, Part-Time as Needed.**

File No. 9719, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

December 1, 1952—Consideration continued to December 8, 1952.

**Privilege of the Floor.**

The privilege of the floor was extended to Dr. Herbert C. Clish, Superintendent of Schools, who explained in detail the necessity for the subject measure.

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Final Passage.**

**Appropriating \$4,200, Assessor, for Two Positions of Senior Clerk-Stenographer; Abolishing One Position of Senior Clerk and One Position of General Clerk-Stenographer.**

File No. 9639-1, Ordinance No. 7616 (Series of 1939).

(Senior Clerk-Stenographer .....	\$300-370
Senior Clerk .....	300-370
General Clerk-Stenographer .....	240-300)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 5, Assessor—A  
Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 9639-2, Ordinance No. 7617 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Authorizing Compromise and Settlement of Claim of Erna Phyllis Mobley as Guardian Ad Litem for David Renee Matthews, by the Payment of \$900.**

File No. 9694, Ordinance No. 7618 (Series of 1939).

(Injuries sustained as result of fall over cliff at Fifteenth and Hampshire Streets.)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

(Note: See later action for rescission and subsequent vote.)

**Creating Positions of Assistant Clerks in the Office of the Board of Supervisors to Countersign Various Bonds.**

File No. 9706, Ordinance No. 7619 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Consideration of Legislation Out of Order.**

**Suspension of Rules.**

Supervisor Mancuso moved, seconded by Supervisor MacPhee, that the rules be suspended for the purpose of considering the following recommendations of the Finance Committee out of order.

No objection and motion carried.

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

**Appropriating \$16,474, Recreation and Park, for Transfer of Seven Positions from Recreational Units to the General Division, Reclassification of One Position of Clerk to General Clerk-Stenographer and Reclassification of One Position of Janitress to Janitor.**

File No. 9728-1, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).



## (Positions Transferred:

1 Operating Engineer	\$330-390 per month
1 Head Life Guard	255-305 per month
2 Life Guard Watchmen	235-275 per month
2 Matrons, swimming pool (as needed)	205-235 per month
1 Janitress (as needed)	220-260 per month

## Positions Reclassified:

Abolish 1 General Clerk	240-300 per month
Create 1 General Clerk-Stenographer	240-300 per month
Abolish 1 Janitress	220-260 per month
Create 1 Janitor	230-270 per month)

**Privilege of the Floor.**

The privilege of the floor was accorded David E. Lewis, General Manager of the Recreation and Park Department, who explained the purposes of the measure.

The roll was thereupon called and the foregoing measure was passed for second reading by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, McCarty—2.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Sections 14.1, 14.2, 14.3, 16, 16.3 and 16.4, Recreation and Park—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 9728-2, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(This amendment likewise authorizes the establishment of one position of Life Guard (part-time, as needed) and one position of Senior Architectural Draftsman, interdepartmental, for which no appropriation ordinance is required.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, McCarty—2.

**Appropriating \$16,000, Hetch Hetchy, for Construction of an Equipment Shed at the South Fork Maintenance Yard.**

File No. 9744, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

**Privilege of the Floor.**

The privilege of the floor was accorded to Mr. Harry E. Lloyd, Chief Engineer and General Manager, Hetch Hetchy Project, who explained the purposes of the measure.

The roll was thereupon called and the foregoing measure was passed for second reading by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**NEW BUSINESS.****Adopted.**

The following recommendations of Finance Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

**Authorizing Release of Lien Recorded by the Department of Public Health for Care and Treatment Furnished William Deasy.**

File No. 9222, Resolution No. 12857 (Series of 1939).

(Full amount of \$172.48 paid.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Authorizing Release of Lien Recorded by the Public Welfare Department for Aid Extended to Geraldine D. Lepe.**

File No. 9223, Resolution No. 12858 (Series of 1939).

(Full amount of \$87.60 paid.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Authorizing Extension of Grants of Emergency Relief to Dependent Non-Residents for December, 1952, and January, 1953; List Dated December 8, 1952.**

File No. 9225, Resolution No. 12859 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Authorizing Cancellation of Erroneous and Illegal Assessments for the Years 1951 and 1952.**

File No. 9226, Resolution No. 12860 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Authorizing Cancellation of Erroneous and Duplicate Personal Property Assessments for the Years 1946 Through 1952.**

File No. 9226, Resolution No. 12861 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Authorizing Correction of Clerical Errors in 1952-1953 Assessment Roll.**

File No. 9227, Resolution No. 12862 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Authorizing Refund of Duplicate and Erroneous Payments of Taxes.**

File No. 9230, Resolution No. 12864 (Series of 1939).

(Fiscal years 1949-50, 1951-52 and 1952-53.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Authorizing Purchase of Certain Real Property from Daisy Marie Lundgreen for \$450, Required for School Project No. 53.**

File No. 9726, Resolution No. 12873 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with the Master Plan. Lot 2, Block 6232, located on northwest corner of Arleta Avenue and Elliott Street. Size: 25 feet by 100 feet. Vacant.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Authorizing Purchase of Certain Real Property from Lester Matthews et ux. for \$500, Required for School Project No. 50.**

File No. 9727, Resolution No. 12874 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan. Lot 14-C, Block 6126, located at Holyoke and Olmstead Streets. Size: 25 feet by 120 feet. Vacant.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Authorizing Payment of \$107.50 to Margaret Hubbard, Representing Refund of Deposit for Rental of Larkin Hall in the Civic Auditorium.**

File No. 9729, Resolution No. 12875 (Series of 1939).

(Reservation was made for November 14, 1952, but party was unable to carry out her contract due to an accident.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Granting Extension of Time to February 1, 1953, for Award of Contract for Alterations at 150 Otis Street to Accommodate the Municipal Records Center.**

File No. 9743, Resolution No. 12876 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Approving Requisition No. 10 and Certificate of Purposes for an Advance of \$24,844 to the Redevelopment Agency from the Housing and Home Finance Agency of the United States for the Period from January 1 to and Including June 30, 1953, Pursuant to Provisions of Contract for Advance (UR Calif. A-1) as Amended.**

File No. 9746, Resolution No. 12877 (Series of 1939).

(Planning and surveying of local slum clearance, excepting Diamond Heights.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

Approving Requisition No. 2 and Certificate of Purposes for an Advance of \$103,418 to the Redevelopment Agency from the Housing and Home Finance Agency of the United States, for the Period from January 1 to and Including June 30, 1953, Pursuant to Provisions of Contract for Advance (UR Calif. A-8).

File No. 9747, Resolution No. 12878 (Series of 1939).  
(Diamond Heights.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

#### Re-reference to Finance Committee.

Appropriating \$5,200, Coroner, for Position of Coroner; Abolishing Position of Coroner, Part-Time.

File No. 9606-1, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).  
(\$650-750 per month.)

November 10, 1952—Re-referred to Finance Committee.

#### Discussion.

Supervisor Ferdon declared that the Board should have all the facts which support the contention that the position should be on a full-time basis.

Supervisor Arnold stated that the Committee had been informed by the Chief Administrative Officer that he was of the opinion the position should be on a full-time basis.

Supervisor Dobbs said the Board should hear from Mr. Brooks as to whether the position should be part-time or full-time.

Mr. Brooks stated that feeling had developed some time ago that Dr. Kingston, then Coroner, had been putting in only six hours' work a day; however, pressure had emanated from employee groups to have the position placed on a full-time basis. The Coroner should be available 24 hours a day and his duties should include those of a pathologist and an autopsy surgeon, and it was his opinion that the Coroner should be a medical man.

Supervisor Ferdon stated that the pending issue was not one as to whether or not the Coroner should or should not be a medical man but whether or not the position should or should not be placed on a full-time basis and expressed the hope that some way could be found to pay the present Acting Coroner, Mr. Greene, without authorizing the position to go on a full-time basis as well.

Mr. Brooks stated he would be very glad to come before the Board, after the Civil Service Commission had established an eligibility list, for the purpose of discussing the question of whether the position should or should not be placed on a full-time basis.

Supervisor Ferdon stated that he did not know that the position of Coroner had once been on a full-time basis and later changed to a part-time one, and that up to the present time no facts had been disclosed which would satisfy him that the position of Coroner should be on a full-time basis.

#### Motion to Defer Consideration.

Supervisor MacPhee moved that consideration of the pending measure be continued for a period of one week.

Motion lost for want of a second.

**Discussion—Continued.**

At this point Supervisor McCarty explained his understanding of the pending measure, and expressed the opinion that he would like to pay Mr. Greene, Acting Coroner, from funds other than those appropriated in the pending measure, but he did not know how such an event could come to pass. He thereupon called upon Mrs. Dolen, Supervisor of Wage Schedules and Classifications for the Civil Service Commission, to explain how his suggestion might be carried out. Mrs. Dolen, however, suggested that the Controller answer the question.

Mr. Ross thereupon informed the Board that funds to pay Mr. Greene's salary would have to come from an appropriation authorized by the Board.

Supervisor McCarty: Is there a way to pay Mr. Greene the money now appropriated for the position of part-time Coroner?

Mr. Ross: He is now being paid the salary set up for a part-time Coroner.

**Motion to Defer Consideration—Withdrawn.**

Supervisor MacPhee moved that consideration of the pending measure be continued for a period of one week. Motion seconded by Supervisor Dobbs.

There being no objection, Supervisor MacPhee *withdrew* his motion.

**Motion to Re-refer to Committee.**

Supervisor Dobbs moved re-reference to Finance Committee. Motion seconded by Supervisor Ferdon.

Motion *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

*Re-referred to Finance Committee.*

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 63, Coroner—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 9606-2, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

November 10, 1952—Re-referred to Finance Committee.

**Motion to Re-refer to Committee.**

Supervisor Dobbs moved, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, that the foregoing measure be re-referred to Finance Committee.

No objection and motion *carried*.

*Re-referred to Finance Committee.*

**Passage for Second Reading.**

Appropriating \$4,700, Public Works, from the Special Road Improvement Fund, for Construction of Stairways and Additional Improvement to the Alpha Street-Tioga Avenue Connection.

File No. 9725, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Not in conflict with the Master Plan.)

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

## SPECIAL ORDER—4:00 P. M.

Award Made to Halsey, Stuart and Company.

Awarding of Bid or Rejecting All Bids by Board of Supervisors Not Later Than 4:00 P. M. (P. S. T.), December 8, 1952, at the Chambers of the Board of Supervisors, City Hall, Civic Center, San Francisco, for

\$1,000,000 City and County of San Francisco Street Improvement Bonds—1947, Series F;

\$10,000,000 City and County of San Francisco School Bonds—1948, Series D;

\$1,000,000 City and County of San Francisco Airport Bonds—1949, Series D;

\$3,000,000 City and County of San Francisco Cherry Valley Dam Bonds—1949, Series B.

Adopted.

The following recommendations of the Finance Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

Accepting Bid of Halsey, Stuart and Company in Connection With the Sale of \$1,000,000 City and County of San Francisco Street Improvement Bonds—1947, Series F.

File No. 9690-1, Resolution No. 12866 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

Accepting Bid of Halsey, Stuart and Company in Connection With the Sale of \$10,000,000 City and County of San Francisco School Bonds—1948, Series D.

File No. 9690-2, Resolution No. 12867 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

Accepting Bid of Halsey, Stuart and Company in Connection With the Sale of \$1,000,000 City and County of San Francisco Airport Bonds—1949, Series D.

File No. 9690-3, Resolution No. 12868 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

Accepting Bid of Halsey, Stuart and Company in Connection With the Sale of \$3,000,000 City and County of San Francisco Cherry Valley Dam Bonds—1949, Series B.

File No. 9690-4, Resolution No. 12869 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Passage for Second Reading.****Authorizing Compromise and Settlement of Claim of George Ruff, Jr.,  
Against the City and County by the Payment of \$100.**

File No. 9741, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(Injuries suffered as result of being struck by a hit-run driver when compelled to detour around a barricaded sidewalk at 1234 Pine Street.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Appropriating \$1,750, Public Library, for Payment of Industrial Accident Award, Compensation Benefits and Medical Treatment to Employees of the Public Library Pursuant to Provisions of Workmen's Compensation Law, and Pro-Rata of Retirement System Costs.**

File No. 9742, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(Two employees of the Public Library hurt in course of duty.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Amending the Annual Appropriation Ordinance, 1952-1953, Pursuant to the Provisions of Sections 35.1.1 and 36.2 of the Charter, to Make Available Additional Funds for Compensating Members of the Police and Fire Departments for the Month of January, 1953, as Set Forth in Ordinance No. 7491 (Series of 1939).**

File No. 9763, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, McCarty—2.

**Final Passage.****Appropriating \$4,450, Civil Service, from the Emergency Reserve Fund, for Overtime and Temporary Salaries: an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9754, Ordinance No. 7621 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis, McCarty—2.

**Appropriating \$20,200, Public Works, Bureau of Street Repair, from Unappropriated Balance of Special Road Improvement Fund, for Two Positions of Operating Engineer, Contractual Services, Materials and Supplies and Equipment, Required in Connection With the Operation of the Broadway Tunnel: an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9755-1, Ordinance No. 7614 (Series of 1939).

(Operating Engineers at rate of \$330-390 per month	\$4,620
Contractual Services . . . . .	9,500
Materials and Supplies . . . . .	5,100
Equipment . . . . .	980

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, McCarty—2.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Public Works, Bureau of Street Repair, Section 51.2—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9755-2, Ordinance No. 7615 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, McCarty—2.

**Adopted.**

The following recommendations of Streets Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Ferdon, Halley, Sullivan.

**Ordering the Vacation of Portions of Thirty-eighth, Thirty-ninth and Fortieth Avenues, and Ortega, Pacheco and Quintara Streets, Required for the Sunset Community Center.**

File No. 8572-2, Resolution No. 12848 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan.)

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Declaring Intention to Order the Vacation of a Portion of Trocadero Drive and Vale Avenue.**

File No. 8743-1, Resolution No. 12849 (Series of 1939).

(Trocadero Drive, from Wawona Street to its easterly termination;

Vale Avenue, from the northerly line of Crestlake Drive to its intersection with Trocadero Drive.)

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Declaring Intention to Order the Vacation of Rockdale Drive Between Omar Way and Bella Vista Way.**

File No. 8798-1, Resolution No. 12850 (Series of 1939).

(Not in conflict with Master Plan.)

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Declaring Intention to Order the Vacation of Certain Portions of Chicago Way, Located in Crocker Amazon Highlands.**

File No. 8810-1, Resolution No. 12851 (Series of 1939).

(In conformity with Master Plan.)

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.



**Declaring Intention to Order the Vacation of a Portion of Toland Street Between Elmira Street and Shafter Avenue.**

File No. 8844-1, Resolution No. 12852 (Series of 1939).

(Not in conflict with Master Plan.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Ordering the Vacation of Lena Place.**

File No. 8990-2, Resolution No. 12853 (Series of 1939).

(Not in conflict with Master Plan.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Ordering the Vacation of the Northwesterly 75 Feet of Converse Street.**

File No. 9062-2, Resolution No. 12854 (Series of 1939).

(Not in conflict with Master Plan.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Approving Map Showing the Reopening of a Portion of Athens Street Between Valmar Terrace and Avalon Avenue as a Pedestrian Way.**

File No. 9699, Resolution No. 12870 (Series of 1939).

(Not in conflict with Master Plan.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Granting Revocable Permit to Western Pacific Railroad Company to Install and Maintain a Truck Scale at Ninth and Bryant Streets.**

File No. 9708, Resolution No. 12871 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Declaring Intention to Change or Modify Official Grades on Portions of Felton and Harvard Streets.**

File No. 9721-1, Resolution No. 12872 (Series of 1939).

(Felton Street, between the easterly line of Harvard and Gambier Streets;

Harvard Street, between the northerly line of Felton Street and a line 150 feet southerly therefrom.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

Passage for Second Reading.

Amending the Public Works Code, Relating to Street Flower Markets, by Deleting Therefrom the Authorized Location on the West Sidewalk Area of Stockton Street, 100 Feet North of the Northerly Line of Ellis Street, and by Adding Thereto an Authorized Location on the North Sidewalk Area of Post Street Within 50 Feet West of 250 Post Street.

File No. 9630, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

Accepting the Roadway and Curbs of the Crossing of Campbell Avenue and Delta Street, the Intersections of Campbell Avenue at Ervine and Alberta Streets, and Campbell Avenue Between Elliott and Delta Streets.

File No. 9681, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

Establishing Sidewalk Widths on Market Street Between Ord and Danvers Street at Six Feet.

File No. 9682, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

Accepting the Roadway and Curbs of the Crossing of Goettingen and Mansell Streets.

File No. 9697, Ordinance No. . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

Establishing Sidewalk Width on the Southwesterly Side of Erie Street Between Mission Street and a Point 222.48 Feet Easterly Therefrom at Eight Feet, and Abolishing the Sidewalk Width on the Northeasterly Side Between Mission Street and a Point 204.09 Feet Easterly Therefrom.

File No. 9702, Ordinance No. . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

Accepting the Roadway and Curbs of Florentine Avenue Between Brunswick and Morse Streets.

File No. 9722, Ordinance No. . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Rescission of Board Action.**

Supervisor Halley moved, seconded by Supervisor Ferdon, that the Board rescind its action whereby it had heretofore given final passage to File No. 9694 entitled "Authorizing compromise and settlement of claim of Erna Phyllis Mobley as guardian ad litem for David Renee Matthews, by the payment of \$900."

No objection and motion *carried*.

**Supervisor Halley Excused from Voting.**

Supervisor Halley requested that he be excused from voting on the pending measure.

There being no objection, permission *granted*.

**Final Passage.**

The roll was thereupon called and the foregoing measure was *finally passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Halley, Lewis—2.

**OFF-CALENDAR LEGISLATION.**

The following recommendation of his Honor, the Mayor, was presented by the Clerk:

**Adopted.**

**Leaves of Absence**—Supervisor Chester R. MacPhee, January 10-30, 1953; Oliver M. Rousseau, President of the Public Utilities Commission, December 31, 1952, to January 4, 1953; Both With Permission to Leave the State.

File No. 9220, Resolution No. 12855 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Arnold moved adoption; seconded by Supervisor McCarty.

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Supervisors Excused.**

There being no objection, Supervisors MacPhee and Arnold were excused from further Board attendance.

**ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF MEASURES AND COMMUNICATIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.****Adopted.**

Requesting His Honor the Mayor to Appoint Citizens' Committee for the Proper Observance of Lincoln's Birthday and Washington's Birthday in 1953.

Supervisor Christopher presented:

File No. 9228, Resolution No. 12863 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Christopher moved adoption; seconded by Supervisor Sullivan.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Motion Concerning Progress Report on Second Bay Crossing or Crossings.**

Supervisor Christopher moved, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, that the Mayor and the Chief Administrative Officer render a progress report every two weeks on discussions or actions affecting the construction of a second bay crossing or crossings, so that the members of the Board may be kept currently advised of proceedings.

**Amendment.**

Supervisor Halley moved as an amendment, that the matter be referred to the proper committee. Motion seconded by Supervisor Sullivan.

At this point the President informed Supervisor Christopher that he had been invited to attend a meeting called by the Mayor on Tuesday, December 9, for the purpose of discussing the subject of a second Bay crossing or crossings.

**Amendment Withdrawn.**

There being no objection, Supervisor Halley *withdrew* his amendment.

**Motion Carried.**

The roll was thereupon called and Supervisor Christopher's motion for a progress report *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**Adopted.****In Memoriam—George C. Thierbach.**

Supervisor Halley presented:

File No. 9221, Resolution No. 12856 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Halley moved adoption; seconded by Supervisor Mancuso.

*Unanimously adopted by rising vote as follows:*

Ayes: Supervisors Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Lewis, MacPhee—3.

**ADJOURNMENT.**

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 4:45 p. m., adjourned.

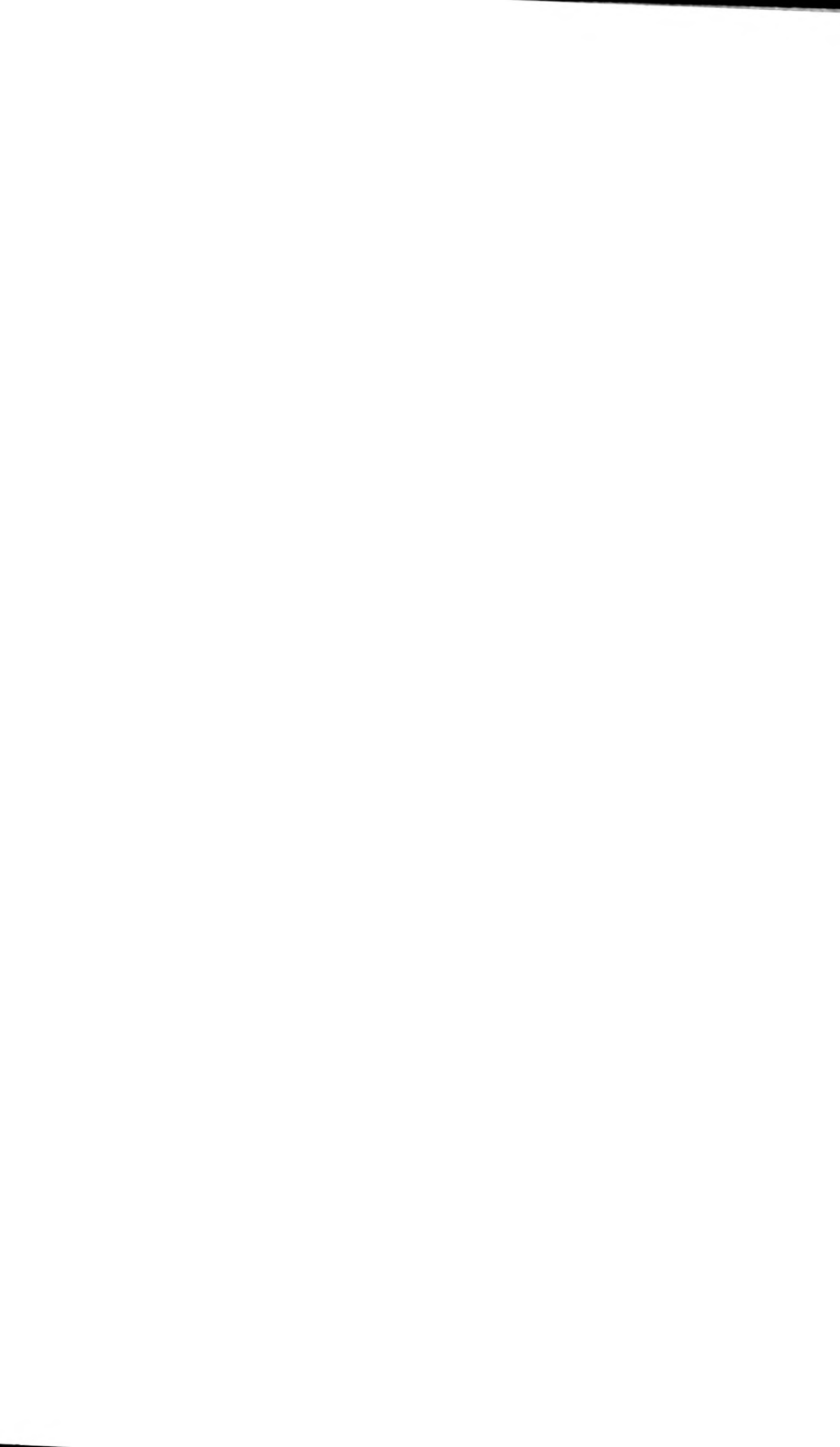
JOHN R. McGRATH. Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors December 22, 1952.

I, John R. McGrath, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the date hereon stated and approved as recited.

JOHN R. McGRATH,  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.









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# JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MONDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1952—2:00 P. M.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, December 15, 1952, 2:00 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

## CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Lewis, Mancuso—2.

Quorum present.

President Dewey Mead presiding.

Supervisor Lewis noted present at 4:35 p. m.

Supervisor Mancuso noted present at 2:15 p. m.

Supervisor MacPhee excused at 4:00 p. m.

## APPROVAL OF JOURNALS.

The Journals of Proceedings for November 24 and December 1, 1952, were considered read and approved.

## Communications.

From the First Unitarian Church; N. Gray and Co., Associated General Contractors, Central California Chapter; San Francisco Junior Chamber of Commerce; Council of Pacific Unity of San Francisco; San Francisco Urban League; San Francisco Planning and Housing Association; East and West of Castro Street Improvement Club; The American Institute of Architects; Japanese-American Citizens' League Buchanan Street Center, Y.M.C.A.-Y.W.C.A.; Testimony by the Fillmore Council, Independent Progressive Party, favoring adoption of Tentative Plan for the redevelopment of Western Addition Project Area No. 1.

*Ordered filed.*

From Disaster Council and Corps, news letter No. 73.

*Copy to each member of Board; filed.*

From the Mayor, advising that he will be happy to keep the Board informed of developments in connection with the proposed construction of a second bay crossing or crossings.

*Filed.*

**SPECIAL ORDER—2:00 P. M.**

Referred to Streets Committee.

**Hearing of Protests—Improvement of Portions of Harkness Avenue  
Between Rutland and Sparta Streets.**

Board of Supervisors to hear protests, if any, of all persons interested in the following described work done or in the assessment, diagram or warrant for pay of the cost of the same, or in any property affected thereby: Improvement of portions of Harkness Avenue between Rutland and Sparta Streets by the Bernal Construction Company, as described in Declaration of Intention, Order No. 33265, dated April 19, 1950, of the Department of Public Works.

• File No. 5825

**Protest Read.**

The Clerk read a protest received from William Hansberg in connection with the foregoing matter. At the conclusion of the reading, Supervisor Ferdon moved, seconded by Supervisor Dobbs, that the subject be referred to the Streets Committee for investigation and report.

No objection and motion *carried*.

*Referred to Streets Committee.*

**Announcement of Committee Meeting.**

A meeting of the Streets Committee was announced for Thursday, December 18, at 2:00 p. m.

**Request of Supervisor Halley.**

Supervisor Halley requested that the Department of Public Works be apprized of the protest and that a report and recommendation thereon be forthcoming in time for consideration by the Streets Committee at its meeting to be held on Thursday, December 18.

No objection and so *ordered*.

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS.****Final Passage.**

The following recommendation of Finance Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

**Appropriating \$850, Public Utilities, Hetch Hetchy Project, for Purchase  
of a Snow Removal Blade.**

File No. 9720, Ordinance No. 7622 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**NEW BUSINESS.****Adopted.**

The following recommendations of Finance Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, McCarty.

**Authorizing Release of Lien Recorded by the Public Welfare Department  
for Aid Extended to Fred Edward and Helen Mary Moore.**

File No. 9223, Resolution No. 12883 (Series of 1939).

(Full amount of \$307.57 paid.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Authorizing Release of Lien Recorded by the Public Welfare Department for Aid Extended to Clark D. and Clara M. Barnes.**

File No. 9223, Resolution No. 12884 (Series of 1939).

(Full amount of \$200.44 paid.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Approving Supplemental Recommendations, Public Welfare Department, Relative to Categorical Aids: Letters Dated December 8 and 9, 1952.**

File No. 9224, Resolution No. 12885 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Authorizing Extension of Grants of Emergency Relief to Dependent Non-Residents for December, 1952, and January, 1953: List Dated December 15, 1952.**

File No. 9225, Resolution No. 12886 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Transferring Jurisdiction of a Certain Parcel of Land Located on the Easterly Side of the Intersection of Thirty-fourth Avenue and Wawona Street from the Recreation and Park Department to the Department of Public Works, Required for Street Purposes.**

File No. 9717, Resolution No. 12887 (Series of 1939).

(Portion of Lot 1, Block 2499-a. Area: 134 square feet.

Required for the channelization of said intersection. In conformity with the Master Plan.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Authorizing Application to the State Allocation Board for Additional Aid in Amount of \$3,650.28 for Purchase of Right-of-way Required for the Widening of Thirteenth Street.**

File No. 9748, Resolution No. 12888 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Authorizing Purchase of Water Pipe Line Easement Located in San Mateo County from A. Noel Damours et ux. for \$350, Required for the Sunset Supply Line.**

File No. 9749, Resolution No. 12889 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Authorizing Purchase of a Water Pipe Line Easement Located in San Mateo County from Michael M. Moreno et ux. for \$215, Required for the Sunset Supply Line.**

File No. 9750, Resolution No. 12890 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Waiving the Residential Requirements for Position of Instructor of Nursing.**

File No. 9767, Resolution No. 12891 (Series of 1939).

#### Query.

Supervisor Ferdon made inquiry into the necessity of going out of town for the purpose of attempting to procure qualified applicants. Mrs. Dolen of the Civil Service Commission informed the Supervisor that efforts had been made to find applicants in San Francisco without success.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Waiving Residential Requirements for Superintendent of Nurses, Laguna Honda Home.**

File No. 9769, Resolution No. 12892 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

#### Passage for Second Reading.

**Appropriating \$205,000, Public Works, from Unappropriated Balance of the Special Road Improvement Fund, for Street Improvement Purposes.**

File No. 9756, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(Clarendon Avenue widening . . . . .	\$ 25,000
Eighteenth Street—Guerrero Street to Harrison	
Street Curb Set-back . . . . .	26,000
West Portal Avenue Reconstruction . . . . .	30,000
Plymouth and Ocean Avenues Realignment . . . . .	24,000
Geary Street Expressway Property Acquisition . . . . .	100,000)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Appropriating \$2,150, Purchasing, for Purchase of a Dual Reproduction Machine.**

File No. 9757, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Appropriating \$1,166.96, San Francisco Airport, for Overtime Allowance.**

File No. 9758, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Appropriating \$1,440, Municipal Railway, for Position of General Clerk; Abolishing Position of Car House Receiver.**

File No. 9760-1, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(General Clerk .....	\$240-300
Car House Receiver .....	240-300)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Sections 72 and 72.1, Municipal Railway—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 9760-2, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Appropriating \$2,965.60, Water Department, for Extras in Excess of 10 Per Cent of Amount of Contract with E. T. Haas Company for Construction of Cross Connections at Newark and Redwood City on Bay Crossing Pipe Lines Nos. 1 and 2.**

File No. 9771, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Appropriating \$128.85, Hetch Hetchy Project, for Payment of Retroactive Wages and Pensions, Pursuant to Court Order.**

File No. 9772, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Appropriating \$4,600, Public Health, for Installation of Morgue Boxes at Laguna Honda Home.**

File No. 9773, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Consideration Temporarily Postponed.**

**Authorizing Lease of Municipal Railway Property Located at Fillmore and Turk Streets.**

File No. 9774-1, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(Portion of Lot 1, Block 756. Size: 92 feet 6 inches by 177 feet. Not in conflict with the Master Plan.)

There being no objection, consideration of the foregoing measure was *temporarily postponed* pending appearance of the Director of Property and the Manager of Utilities at the request of Supervisor Mancuso.

**Consideration Temporarily Postponed.**

**Amending Ordinance No. 4942 (Series of 1939), Membership Ordinance, by Authorizing the Sheriff to Acquire Membership in the National Sheriffs' Association.**

File No. 9775, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

There being no objection, consideration of the foregoing measure was *temporarily postponed* pending appearance of the Sheriff at the request of Supervisor Mancuso.

**Passage for Second Reading.**

**Appropriating \$142.58, Water Department, for Retroactive Wages and Pensions and for Holiday and Overtime Pay Due Two Garagemen, Pursuant to Court Order.**

File No. 9776, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Reference to Finance Committee.**

The following emergency measures, appearing on the Board's supplemental calendar, were taken up:

(In each of the following instances, Supervisor Arnold moved reference to Finance Committee. Motion seconded by Supervisor Dobbs, and there being no objection motion *carried*.)

**Appropriating \$875, Weights and Measures, from the Emergency Reserve Fund, for Contractual Services and Maintenance and Repair of Automotive Equipment for Weights and Measures; and for Telephone and Telegraph, and Electricity and Gas for the Farmers' Market; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9786, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

**Appropriating \$9,820, Police Department, from the Emergency Reserve Fund, for Maintenance and Repairs of Radio Equipment in Radio Cars; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9787, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*



Appropriating \$750, Public Health, Hassler Health Home, from the Emergency Reserve Fund, for the Purchase of a Refrigerator; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9789, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

Appropriating \$1,543, Recreation and Park Department, from the Surplus Existing in the Recreation and Park Department Fund Compensation Reserve, for Temporary Salaries; an Emergency Measure.

File No. 9790, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

*(See subsequent action for rescission and final passage.)*

#### **Discussion of Feasibility of Discontinuing Typing of Emergency Calendar.**

Supervisor Mancuso questioned the wisdom of continuing the practice of preparing the Board's weekly supplemental emergency calendar in view of the fact that invariably, with but one exception, to his knowledge since its inception, the emergency measures contained therein have been referred to the Finance Committee.

The Clerk informed Supervisor Mancuso that the preparation of such an emergency calendar was being done pursuant to the provisions of the Board's Legislative Procedure Ordinance.

*No Board action taken.*

#### **Rescission of Board Action.**

Supervisor Arnold moved, seconded by Supervisor Halley, that the Board rescind its action whereby it had referred the measure entitled "Appropriating \$1,543, Recreation and Park Department, for temporary salaries; an emergency measure," to the Finance Committee.

File No. 9790, Ordinance No. 7623 (Series of 1939).

*No objection and motion carried.*

#### **Motion to Pass.**

Supervisor McCarty moved that the foregoing measure be finally passed. Motion seconded by Supervisor Arnold.

#### **Privilege of the Floor.**

The privilege of the floor was extended to David E. Lewis, General Manager of the Recreation and Park Department, who explained that the funds were required to provide janitorial service for Kezar Stadium for the remainder of the fiscal year.

#### **Final Passage.**

The roll was thereupon called and the foregoing measure was *finally passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1

Resumption of Consideration of File No. 9774-1, "Authorizing Lease of Municipal Railway Property Located at Fillmore and Turk Streets."

#### **Privilege of the Floor.**

The privilege of the floor was extended to Mr. James H. Turner, Manager of Utilities.

In reply to a query by Supervisor Mancuso as to whether efforts should not be made to dispose of the property in question rather than lease it, Mr. Turner stated that the Public Utilities Commission

felt that the parcel should be held for possible future use; further, the Commission had gone along with a request made by the Board some years ago to dispose of all surplus property, and that practically all surplus property had been sold.

#### **Suggestion by Supervisor MacPhee.**

Supervisor MacPhee suggested to Mr. Turner that his Commission give further consideration to the advisability and feasibility of disposing of the subject parcel. Mr. Turner stated he would be glad to convey the Supervisor's wishes to his Commission.

#### **Motion to Defer Consideration.**

Supervisor MacPhee thereupon moved, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, that consideration of the pending measure be continued for a period of two weeks.

No objection and motion carried.

*Consideration continued two weeks.*

**Resumption of Consideration of File No. 9775 Entitled "Amending Ordinance No. 4942 (Series of 1939), Membership Ordinance, by Authorizing the Sheriff to Acquire Membership in the National Sheriffs' Association."**

#### **Privilege of the Floor.**

The privilege of the floor was extended to Sheriff Dan Gallagher, who informed the Board that his office had at one time been affiliated with the National Sheriffs' Association; that practically all governmental agencies in the State of California entrusted with duties generally devolving upon a sheriff are affiliated with the Association; that the dues are very nominal, and that all sheriffs have been requested to attend the Association's forthcoming annual convention to be held in Oakland.

#### **Passage for Second Reading.**

The roll was thereupon called and the pending measure was passed for second reading by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

#### **OFF-CALENDAR LEGISLATION.**

The following recommendation of his Honor the Mayor was presented by the Clerk:

#### **Adopted.**

**Leaves of Absence—Harry J. Stewart, Member of the Retirement Board, January 5-11, 1953; Thomas C. Lynch, District Attorney, for Period Not Exceeding Five Days Commencing December 12, 1952. Both With Permission to Leave the State.**

File No. 9220, Resolution No. 12879 (Series of 1939).

#### **Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Arnold moved adoption; motion seconded by Supervisor McCarty.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF MEASURES AND COMMUNICATIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.**

**Adopted.**

**In Memoriam—Arthur H. Connolly.**

Supervisor Halley presented:

File No. 9221, Resolution No. 12880 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Halley moved adoption; seconded by Supervisor MacPhee.

*Unanimously adopted by rising vote as follows:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**In Memoriam—Mrs. Emily Nasser.**

Supervisor Halley presented:

File No. 9221, Resolution No. 12881 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Halley moved adoption; motion seconded by Supervisor Arnold.

*Unanimously adopted by rising vote as follows:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**In Memoriam—Edward Rainey.**

Jointly presented by Supervisors Christopher and Dobbs:

File No. 9221, Resolution No. 12882 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Christopher moved adoption; seconded by Supervisor Dobbs.

*Unanimously adopted by rising vote as follows:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

**Reference to Judiciary Committee.**

**Amending Section 7 of the Charter, by Deleting Therefrom Provision Relating to Residence Requirements for City Employees.**

Supervisor Mead presented:

File No. 9811

*Referred to Judiciary Committee.*

**Christmas Tree Sales by Guardsmen.**

Supervisor Ferdon announced that the sale of Christmas trees on Sunday, December 14, netted a sum in excess of \$5,000 and thanked the Board members who donated their time as salesmen.

**Reference to Streets Committee.****Declaring Intention to Order the Vacation of Portions of Missouri, Texas and Twenty-third Streets.**

Supervisor Halley presented:

File No. 9810-1, Resolution No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Streets Committee.*

**Announcement of Caucus Meeting.**

The President of the Board, Supervisor Mead, announced that a caucus of Board members will be held on Monday, December 22, 1952, at the hour of 1:30 p. m., for the purpose of nominating a director for the Golden Gate Bridge and Highway District.

**Supervisor MacPhee Excused.**

There being no objection, Supervisor MacPhee was granted permission to absent himself from further Board attendance at the hour of 4:00 p. m.

**SPECIAL ORDER—3:00 P. M.**

Public Hearing by the Board of Supervisors, Sitting as a Committee of the Whole, for Consideration of the Tentative Plan for the Redevelopment of the Western Addition Project Area No. One and the Report of the Redevelopment Agency Thereon, With Opportunity for All Interested Persons or Agencies to Be Heard, and to Receive and Consider Written Communications With Reference to Said Tentative Plan and Report Thereon, All in Accordance With the Community Redevelopment Law and Pursuant to Resolution No. 12817 (Series of 1939).

File No. 9678

**Committee of the Whole.**

Supervisor MacPhee moved, seconded by Supervisor Arnold, that the Board resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole for the purpose of hearing from all interested parties.

No objection and motion *carried*.

**Statements by City Officials.**

Mr. Morgan A. Gunst, Chairman of the Redevelopment Agency, stated that he would be happy to answer all questions anyone would care to ask him.

Mr. James E. Lash, Director of the Agency, gave a summary of events leading to the present hearing before the Board.

**Privilege of the Floor.**

The privilege of the floor was accorded the following individuals, representing either themselves or organizations:

Mr. George S. Hill, 36 Diamond Street, representing the Transportation Division of the Central Council of Civic Clubs.

Donald C. Edson, representing the American Institute of Architects, 369 Pine Street.

Edward I. Barry, 1410 Portola Drive.

Gus Katsarsky, representing the San Francisco Labor Council, 2940 Sixteenth Street.

Rev. Leland R. Keys, 525 Crestlake Drive, Pastor, Glad Tidings Temple.

Frank White, Secretary-Treasurer, C.I.O., 695 Market Street.

Mrs. Evelyn Lewis, Chairman, Hamilton Playground Community Center, 1419 Scott Street.

Rev. Arthur C. Nitz, Pastor, St. Paulus Lutheran Church, 950 Gough Street.

John Bolles, San Francisco Planning and Housing Association, 210 Post Street.

Betty Silverman, Fillmore Council, Independent Progressive Party, 1433 Divisadero Street.

Rev. John R. Kenney, 739 Thirty-second Avenue, representing the San Francisco Council of Churches.

Thomas Gray, 2848 Union Street, representing the Downtown Association.

Mrs. Clark Mahany, Chairman, the Buchanan Street Y.M.C.A.-Y.W.C.A., Public Affairs Committee, 1530 Buchanan Street.

Mrs. Jacqueline Smith, San Francisco Urban League, 2015 Steiner Street.

H. L. Cannon, 538 Munich Street.

Rev. R. L. Turner, Baptist Ministers' Union, 3926 Washington Street.

Richard F. Harding, 1155 Jones Street, San Francisco Real Estate Board.

Fred Hoshiyama, 1474 Forty-eighth Avenue, representing the Japanese-American Citizens' League.

Booker Anderson, Jr., 1975 Post Street.

Rev. Harold A. L. Clement, Pastor, First African Methodist Episcopal Zion Church, 1667 Geary Street.

Carroll Newburgh, 1801 Franklin Street.

Edward Howden, Executive Director, Council for Civic Unity, 101 Post Street.

Mrs. Rose C. Walker, 82 Farragut Street.

Russell Powell, 2425 Taraval Street.

James Claitor, Junior Chamber of Commerce, 333 Pine Street.

#### Motion to Rise and Report.

Supervisor Christopher moved, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, that the Board rise and report.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Lewis—1.

#### Request of Supervisor Christopher.

Supervisor Christopher requested that the Clerk direct a communication to the Police Commission for the purpose of determining if the changes in street pattern as set up in the proposed redevelopment of Western Addition Project Area No. 1 meets with its approval and are in the public interest.

No objection and the Clerk was directed to comply.

#### Official Policy of Redevelopment Agency.

Supervisor Ferdon asked if the pamphlet entitled "The Effect of Redevelopment on Residents and Property Owners in Western Addition Project Area Number One" comprised the official utterances of the Redevelopment Agency, and Mr. James E. Lash, Director of the Agency, stated that the aforementioned document had been officially adopted by the Redevelopment Agency.

### Motion to Conclude Hearing.

Supervisor Halley moved that the public hearing be concluded. Motion seconded by Supervisor Dobbs and *carried* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead—9.

Absent: Supervisors MacPhee, Sullivan—2.

Hearing concluded at 4:55 p. m.

### Continuation of Consideration of Measures Under Roll Call.

#### Reference to Committee.

**Declaring Policy in Support of Simultaneous Construction of Parallel and Southern Bay Crossings and Formation of Bridge District for Financing Thereof.**

Supervisor Lewis presented:

File No. 9810 Resolution No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Referred to County, State and National Affairs Committee.*

#### Request of Supervisor Lewis.

Supervisor Lewis requested that the City Attorney inform the Committee on County, State and National Affairs as to the procedural steps necessary for the formation of the proposed bridge district. The Supervisor suggested the possibility of forming a district identical with or similar to a joint highway district as authorized by Division 16 of the California Streets and Highways Code.

No objection and the *Clerk was directed to comply.*

#### Request of Supervisor Christopher.

In connection with the above mentioned measure referred to the County, State and National Affairs Committee, Supervisor Christopher requested that the Controller be asked to prepare and have available to the members of the committee at the proper time, information pertaining to financing the proposed construction of the crossing or crossings.

No objection and the *Clerk was directed to comply.*

#### Reference to Finance Committee.

Supervisor Lewis informed the Board that it was the intention of the Bay Area Rapid Transit Commission to go before the Legislature for the purpose of obtaining \$400,000 of the \$750,000 required to prepare plans and specifications for an over-all rapid transit plan for the nine bay counties. It was pointed out, however, that the Commission would have difficulty in getting the \$400,000 from the Legislature unless the participating counties would contribute their shares on a matching basis. Several counties have already expressed a willingness to participate on a matching basis and San Francisco's share would amount to \$100,000. The Supervisor concluded his remarks by suggesting that the Board consider appropriating the sum of \$100,000 on a matching basis.

The President *referred the matter to the Finance Committee.*

### ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 5:20 p. m., adjourned.

JOHN R. McGRATH, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors January 5, 1953.

I, John R. McGrath, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the date hereon stated and approved as recited.

JOHN R. McGRATH,  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.





Monday, December 22, 1952

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MONDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1952—2:00 P. M.

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In meeting of Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, December 22, 1952, 2:00 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

## CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—11.

Quorum present.

President Dewey Mead presiding.

Supervisor Halley excused at 3:00 p. m.

Supervisor Arnold excused at 3:30 p. m.

## APPROVAL OF JOURNAL.

The Journal of Proceedings for December 8, 1952, was considered read and approved.

### Communications.

From Recreation and Park Department, granting approval to place a pedestaled bust of the late Frank Marini in the detached triangular portion of park adjacent to Washington Square.

*Copy to Supervisor Christopher; filed.*

From the Chief Administrative Officer, attaching copy of statement released to press regarding conditions at public health institutions.

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

From the State Department of Public Health, addressed to Supervisor Dewey Mead, two communications relative to conditions at, and suggesting improvements to the San Francisco Hospital and the Laguna Honda Home.

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

### Supervisors Excused.

There being no objection, Supervisor Halley was to be excused at 3:00 p. m. and Supervisor Arnold at 3:30 p. m.

### Suspension of Rules.

Supervisor Halley moved, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, that the rules be suspended for the purpose of considering the following recommendations of the Police Committee, under New Business, out of order.

No objection and motion carried.

**Adopted.**

The following recommendations of Police Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Halley, Arnold, Ferdon.

**Deleting San Jose Avenue, East Side, Between Randall and Twenty-eighth Streets, 7 A. M. to 9 A. M., and West Side, Between Army and Randall Streets, 4 P. M. to 6 P. M., from List of Streets on Which Stopping Is Prohibited, Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays Excepted.**

File No. 9718, Resolution No. 12901 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Deleting Phelan Avenue, East Side, Between Judson and Ocean Avenues, from List of Streets on Which Parking Is Prohibited, Day or Night.**

File No. 9739, Resolution No. 12903 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Designating the Northeast and Southwest Corners of Dolores and Seventeenth Streets as "Stop" Intersections.**

File No. 9740, Resolution No. 12904 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Adding Lombard Street, South Side, Between Polk and Larkin Streets, to List of Streets on Which Parking Is Prohibited, Day or Night.**

File No. 9752, Resolution No. 12905 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Approving Angle Parking on the North Side of Lombard Street, Between Polk and Larkin Streets.**

File No. 9753, Resolution No. 12906 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Adding Bush Street, North Side, Between Grant Avenue and Battery Street, to List of Streets on Which Stopping Is Prohibited Between 4 P. M. and 6 P. M., Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays Excepted.**

File No. 9797, Resolution No. 12913 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Authorizing Temporary Closing of Grove Street, Between Polk and Larkin Streets, for an Undetermined Number of Days Between February 19 and March 4, 1953, and Granting Permission to the Pacific Automotive Association to Erect and Maintain a Canvas Cover Over Said Street During the Pacific Automotive Show.**

File No. 9696, Resolution No. 12899 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—11.

Deleting Dolores Street into Randall Street from, and Adding San Jose Avenue, Southbound, into Randall Street (Except Municipal Railway Transit Vehicles), to List of Street Intersections from Which Left-Hand Turns Are Prohibited at All Times.

File No. 9798, Resolution No. 12914 (Series of 1939).

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—11.

#### Passage for Second Reading.

Authorizing Establishment of Two Mid-Block Crosswalks on Phelan Avenue South of Judson Avenue.

File No. 9738, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—11.

#### Suspension of Rules.

Supervisor Dobbs moved, seconded by Supervisor Halley, that the rules be suspended for the purpose of considering the following recommendations of Streets Committee, under Unfinished Business, out of order.

No objection and motion *carried*.

#### Final Passage.

The following recommendations of Streets Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Ferdon, Halley, Sullivan.

Amending the Public Works Code, Relating to Street Flower Markets, by Deleting Therefrom the Authorized Location on the West Sidewalk Area of Stockton Street, 100 Feet North of the Northerly Line of Ellis Street, and by Adding Thereto an Authorized Location on the North Sidewalk Area of Post Street Within 50 Feet West of 250 Post Street.

File No. 9630, Ordinance No. 7625 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—11.

Accepting the Roadway and Curbs of the Crossing of Campbell Avenue and Delta Street, the Intersections of Campbell Avenue at Ervine and Alberta Streets, and Campbell Avenue Between Elliott and Delta Streets.

File No. 9681, Ordinance No. 7626 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—11.

Establishing Sidewalk Widths on Market Street Between Ord and Danvers Street at Six Feet.

File No. 9682, Ordinance No. 7627 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Consideration Continued.****Accepting the Roadway and Curbs of the Crossing of Goettingen and Mansell Streets.**

File No. 9697, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

Supervisor Ferdon moved, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, that consideration of the foregoing measure be continued for a period of two weeks.

No objection and motion *carried*.

*Consideration continued two weeks.*

**Final Passage.****Establishing Sidewalk Width on the Southwesterly Side of Erie Street Between Mission Street and a Point 222.43 Feet Easterly Therefrom at Eight Feet, and Abolishing the Sidewalk Width on the North-easterly Side Between Mission Street and a Point 204.09 Feet Easterly Therefrom.**

File No. 9702, Ordinance No. 7628 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Accepting the Roadway and Curbs of Florentine Avenue Between Brunswick and Morse Streets.**

File No. 9722, Ordinance No. 7630 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Suspension of Rules.**

Supervisor Dobbs moved, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, that the rules be suspended for the purpose of considering the following recommendation of Streets Committee, under New Business, out of order.

No objection and motion *carried*.

**Adopted.**

The following recommendations of Streets Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Ferdon, Halley, Sullivan.

**Declaring Intention to Order the Vacation of a Portion of Paraiso Place Northerly from Crestlake Drive.**

File No. 9046-1, Resolution No. 12894 (Series of 1939).

(Not in conflict with Master Plan.)

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Declaring Intention to Order the Vacation of Portions of Missouri, Texas and Twenty-third Streets.**

File No. 9459-1, Resolution No. 12893 (Series of 1939).

(Missouri and Texas Streets, between Twenty-second and Twenty-third Streets.

Twenty-third Street, between Missouri and Mississippi Streets.

Not in conflict with the Master Plan.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Passage for Second Reading.**

Conditionally Accepting the Roadway of Twin Peaks Boulevard from St. Germain Avenue to Portola Drive.

File No. 9795, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Re-reference to Committee.**

*(Supervisor Ferdon dissenting.)*

Granting a Revocable Permit to Merchants Ice and Cold Storage Company to Construct, Operate and Maintain Two Elevator Pits in the West Sidewalk Area of Battery Street Between Greenwich and Lombard Streets.

File No. 9701, Resolution No. . . . (Series of 1939).

**Discussion.**

Supervisor Ferdon stated that there was no representative from the ice company present at the hearing before the Streets Committee to explain the necessity for the two elevator pits and in his mind it was a question of whether private interests should take precedence over public welfare.

**Motion to Re-refer to Committee.**

Supervisor Sullivan moved that the foregoing measure be re-referred to committee as it was his understanding that the elevator pits, if permitted to be constructed, would be located on state property.

Mr. Lloyd Whaley, representing the Department of Public Works, informed the Board that it was his understanding that change in jurisdiction of property in that area placed that particular location where the elevator pits are to be constructed under the control of the State Board of Harbor Commissioners.

There being no objection, the foregoing measure was *re-referred to the Streets Committee.*

**Request for Notification of Ice Company.**

Supervisor Halley asked that the ice company involved be informed that the measure had been re-referred to committee for further study.

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS.**

**Final Passage.**

The following recommendations of Finance Committee, heretofore Passed for Second Reading, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

Amending Ordinance No. 4537 (Series of 1939), Purchase and Use Tax Ordinance, by Amending Sections 5 and 15 Thereof, to Provide That Retail Sellers Who Lease Rather Than Sell Tangible Personal Property, May Pay a Tax to the City Based Upon Rentals, Rather Than Cost to Them.

File No. 9585, Ordinance No. 7624 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—11.

Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Sections 83.1, 83.2 and 83.4, Board of Education, Non-Certificated Employees, by Abolishing Six Positions of General Clerk-Stenographer, and Adding One Position of Bookkeeper, Six Positions of General Clerk-Typist (Serving During the School Term Only, 8 Hours a Day) and Two Positions of Pianist, Part-Time as Needed.

File No. 9719, Ordinance No. 7629 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—11.

Appropriating \$4,700, Public Works, from the Special Road Improvement Fund, for Construction of Stairways and Additional Improvement to the Alpha Street-Tioga Avenue Connection.

File No. 9725, Ordinance No. 7631 (Series of 1939).

(Not in conflict with the Master Plan.)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—11.

Appropriating \$16,474, Recreation and Park, for Transfer of Seven Positions from Recreational Units to the General Division, Reclassification of One Position of Clerk to General Clerk-Stenographer and Reclassification of One Position of Janitress to Janitor.

File No. 9728-1, Ordinance No. 7632 (Series of 1939).

(Positions Transferred:

1 Operating Engineer . . . . .	\$330-390 per month
1 Head Life Guard . . . . .	255-305 per month
2 Life Guard Watchmen . . . . .	235-275 per month
2 Matrons, swimming pool (as needed)	205-235 per month
1 Janitress (as needed) . . . . .	220-260 per month

Positions Reclassified:

Abolish 1 General Clerk . . . . .	240-300 per month
Create 1 General Clerk-Stenographer	240-300 per month
Abolish 1 Janitress . . . . .	220-260 per month
Create 1 Janitor . . . . .	230-270 per month

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—11.

Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Sections 14.1, 14.2, 14.3, 16, 16.3 and 16.4, Recreation and Park—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.

File No. 9728-2, Ordinance No. 7633 (Series of 1939).

(This amendment likewise authorizes the establishment of 1 position of Life Guard (part-time, as needed) and 1 position of Senior Architectural Draftsman, interdepartmental, for which no appropriation ordinance is required.)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—11.

Authorizing Compromise and Settlement of Claim of George Ruff, Jr., Against the City and County by the Payment of \$100.

File No. 9741, Ordinance No. 7634 (Series of 1939).

(Injuries suffered as result of being struck by a hit-run driver when compelled to detour around a barricaded sidewalk at 1234 Pine Street.)



Finally Passed by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—11.

Appropriating \$1,750, Public Library, for Payment of Industrial Accident Award, Compensation Benefits and Medical Treatment to Employees of the Public Library, Pursuant to Provisions of Workmen's Compensation Law, and Prorata of Retirement System Costs.

File No. 9742, Ordinance No. 7635 (Series of 1939).

Two employees of the Public Library hurt in course of duty.

Finally Passed by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—11.

Appropriating \$16,000, Hetch Hetchy, for Construction of an Equipment Shed at the South Fork Maintenance Yard.

File No. 9744, Ordinance No. 7636 (Series of 1939).

Finally Passed by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—11.

Amending the Annual Appropriation Ordinance, 1952-53, Pursuant to the Provisions of Sections 35.5.1 and 35.2 of the Charter, to Make Available Additional Funds for Compensating Members of the Police and Fire Departments for the Month of January, 1953, as Set Forth in Ordinance No. 7491 (Series of 1939).

File No. 9745, Ordinance No. 7637 (Series of 1939).

Finally Passed by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—11.

## NEW BUSINESS.

Adopted.

The following resolutions of Finance Committee were taken up:

Present Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

Authorizing Extension of Grants of Emergency Relief to Dependent Non-Residents for December, 1952 and January, 1953; List Dated December 22, 1952.

File No. 9125, Resolution No. 12667 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—11.

Confirming Lease of Surplus Agricultural Land Located at the San Francisco Airport to L. Renner and Louis Renner, Jr.

File No. 871-1, Resolution No. 12693 (Series of 1939).

Lease is for a period of one year. Area approximately 633 acres. Lessee agrees to pay a rental of \$3,100 per year in four equal parts every three months in advance, and 25 per cent share of all crops harvested, plus 75 cents per acre per year for grazing stubble.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Reference to Education, Parks and Recreation Committee.**

**Authorizing the Purchase of Certain Real Property from Elmer K. Ross et ux. for \$2,100, Required for McLaren Park.**

File No. 9777, Resolution No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(Lot 3, Block 6028, located at Mansfield and Bacon Streets. Size: 75 feet by 120 feet. Vacant. Lot 8, Block 6028, located at Ion and Bacon Streets. Size: 75 feet by 100 feet. Vacant. In conformity with Master Plan.)

**Motion to Re-refer.**

Supervisor Dobbs moved re-reference to Finance Committee. Motion seconded by Supervisor Ferdon.

**Substitute Motion.**

Supervisor MacPhee moved, as a substitute, reference to Education, Parks and Recreation Committee. Motion seconded by Supervisor Mancuso.

No objection and motion carried.

*Referred to Education, Parks and Recreation Committee.*

**Suspension of Rules.**

Supervisor Arnold, seconded by Supervisor McCarty, moved that the rules be suspended for the purpose of considering the following supplemental calendar measure out of order.

No objection and motion carried.

**Final Passage.**

**Appropriating \$11,000, Sheriff, from the Emergency Reserve Fund, for Allowance for Overtime and Temporary Salaries—General; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9803, Ordinance No. 7641 (Series of 1939).

**Privilege of the Floor.**

Sheriff Dan Gallagher explained the necessity for the appropriation.

At the conclusion of the explanation, Supervisor Arnold moved that the measure "do pass." Motion seconded by Supervisor McCarty and finally passed by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Ferdon, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—11.

**Direction of President of the Board.**

The President of the Board directed that the Board's Sergeant-at-Arms be at the controls of the Board's microphone dials at all times.

**Expression of Christmas Cheer.**

Upon leaving the Chambers, Supervisor Halley wished all Board members a very Merry Christmas.

**Continuation of Consideration of Recommendations of Finance Committee (New Business).**

**Adopted.**

**Authorizing Purchase of Certain Real Property from John M. Shanklin et ux. for \$30,000, and from Vincent G. Raney et ux. for \$32,500, Required for School Project No. 14.**

File No. 9778, Resolution No. 12907 (Series of 1939).

(Lots 3, 4, Block 2340-A, located on north side of Santiago between Castenada and Twelfth Avenues. Sizes: 55 feet by 107 feet and 50 feet by 100 feet. Two-story frame dwelling.

Lots 1, 2, 4-A, 5, Block 2340-A, various sizes. Two-story frame dwelling. Located southwest side of Castenada Avenue east of Twelfth Avenue. In conformity with Master Plan.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, Halley—2.

**Authorizing Purchase of Certain Real Property from Agnes E. Fordtran for \$350, Required for School Project No. 53.**

File No. 9781, Resolution No. 12908 (Series of 1939).

(Lot 25, Block 6232, located at Arleta Avenue and Sawyer Street. Size: 25 feet by 100 feet. Vacant. In conformity with Master Plan.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, Halley—2.

**Authorizing Purchase of Certain Real Property from Marie Nelson for \$500, and From Richard Frahm for \$500, Required for School Project No. 53.**

File No. 9782, Resolution No. 12909 (Series of 1939).

(Lot 25, Block 6213, located at Arleta Avenue and Sawyer Street. Size: 37 feet by 100 feet by 105.90 feet. Vacant. Lot 30, Block 6213, located at Going Street and Arleta Avenue. Size: 25 feet by 100 feet. Vacant. In conformity with Master Plan.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, Halley—2.

**Authorizing Purchase of Certain Real Property from Eda M. Federlein for \$800, and from John Fondera for \$550, Required for School Project No. 53.**

File No. 9783, Resolution No. 12910 (Series of 1939).

(Lots 21 and 22, Block 6241, located at Raymond Avenue and Sawyer Street. Size of each lot: 25 feet by 100 feet. Vacant. Lot 3, Block 6242, located at Raymond Avenue and Sawyer Street. Size: 25 feet by 100 feet. Vacant. In conformity with the Master Plan.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, Halley—2.

**Authorizing Purchase of Certain Real Property from Alexander S. MacRae et ux. for \$250, Required for School Project No. 14.**

File No. 9784, Resolution No. 12911 (Series of 1939).

(Lot 2, Block 2337-A, located at Twelfth Avenue and Santiago Street. Size: 25 feet by 100 feet. Vacant. In conformity with Master Plan.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, Halley—2.

Waiving the Statute of Limitations as to the Payment of Various Warrants from the Employees' Retirement Fund.

File No. 9794, Resolution No. 12912 (Series of 1939).

(Various sums due 23 persons who had left city employ. Warrants were mailed to their last known address but returned. They have since made application for refund of accumulated contributions.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, Halley—2.

Passage for Second Reading.

Appropriating \$5,693, Public Library, for Three Positions of Head Librarian: Abolishing Positions of One Head Catalogue Librarian, One Head Order Librarian and One Head Music Librarian.

File No. 9791-1, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(Salary of all positions concerned, \$345-405 per month.)

Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, Halley—2.

Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 17.1, Public Library—  
A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.

File No. 9791-2, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, Halley—2.

Re-reference to Committee.

Appropriating \$50,000, Public Works, from Unappropriated Balance of Special Road Improvement Fund, for the Purchase and Installation of Neon "No Left Turn" Signs on Third Street.

File No. 9792, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(From Sixteenth Street to Davidson Street, and from Galvez Avenue to Le Conte Avenue.)

Discussion.

Supervisor Mancuso moved, seconded by Supervisor Dobbs, that the foregoing measure be re-referred to committee for the purpose of having the following suggestions considered:

(a) Use of existing "No Left-Turn" signs on Third Street, with the addition of others, if found necessary.

(b) Prohibition of left-hand turns at all times, rather than at the presently designated hours, for the entire length of Third Street.

(c) Use of reflectorized, rather than neon signals.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, Halley—2.

Re-referred to Finance Committee.

**Passage for Second Reading.**

**Appropriating \$2,894.81, Public Works, Bureau of Street Cleaning, for Retroactive Wages and Pensions, Pursuant to Court Order.**

File No. 9793, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, Halley—2.

**Authorizing Compromise and Settlement of Claim of Rae Barrett Against the City and County by the Payment of \$900.**

File No. 9800, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Personal injuries suffered as result of alleged defective condition of sidewalk.)

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, Halley—2.

**Final Passage.**

**Appropriating \$875, Weights and Measures, from the Emergency Reserve Fund, for Contractual Services, Maintenance and Repair of Automotive Equipment, and for Telephone and Telegraph, Electricity and Gas for the Farmers' Market; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9786, Ordinance No. 7633 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, Halley—2.

**Appropriating \$9,820, Police, from the Emergency Reserve Fund, for Maintenance and Repairs of Automotive Radio Equipment; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9787, Ordinance No. 7639 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, Halley—2.

**Appropriating \$750, Public Health, Hassler Health Home, from the Emergency Reserve Fund, for Purchase of a Refrigerator; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9789, Ordinance No. 7640 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, Halley—2.

**Discussion of Conditions at Public Health Institutions.**

The Clerk presented three communications as follows: (1) From the Chief Administrative Officer, attaching thereto copy of statement released to the press concerning conditions at the public health institutions; (2) from the State Department of Public Health, addressed to Supervisor Mead, concerning investigation of conditions made at the San Francisco Hospital and the Laguna Honda Home and making certain recommendations in connection therewith.

Supervisor Christopher expressed the opinion that the foregoing communications should be referred to the Public Health and Welfare Committee of the Board and thus keep in contact with officials of the Department of Public Health and abreast of developments looking to the improvement of conditions at public health institutions. The Supervisor spoke of the urgency of providing funds for much needed improvements and thanked the press for alerting the people to the existing deplorable conditions.

Supervisor Christopher then called on Dr. Ellis D. Sox, Director of the Department of Public Health, for his comments on the problem. Dr. Sox spoke of corrections needed in administrative problems and that steps would be taken to institute remedial measures. The doctor stated, as an example, that in a 15-year period, the number of beds at the Laguna Honda Home had more than doubled.

Supervisor McCarty suggested that Dr. Sox confer with his various department heads for the purpose of determining just what improvements are needed to rectify existing complaints and that he was willing to approve a definite expenditure appropriation each year for the continual maintenance of the institutions.

Supervisor MacPhee suggested to Mr. Brooks that he consider obtaining such administrative assistance as he considered necessary for the adequate supervision of the various departments under his jurisdiction.

Supervisor Ferdon suggested that many patients now in the San Francisco Hospital could be sent to their respective homes and that nurses from the Visiting Nurses' Association be instructed to visit them. This practice, if found feasible, would result in substantial savings to the city.

To the aforementioned suggestion, Dr. Sox added that the city already is under contract with the Visiting Nurses' Association.

Supervisor Christopher inquired into the possibility of making funds available for the immediate investigation and report on conditions.

Dr. Sox advised that he had asked the Plumbing Division to make a complete report and to make recommendations.

The hearing was concluded with no Board action taken except reference of the three communications, mentioned in the first part of the hearing, to the Finance Committee.

#### **ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF MEASURES AND COMMUNICATIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.**

##### **Request of Supervisor Christopher.**

Supervisor Christopher stated it was his understanding that the United States Government could take over possession of the Palace of Fine Arts on a 24-hours' notice, and asked Deputy City Attorney Thomas Blanchard, who was present, to look into the matter for him.

##### **Adopted.**

##### **In Memoriam—Francis St. J. Fox.**

Supervisor Dobbs presented:

File No. 9221, Resolution No. 12895 (Series of 1939).

##### **Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Dobbs moved adoption; motion seconded by Supervisor Ferdon.

*Unanimously adopted by rising vote as follows:*

Ayes: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Halley—3.

**Announcement of Committee Hearing.**

Supervisor Lewis announced a meeting of the County, State and National Affairs Committee for Tuesday, December 30, 1952, 2:00 p. m.

**Reference to Committee.****Directing Investigation of Chew Plan for Underground Parking on Telegraph Hill.**

Supervisor Lewis presented:

File No. 9826, Resolution No. (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Public Buildings, Lands and City Planning Committee.*

**Request of Supervisor Lewis.**

Supervisor Lewis requested that the foregoing committee, when considering the Chew Plan, likewise give consideration to his plan presented some time ago for a five-cent shopping fare to downtown banks and department stores.

**Adopted.**

Supervisor MacPhee moved, seconded by Supervisor Mancuso, that the Clerk be authorized, under direction of the Finance Committee, to expend not in excess of \$1,000, out of such funds as are available for the purpose, for the employment of personnel required to make investigations and studies of matters incident to budget requests for the fiscal year 1953-1954.

File No. 9827

Motion adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Halley—3.

**Adopted.****In Memoriam—Byron J. Getchell.**

Jointly presented by all members of the Board:

File No. 9221, Resolution No. 12896 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor MacPhee moved adoption; seconded by Supervisor Mancuso.

*Unanimously adopted by rising vote as follows:*

Ayes: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Halley—3.

**Statement of Supervisor MacPhee on Proposed Construction of Second Bay Crossings.**

Supervisor MacPhee stated he believed that both bridges should be built at once and that the matter of financing should be a purely secondary issue; that delay in such construction will cost the community hundreds of thousands of dollars and constitute a threat on the lives of the people. Figures from the State Department of Public Works indicates substantial growth of the state and that each year approximately 960,000 new people migrate to California for the purpose of making their permanent residences here.

Supervisor MacPhee concluded by stating that in his eleven years as Supervisor he had never seen anything essential for which funds could not be provided, and that no delay should be tolerated in getting the construction of the two spans under way.

**Introduction of Copies of Resolutions Adopted by the National Association of County Officials.**

Supervisor Mancuso presented copies of adopted resolutions from the National Association of County Officials, as follows:

(1) Urging adoption of federal legislation confirming states' title to tidelands; (2) requesting modification of present federal practices relating to passage of title to the United States of goods manufactured under defense contracts so that said title passage is not used primarily as a device for the avoidance of local taxes.

Both matters referred to the County, State and National Affairs Committee.

**Reference to Finance Committee.**

**Appropriating \$7,152, Fire Department, for Temporary Salaries; an Emergency Measure.**

Supervisor McCarty presented:

File No. 9825, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

**Adopted.**

**Reelecting William D. Hedeler as Director of the Golden Gate Bridge and Highway District for Term of Four Years Effective December 24, 1952.**

Supervisor Mead presented:

File No. 9714, Resolution No. 12900 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Dobbs moved adoption: seconded by Supervisor McCarty.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Halley—3.

**Electing Dan E. London as Director of the Golden Gate Bridge and Highway District for Term of Four Years Effective December 24, 1952.**

Supervisor Mead presented:

File No. 9736, Resolution No. 12902 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Dobbs moved adoption: seconded by Supervisor Ferdon.

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Dobbs, Ferdon, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—8.

Absent: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Halley—3.

**Stipulation.**

Supervisor MacPhee wanted the record to show that if Supervisors Arnold, Christopher and Halley had been present, the affirmative votes on the above measures relating to the reelection of William D. Hedeler and the election of Dan E. London, would have been unanimous.

**Exchange of Christmas Greetings.**

As each Supervisor arose under Roll Call, he tendered well wishes for a very Merry Christmas to his colleagues.



MONDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1952

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 4:50 p. m., adjourned.

JOHN R. McGRATH, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors January 12, 1953.

I, John R. McGrath, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the date heron stated and approved as recited.

JOHN R. McGRATH,  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.







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# JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MONDAY, DECEMBER 29, 1952—2:00 P. M.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Monday, December 29, 1952, 2:00 p. m.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session.

## CALLING THE ROLL.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors were noted present:

Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, Halley—2.

Quorum present.

President Dewey Mead presiding.

Supervisor Ferdon excused due to illness. (See below.)

Supervisor Halley noted present at 2:15 p. m.

## Supervisor Ferdon Excused.

The President informed the Board that he had received word that Supervisor Ferdon was ill. There being no objection, Supervisor Ferdon was excused.

## Communications.

From Dan London, expressing appreciation for Board's action in electing him to the directorate of the Golden Gate Bridge and Highway District.

*Order filed.*

From California Highway Commission, inquiring if scheduled meeting set for 10 a. m., January 29, in the Chambers of the Board, for public hearing in connection with the location of the proposed freeway between Broadway, at The Embarcadero, and the San Francisco-Oakland Bay Bridge, is still desirable.

## Discussion.

The Chief Administrative Officer was called upon to express his opinion as to the necessity for the proposed public hearing, and he stated that while he did not know of any opposition to the freeway, he felt it would be advisable to hold a public hearing to see if objections might develop from interested property owners in the area affected.

## Motion Approving Public Hearing.

Supervisor Arnold moved, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, that the California Highway Commission be advised that the Board was in favor of having the public hearing held on January 29th as scheduled.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—9.

Absent: Supervisors Ferdon, Halley—2.

*The Clerk was directed to so inform the California Highway Commission.*

**Communications (Continued).**

From Director, Department of Finance and Records, conveying assurance to Supervisor Dobbs that Mr. Hornby's thinking on voting machines will prove most helpful.

*Copies to Supervisors Dobbs and Ferdon: ordered filed.*

From County Supervisors' Association, notice of meeting of County and City Affairs Committee, January 8, 1953, at Sacramento.

*Motion carried authorizing attendance of any Board member; ordered filed.*

From Mrs. Margie Clasen and John O'Brien, protesting assessment levied in connection with the improvement of portions of Goettingen Street between Mansell Street and a point 310 feet southerly therefrom.

*Protests referred to Streets Committee.*

**SPECIAL ORDER—2:00 P. M.**

Referred to Real Estate Department.

Hearing of All Persons Interested in or Objecting to the Proposed Vacation of Certain Portions of Chicago Way.

File No. 8810

(Pursuant to notice of intention given in Resolution No. 12851 (Series of 1939).)

There appearing no protestants, the foregoing measure was referred to the Real Estate Department.

**SPECIAL ORDER—2:00 P. M.**

Referred to Streets Committee.

Hearing of Protests—Improvement of Portions of Goettingen Street Between Mansell Street and 310 Feet Southerly Therefrom.

Board of Supervisors to hear protests, if any, of all persons interested in the following described work or in the assessment, diagram or warrant for pay of the cost of the same, or in any property affected thereby: Improvement of portions of Goettingen Street between Mansell Street and 310 feet southerly therefrom, as described in Declaration of Intention, Order No. 35569, dated March 9, 1951, of the Department of Public Works.

File No. 7631

Supervisor Dobbs moved, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, that the foregoing measure, as well as the two protests received, namely from Mrs. Margie Clasen and John O'Brien, be referred to the Streets Committee for further study.

*No objection and motion carried.*

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS.**

Passage for Second Reading.

The following recommendations of Finance Committee, heretofore considered, were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, McCarty.

Authorizing Lease of Municipal Railway Property Located at Fillmore and Turk Streets.

File No. 9774-1, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Portion of Lot 1, Block 756. Size: 92 feet 6 inches by 177 feet. Not in conflict with the Master Plan.)

December 15, 1952—Consideration continued to December 29, 1952.



*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

#### Final Passage.

**Appropriating \$205,000, Public Works, from Unappropriated Balance of the Special Road Improvement Fund, for Street Improvement Purposes.**

File No. 9756, Ordinance No. 7642 (Series of 1939).

(Clarendon Avenue widening	\$ 25,000
Eighteenth Street—Guerrero Street to Harrison	
Steet Curb Set-back	26,000
West Portal Avenue Reconstruction	30,000
Plymouth and Ocean Avenues Realignment	24,000
Geary Street Expressway Property Acquisition	100,000)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

**Appropriating \$2,150, Purchasing, for Purchase of a Dual Reproduction Machine.**

File No. 9757, Ordinance No. 7643 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

**Appropriating \$1,166.96, San Francisco Airport, for Overtime Allowance.**

File No. 9758, Ordinance No. 7644 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

**Appropriating \$1,440, Municipal Railway, for Position of General Clerk; Abolishing Position of Car House Receiver.**

File No. 9760-1, Ordinance No. 7645 (Series of 1939).

(General Clerk	\$240-300
Car House Receiver	240-300)

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 72 and 72.1, Municipal Railway—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 9760-2, Ordinance No. 7646 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

Appropriating \$2,965.60, Water Department, for Extras in Excess of 10 Per Cent of Amount of Contract With E. T. Haas Company for Construction of Cross Connections at Newark and Redwood City on Bay Crossing Pipe Lines Nos. 1 and 2.

File No. 9771, Ordinance No. 7647 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

Appropriating \$128.85, Hetch Hetchy Project, for Payment of Retroactive Wages and Pensions, Pursuant to Court Order.

File No. 9772, Ordinance No. 7648 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

Appropriating \$4,600, Public Health, for Installation of Morgue Boxes at the Laguna Honda Home.

File No. 9773, Ordinance No. 7649 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

Amending Ordinance No. 4942 (Series of 1939), Membership Ordinance, by Authorizing the Sheriff to Acquire Membership in the National Sheriffs' Association.

File No. 9775, Ordinance No. 7650 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

Appropriating \$142.58, Water Department, for Retroactive Wages and Pensions and for Holiday and Overtime Pay Due Two Garagemen, Pursuant to Court Order.

File No. 9776, Ordinance No. 7651 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

#### Consideration Temporarily Postponed.

The following recommendation of Finance Committee, heretofore considered, was taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, McCarty.

Amending Section 1135.1 of the Police Code to Provide That a Review of Rates by the Board of Supervisors, of Motor Vehicles for Hire, Shall Be Ordered Between September 1st and December 1st of Each Year.

File No. 9667, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

December 1, 1952—Consideration continued to December 29, 1952.

There being no objection, consideration of the foregoing measure was temporarily postponed pending appearance of Lloyd Ackerman, Counsel for the Yellow Cab Company.

### NEW BUSINESS.

#### Adopted.

The following recommendations of Finance Committee were taken up:

Present: Supervisors Arnold, McCarty.

Approving Supplemental Recommendations, Public Welfare Department, Relative to Categorical Aids; Letter Dated December 23, 1952.

File No. 9224, Resolution No. 12915 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

Authorizing Extension of Grant of Emergency Relief to Dependent Non-Residents for December, 1952, and January, 1953; List Dated December 29, 1952.

File No. 9225, Resolution No. 12916 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

Authorizing Extension of Grants of Emergency Relief to Dependent Non-Residents for January and February, 1953; List Dated December 29, 1952.

File No. 9225, Resolution No. 12917 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

Authorizing Purchase of Certain Real Property from Bennie Perry for \$1,015, Required for School Project No. 50.

File No. 9735, Resolution No. 12920 (Series of 1939).

(Lots 14-A and 14-B, Block 6126, located at Holyoke Street north of Olmstead Street. Size of each lot: 25 feet by 120 feet. Vacant. In conformity with Master Plan.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

Approving Payment of Islais Creek Reclamation District Warrant to Coldwell, Banker and Company in the Sum of \$55.16.

File No. 9229, Resolution No. 12918 (Series of 1939).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

### Authorizing Certain Repairs to Be Made to Crystal Palace Salt Water Baths in the Aggregate Amount of \$3,819.80.

File No. 9768, Resolution No. 12919 (Series of 1939).

(Repairs to roof . . . . .)	\$250.00
Electrical repairs . . . . .	235.00
Repairs to girls' dressing rooms . . . . .	400.00
Repairs: 8-inch gate valve and drinking fountains . . . . .	248.00
Hot water heater and piping . . . . .	563.00
Rehang salt water main . . . . .	655.00
Various minor repairs . . . . .	325.00
Sandblasting and painting portion of pool . . . . .	793.80
Repair of recirculating water supply line . . . . .	350.00)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

### Authorizing Acquisition by Eminent Domain Proceedings of Certain Real Property, Easements and Temporary Easements Located in Block 4646, Required for the Southeast Collecting Sewers.

File No. 9809, Resolution No. 12921 (Series of 1939).

(Parcel to be acquired is located at the northeasterly line of Hunter's Point Boulevard and southwesterly line of Hudson Avenue. Size: 55 feet by 36 feet by 37.34 feet by 40.10 feet. Sewer easement is 6 feet in width, extending from Griffith Street to Innes Avenue. Temporary easement is 6 feet in width, located along the southeasterly line of easement area, except at Griffith Street where it lies also on the northeast side of the sewer easement. In conformity with Master Plan.)

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

### Consideration of Off-Calendar Matters.

There being no objection, the President of the Board permitted the following matters to be considered and acted upon by the Board, out of order.

#### Lighting of Mount Davidson Cross.

Supervisor Christopher moved, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, that the Recreation and Park Commission be advised that it is the Board's thinking that Mount Davidson's Cross should be lighted during the Christmas season as well as at Easter time.

File No. 9842

No objection and motion carried.

### Protest Against Airplane Advertising During East-West Shrine Game.

Supervisor Christopher requested that the Recreation and Park Commission take steps to avoid a repetition of the event which occurred during the East-West Shrine Game at Kezar last Saturday when, during the Pledge of Allegiance and the playing of the National Anthem, a plane circled overhead, advertising a North Beach night club. Such a practice, Supervisor Christopher stated, is not only endangering the spectators but is a disgrace on such an occasion.

Mr. David E. Lewis, General Manager of the Recreation and Park Department, informed Supervisor Christopher that he would take the matter up with the Civil Aeronautics Authority.

**Consideration of Recommendations of Finance Committee (Continued).****Passage for Second Reading.****Appropriating \$1,150, San Francisco Hospital, for Position of House Mother; Abolishing Position of Orderly.**

File No. 9804-1, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(House Mother ..... \$230-270  
Orderly ..... 204-245)*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 58(a), San Francisco Hospital—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 9804-2, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

**Consideration Continued.****Appropriating \$1,870, Laguna Honda Home, for Position of Assistant Superintendent of Nursing; Abolishing Position of Anaesthetist.**

File No. 9805-1, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Assistant Superintendent of Nursing ..... \$340-410  
Anaesthetist ..... 310-380)

Supervisor MacPhee moved, seconded by Supervisor Dobbs, that consideration of the foregoing measure be continued for one week.

No objection and motion carried.

**Amending the Annual Salary Ordinance, Section 56.4, Laguna Honda Home—A Companion Measure to the Preceding Item.**

File No. 9805-2, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

Supervisor MacPhee moved, seconded by Supervisor Dobbs, that consideration of the foregoing measure be continued for one week.

No objection and motion carried.

**Passage for Second Reading.****Appropriating \$975, Mayor, for Payment of Overtime.**

File No. 9806, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

**Appropriating \$7,299.04, Municipal Railway, for Payment of Retroactive Wages and Pensions, Pursuant to Court Order.**

File No. 9807, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Compensation due George W. Evington for period of June 12, 1945, to December 31, 1951, for difference between compensation of Superintendent of Transportation and General Superintendent of Transportation.)

*Passed for Second Reading by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

**Appropriating \$2,316.75, San Francisco Airport, for Compensation of Fire Department Personnel at the Airport.**

File No. 9308, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

**Appropriating \$1,301.05, Public Works, Bureau of Building Repair, for Retroactive Wages and Pensions, Pursuant to Court Order.**

File No. 9314, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(Compensation due George A. Casassa, employed as Locksmith, for amount due in accordance with collective bargaining agreement, for period July 1, 1947, through June 30, 1950.)

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

**Appropriating \$205.19, Water Department, for Retroactive Wages and Pensions, Pursuant to Court Order.**

File No. 9315, Ordinance No. . . . (Series of 1939).

(Compensation due one Garageman, participant in case of George Mangan et al. vs. City and County, Superior Court Action No. 409603.)

*Passed for Second Reading* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

**Final Passage.**

**Appropriating \$7,152, Fire Department, from the Emergency Reserve Fund, for Temporary Salaries; an Emergency Measure.**

File No. 9825, Ordinance No. 7652 (Series of 1939).

*Finally Passed* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

**Resumption of Consideration of Recommendation of Finance Committee Relating to Amendment of Section 1135.1 of the Police Code, to Provide That a Review of Rates by the Board of Supervisors, of Motor Vehicles for Hire, Shall Be Ordered Between September 1st and December 1st of Each Year.**

**Privilege of the Floor.**

The privilege of the floor was extended to Lloyd Ackerman, counsel for the Yellow Cab Company, who stated it was his understanding that a review of rates would be made next month and that he had no objection to same.

**Query.**

Supervisor MacPhee asked Controller Ross if the passage of the pending measure today would obviate the present requirement for a rate review in January, and the Controller replied to the effect that if the ordinance became effective during January, such passage may affect the review of rates to be made in January, 1953.

## Motion to Defer.

Supervisor MacPhee moved, seconded by Supervisor Dobbs, that, in order to obviate the possibility of interference with the January review of rates, consideration of the pending measure be continued for two weeks.

## Substitute Motion.

Supervisor Amadio moved, seconded, that consideration be continued for four weeks. Motion seconded by Supervisor MacPhee and there being no objection, motion carried.

Consideration deferred for four weeks.

## Tabled.

The following resolution, introduced by Supervisor Amadio, was taken up:

Present: Supervisor MacPhee, Amadio, MacPhee.

The Rules Committee Recommends Adoption of a Motion to Amend the Rules of Order by the Addition of a New Rule to Be Designated Rule 29.1, to Read as Follows:

## Rule 29.1

No person, except a Licensed Supervisor, shall, in any employment, practice, or business, be permitted to appear on behalf of any person, firm, partnership, corporation, or other entity, in any action against the City and County of Santa Fe, or the defense of any such action, before the City and County, or any other judicial or quasi-judicial body, or before any Commission, Board, or any other body of the City and County.

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December 29, 1952. Present: Supervisor Amadio.

## Discussion

Supervisor Amadio stated that he wanted the reading and review in the same form as the January meeting of the Board, in two weeks.

The President asked for the effect of the proposed rule and it had been re-referred to the Rules Committee. At the instance of Supervisor Lewis, Amadio stated that he was of the opinion that the committee might be required to meet on January 13, 1953, at 3 p.m. for appearance of Supervisor Lewis and other persons. He stated that he may have desired to read the subject and have showed the committee thereon, and he stated that he would be bound in the matter in the same form as it had been previously.

## Explanation by Supervisor Lewis.

Supervisor Lewis condemned the measure in that insofar as he was concerned, it meant depriving him of his bread and butter. He informed the Board that accident cases, some of which are against the Municipal Railway, constituted the bulk of his practice. He stated he has gone a number of whom he has ashamed; all his cases have been in the open before a jury of representative citizens, and if the Board were to approve the subject rule, they might as well extend their policy to prohibit practices which involve the real estate and other businesses carried on by members of the Board. The Supervisor ended his argument by expressing the opinion that the rule was not worth the paper upon which it was written and that it could not possibly be enforced.

Supervisor Mancuso supported the position taken by Supervisor Lewis, and added that he was elected by the people and was governed only by restrictions and penalties imposed by the Charter. If anybody's activities were to be curtailed unreasonably by the passage

of the pending measure, such action would well result in resignation as nobody could be expected to subsist on the mere \$200 per month compensation paid the members of the Board.

**Motion to Table.**

Supervisor Mancuso thereupon moved, seconded by Supervisor Lewis, that the pending measure be tabled.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, Mancuso, McCarty, Sullivan—6.

Noes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, MacPhee, Mead—4.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

**Adopted.**

The following measures, presented by the Clerk, were taken up:  
(In each of the following instances, Supervisor Sullivan moved, seconded by Supervisor Arnold, that the measure be adopted.)

**Confirming Appointment of J. Rufus Klawans to Board of Trustees of the San Francisco War Memorial.**

File No. 9829-1, Resolution No. 12922 (Series of 1939).

(For term ending January 2, 1957, vice Richard H. Newhall.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

**Confirming Reappointment of Milton Kletter to Board of Trustees of the San Francisco War Memorial.**

File No. 9829-2, Resolution No. 12923 (Series of 1939).

(For period of six years beginning January 2, 1953.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

**Confirming Reappointment of Frank A. Flynn to Board of Trustees of the San Francisco War Memorial.**

File No. 9829-3, Resolution No. 12924 (Series of 1939).

(For period of six years beginning January 2, 1953.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

**Confirming Reappointment of Ben Baggenstos to Board of Trustees of the San Francisco War Memorial.**

File No. 9829-4, Resolution No. 12925 (Series of 1939).

(For period of six years beginning January 2, 1953.)

*Adopted by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.



## ROLL CALL FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF MEASURES AND COMMUNICATIONS NOT CONSIDERED OR REPORTED UPON BY A COMMITTEE.

Reference to Finance Committee.

Amending the Annual Appropriation Ordinance, Pursuant to the Provisions of Sections 35.5.1 and 36.2 of the Charter, to Provide Funds for Compensating Members of the Police and Fire Departments for February, 1953, Pursuant to the Provisions of Ordinance No. 7491 (Series of 1939).

File No. 9845, Ordinance No. (Series of 1939).

(Amount involved—\$131,995.)

*Referred to Finance Committee.*

**Adopted.**

**In Memoriam—Mrs. Madeline Figone.**

Supervisor Christopher presented:

File No. 9221, Resolution No. 12927 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Christopher moved adoption; seconded by Supervisor MacPhee.

*Unanimously adopted by rising vote as follows:*

**Ayes:** Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

**Absent:** Supervisor Ferdon—1.

### **Explanation of Vote on Calendar Measure.**

Supervisor Halley explained his vote in connection with calendar item relating to amending the Board's Rules of Order to prohibit certain practices by members of the Board. He informed the Board that he had originally intended to vote for the measure but a careful analysis compelled him to vote against it.

### **Request to Convert Richmond's Recreation Centers to Grass Footing.**

Supervisor Lewis, on behalf of the Richmond Parent-Teachers' Association, requested that the Recreation and Park Commission consider the feasibility of converting some of the many concrete or asphalt recreational centers in the Richmond District to a grass footing, to permit the playing of baseball, football and the like. Such a conversion would also tend to keep many youngsters off the public streets.

*Referred to the Education, Parks and Recreation Committee.*

### **Explanation of Vote on Calendar Measure.**

Supervisor MacPhee explained that his affirmative vote on the calendar item which proposed to curtail certain activities of the members of the Board, was predicated on his belief that no member of the Board should have the right to appear before any city board, commission or court on any matter affecting the city and county.

### **Request for West Portal Parking Survey.**

Supervisor MacPhee requested that the Police Committee confer with representatives of the Police Department and Public Utilities Commission for the purpose of enacting legislation which would provide temporary parking in the area immediately adjacent to the tunnel entrance in the West Portal District. At the present time this area is being used for the parking of busses after 7 p. m. and

no parking or stopping is permitted and the thought occurred to the Supervisor that parking of some sort should be permitted up to 7 p. m.

*Referred to the Police Committee.*

**Adopted.**

**In Memoriam—John E. Pickett.**

Jointly presented by all members of the Board:

File No. 9221, Resolution No. 12929 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Christopher moved adoption: seconded by Supervisor Mancuso.

*Unanimously adopted by rising vote as follows:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

**Motion Authorizing Attendance at New Supervisors' Institute.**

Supervisor Mancuso moved, seconded by Supervisor Halley, that any member who may so desire be authorized to attend the New Supervisors' Institute to be held in Sacramento during period February 4-6, 1953, provided funds are available.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

**Motion Authorizing Attendance at Meeting of County and City Affairs Committee of the County Supervisors' Association.**

Supervisor Mancuso moved, seconded by Supervisor Sullivan, that any member who may so desire be authorized to attend the meeting of the County and City Affairs Committee of the County Supervisors' Association to be held in Sacramento on January 8, 1953, together with the city's Legislative Representative, the Chief Administrative Officer and the Controller, provided funds are available.

*Motion carried by the following vote:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

**Replacement of Burned Out Lights.**

Supervisor Mancuso called the Clerk's attention to the many burned out lights in the Chambers and requested that action be taken to replace them.

**Proposal to Dissolve Joint Highway Districts Nos. 10 and 9.**

Supervisor Mancuso referred to an item appearing in Dick Nolan's "Examiner" column on Sunday, December 28, wherein it was pointed out that San Francisco was obligated to bear 85 per cent of any expense on road construction in San Mateo County, and expressed the opinion that this practice should stop. He thereupon requested that the matter of dissolving Joint Highway District No. 10 be referred to the proper committee for the study and preparation of such legislation as will have the desired effect.

Supervisor Halley asked that when considering the dissolution of Joint Highway District No. 10, the dissolution of Joint Highway District No. 9 be likewise considered.

No objection and the matter was *referred to the County, State and National Affairs Committee.*

**Proposal to Annex Broadmoor, Westlake and Other Communities Contiguous to San Francisco-San Mateo County Line.**

Supervisor Mancuso spoke of requests which he had received from residents of Broadmoor and Westlake Villages, asking that efforts be made to have such communities become an integral part of the City and County, many of them when purchasing their homes, believing at the time that they were actually located within the confines of the City and County.

The Supervisor thereupon requested that the representatives of the proper city departments meet with representatives of the communities involved for the purpose of exploring possibilities of having their communities become an integral part of the City and County of San Francisco.

*Referred to the Chief Administrative Officer for report and recommendation.*

**Proposal to Retrieve Uninhabited Territory Located in San Mateo County.**

Supervisor Mancuso requested that the proper committee study the possibility of the city annexing certain uninhabited territory located in San Mateo County, particularly the Crystal Springs Watershed property, pursuant to the provisions of the Uninhabited Territory Act, and thus obviate the necessity of paying large sums in taxes to the County of San Mateo.

*Referred to County, State and National Affairs Committee.*

**Adopted.**

**In Memoriam—Captain George J. Keenan.**

Supervisor McCarty presented:

File No. 9221, Resolution No. 12928 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor McCarty moved adoption; seconded by Supervisor Halley.

*Unanimously adopted by rising vote as follows:*

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

**Statement by Supervisor Mead.**

In connection with action taken on measure proposing to curtail activities of the members of the Board, Supervisor Mead stated that he saw no reason to apologize for his affirmative vote.

**Adopted.**

The following recommendation of his Honor the Mayor was presented by the Clerk:

**Leaves of Absence—**Paul Oppermann, Director of Planning, January 3-12; Leo H. Shapiro, President, San Francisco Board of Fire Commissioners, December 30, 1952-January 4, 1953; Harold L. Zellerbach, President of the Art Commission, January 14-21; February 12-21; Russell L. Wolden, Assessor, December 29, 1952, to January 5, 1953, All With Permission to Leave the State.

File No. 9220, Resolution No. 12926 (Series of 1939).

**Motion to Adopt.**

Supervisor Arnold moved adoption; seconded by Supervisor McCarty.

*Adopted* by the following vote:

Ayes: Supervisors Arnold, Christopher, Dobbs, Halley, Lewis, MacPhee, Mancuso, McCarty, Mead, Sullivan—10.

Absent: Supervisor Ferdon—1.

**Calling for Measure from Police Committee.**

Supervisor Lewis stated he desired that the measure referred to the Police Committee some months ago, relating to the repeal of Section 122 of the Traffic Code, prohibiting vehicles to pass to the left of safety zones on Market Street during certain hours, be placed on the Board's calendar for consideration on Monday, January 5, 1953.

No objection and the *Clerk was directed to comply.*

**ADJOURNMENT.**

There being no further business, the Board, at the hour of 4:00 p. m., adjourned.

JOHN R. McGRATH, Clerk.

Approved by the Board of Supervisors January 12, 1953.

I, John R. McGrath, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of said Board of the date hereon stated and approved as recited.

JOHN R. McGRATH,  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.













